

Board of Directors Project MEND

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of Project MEND as of and for the year ended September 30, 2018, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, we considered Project MEND's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Organization's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Organization's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and, therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the Organization's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses.

During our audit, we also became aware of the following deficiencies in internal control, other than significant deficiencies or material weaknesses, and other matters that are opportunities for strengthening internal controls and operating efficiency.

## **OTHER CONTROL DEFICIENCIES**

#### Segregation of Duties

As part of our review of internal controls during our audit work, and particularly with regards to compliance with accounting and auditing standards, we noted there is inadequate segregation of financial duties within the Organization. Although there are some controls in this area, the small size of the accounting staff makes it impossible to create totally separate like duties. Without enough people to fully segregate financial tasks, it is impossible to create a sound and reliable control structure that completely protects the Organization against misappropriation and fraud. Based on the number of staff involved, it appears that the Organization is aware of internal control issues and has developed a system to try and meet their needs at this time.

## Inventory Accounting and Valuation

During our audit, we noted that inventory balances per the balance sheet did not agree to the year-end inventory valuation report. While the inventory report matched the physical inventory count, the necessary adjustments to update the balance sheet to match the inventory report had not been made.

We understand that management is currently considering an overhaul of their process for recording and tracking inventory in the accounting system. We encourage management to continue working towards the implementation of a robust process for tracking and valuing inventory.

This communication is intended solely for the information and use of management, the Board of Directors, and others within the Organization, and is not intended to be, and should not be, used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2018

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# Year Ended September 30, 2018

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#### Independent Auditor's Report

Board of Directors Project MEND San Antonio, Texas



We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Project MEND (a nonprofit organization), which comprise the statement of financial position as of September 30, 2018 and 2017, the related statements of activities and functional expenses for the year ended September 30, 2018, the related statement of cash flows for the years ended September 30, 2018 and 2017, and the related notes to the financial statements.

## Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

## Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

## Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Project MEND as of September 30, 2018 and 2017, the changes in its net assets for the year ended September 30, 2018, and its cash flows for the years ended September 30, 2018 and 2017 in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

## **Report on Summarized Comparative Information**

We have previously audited Project MEND's 2017 financial statements, and we expressed an unmodified audit opinion on those audited financial statements in our report dated February 1, 2018. In our opinion, the summarized comparative information presented herein as of and for the year ended September 30, 2018 is consistent, in all material respects, with the audited financial statements from which it has been derived.

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# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

## September 30, 2018 and 2017

ASSETS	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Current assets: Cash and cash equivalents Grants receivable Pledges receivable Medical equipment inventory Prepaid expenses Total current assets	\$ 338,633 199,781 785,335 71,009 6,979 1,401,737	\$ 145,315 139,051 18,500 32,574 9,475 344,915
Property and equipment: Fixed assets Less accumulated depreciation Total property and equipment, net	312,300 (279,164) 33,136	529,980 (388,814) 141,166
Other assets: Property and equipment held for sale, net of accumulated depreciation of \$122,753 Security deposits Total other assets	112,487 1,500 113,987	  1,500
Total assets	<u>\$ 1,548,860</u>	\$ 487,581
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
Current liabilities: Accounts payable Accrued liabilities Total current liabilities	\$ 12,403 67 12,470	\$
Net assets: Unrestricted: Undesignated Fixed assets Board designated Total unrestricted net assets Temporarily restricted Total net assets	278,632 145,623 - 424,255 <u>1,112,135</u> 1,536,390	205,913 141,166 50,000 397,079 75,000 472,079
Total liabilities and net assets	<u>\$ 1,548,860</u>	<u>\$ 487,581</u>

## STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

## Year Ended September 30, 2018

# (With Comparative Totals For Year Ended September 30, 2017)

		Unrestricted				
		Fixed	Board	Temporarily	То	tal
	<u>Undesignated</u>	<u>Assets</u>	<b>Designated</b>	<b>Restricted</b>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Public support and revenue:						
Special events:						
Gross revenue	\$ 182,414	\$-	\$-	\$-	\$ 182,414	\$ 135,296
Less direct expenses	(54,077)				(54,077)	(29,913)
Net special events support	128,337	-	-	-	128,337	105,383
Local government grants	145,500	-	-	-	145,500	145,500
State government grants	365,893	-	-	-	365,893	145,800
Contributions and other grants	271,643	-	-	1,300,335	1,571,978	527,967
Program income	27,676	-	-	-	27,676	29,816
In-kind donations - medical equipment	363,232	-	-	-	363,232	357,277
In-kind donations - other	11,520	-	-	-	11,520	3,435
Other income	10,215				10,215	10,158
Total public support	1,324,016	-	-	1,300,335	2,624,351	1,325,336
Net assets released from restrictions:						
Restrictions satisfied by payments	263,200			(263,200)		
Total public support and revenue	1,587,216			1,037,135	2,624,351	1,325,336
Expenses:						
Program services	1,318,319	4,855	-	-	1,323,174	1,195,200
Management and general	105,556	8,249	-	-	113,805	142,901
Fundraising	123,061				123,061	33,810
Total expenses	1,546,936	13,104			1,560,040	1,371,911
Change in net assets	40,280	(13,104)	-	1,037,135	1,064,311	(46,575)
Net assets at beginning of year	205,913	141,166	50,000	75,000	472,079	518,654
Net interfund transfers	32,439	17,561	(50,000)			
Net assets at end of year	<u>\$ 278,632</u>	<u>\$ 145,623</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 1,112,135</u>	<u>\$ 1,536,390</u>	\$ 472,079

## STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES

## Year Ended September 30, 2018

# (With Comparative Totals For Year Ended September 30, 2017)

	Supporting Services								
	Program Management			To	tals				
	5	<u>Services</u>	an	d General	<u>F</u> ι	undraising	 <u>2018</u>		2017
Salaries and wages	\$	467,118	\$	26,746	\$	29,627	\$ 523,491	\$	432,233
Employee benefits		63,033		3,609		3,998	70,640		56,254
Payroll taxes		35,208		2,016		2,233	 39,457		33,368
Total salaries and related expenses		565,359		32,371		35,858	633,588		521,855
Advertising		15,374		1,530		40	16,944		10,969
Assistive technology		166,298		-		-	166,298		87,791
Capital campaign		-		-		86,427	86,427		34,304
Computer services		17,499		832		-	18,331		22,922
Conferences and meetings		4,658		618		277	5,553		2,034
Dues and subscriptions		4,426		2,312		200	6,938		7,242
Fees and fines		455		2,686		-	3,141		2,658
In-kind medical equipment		331,176		-		-	331,176		402,453
In-kind services		-		11,520		-	11,520		3,435
Insurance		21,860		3,168		-	25,028		29,689
Miscellaneous		307		1,228		3	1,538		1,988
Office supplies		6,083		4,177		-	10,260		16,713
Other expenses		10,536		156		224	10,916		7,624
Postage and freight		1,495		571		-	2,066		6,237
Printing and reproductions		6,282		890		-	7,172		10,924
Professional fees		-		35,830		-	35,830		42,110
Purchased inventory		29,404		-		-	29,404		19,892
Repairs and maintenance		28,441		3,620		-	32,061		29,321
Rent		25,263		1,575		-	26,838		27,528
Staff training		554		-		32	586		1,482
Telephone and internet		27,286		1,343		-	28,629		16,736
Travel		12,131		288		-	12,419		8,169
Uniforms		6,146		-		-	6,146		5,395
Utilities		13,185		841		-	14,026		13,505
Vehicle expenses		12,845		-		-	12,845		12,598
Warehouse supplies		11,256		-		-	11,256		12,651
Total expenses before depreciation		1,318,319		105,556		123,061	 1,546,936		1,358,225
Depreciation		4,855		8,249			 13,104		13,686
Total expenses	\$	1,323,174	\$	113,805	\$	123,061	\$ 1,560,040	\$	1,371,911

## STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

## Years Ended September 30, 2018 and 2017

	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Cash flow from operating activities:		
Change in net assets	\$ 1,064,311	\$ (46,575)
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to		
net cash provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation expense	13,104	13,686
Contributions restricted for capital campaign	(1,155,000)	-
Change in:		
Grants receivable	(60,730)	(100,157)
Pledges receivable, other than capital campaign	(16,835)	(17,000)
Prepaid expenses	2,496	(8,373)
Medical equipment inventory	(38,435)	47,801
Accounts payable	(2,964)	6,881
Accrued liabilities	(68)	122
Net cash used by operating activities	(194,121)	(103,615)
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Purchase of property and equipment	(17,561)	(4,100)
Net cash used by investing activities	(17,561)	(4,100)
	(17,001)	(1,100)
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Proceeds from contributions restricted for capital campaign	405,000	-
Net cash provided by financing activities	405,000	-
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Net increase (decrease) in cash	193,318	(107,715)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	145,315	253,030
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$ 338,633	\$ 145,315

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## **1 NATURE OF ORGANIZATION**

Project MEND (the Organization) is a non-profit agency dedicated to helping low-income people with disabilities obtain medical equipment and financial support for the purchase of specialized, fitted devices, prosthetic and orthotic devices, and diabetic shoes. The Organization accepts previously owned medical equipment from individuals, nursing homes, medical equipment companies, etc., and refurbishes, repairs, and sanitizes these items. Once the equipment has been processed, it is distributed to qualified low-income persons with disabilities.

The Organization operates from two locations in San Antonio, Texas. The administrative building is located at 5727 IH-10 West, where recipients meet with case management staff and the support staff operates. The warehouse building, located at 1201 Austin Street, is where the warehouse staff refurbishes and distributes medical equipment to qualifying recipients.

The Organization's mission is: Believing that mobility and independence are basic human rights, we enable people with disabilities to become active members of their communities through the reuse of medical equipment.

## 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Basis of Accounting**

The financial statements of the Organization have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting. The financial statements accordingly reflect all significant receivables, payables, and other liabilities.

#### **Basis of Presentation**

Financial statement presentation follows the recommendations of the Financial Accounting Standards Board for the format of financial statements of not-for-profit organizations. The Organization is required to report information regarding its financial position and activities according to three classes of net assets: unrestricted net assets, temporarily restricted net assets, and permanently restricted net assets. The Organization does not have any permanently restricted net assets.

#### **Comparative Financial Information**

The financial information for the year ended September 30, 2017, presented for comparative purposes, is not intended to be a complete financial statement presentation. It is included to provide a basis for comparison with the year ended September 30, 2018.

#### Allocated Expenses

Expenses are charged to program services based on costs that can be directly identified as those costs associated with the program of the Organization. Any expenses not directly chargeable are allocated to programs and supporting service classifications on the basis of management estimates.

#### **Income Taxes**

The Organization is exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. It has been classified as an organization other than a private foundation under Section 509(a)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code and qualifies for the 50% charitable contributions deduction for individual donors under Section 170(b)(1)(A).

#### Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

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## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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## 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

### **Cash and Cash Equivalents**

Cash includes all monies on hand, in banks, and highly liquid investments with initial maturity periods of three months or less.

## Inventory – Medical Equipment

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost or net realizable value. For purchased inventory items, cost is determined by the weighted-average cost method.

The Organization receives donated medical equipment, which is refurbished and then distributed back to qualified individuals. Upon receipt and refurbishment of donated medical equipment, the Organization recognizes inventory and in-kind revenue. When the refurbished equipment is distributed to a qualified individual, the Organization recognizes in-kind expense. Donated medical equipment has been valued at 50% of retail value, which is an approximation of net realizable value.

## **Property and Equipment**

The Organization capitalizes all expenditures for property and equipment in excess of \$500. Property and equipment are carried at cost or, if donated, at the approximate fair market value at the date of the donation. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method.

#### **Compensated Absences**

The Organization provides regular, full-time employees with paid time off (PTO) to be used for absences due to illness, injury, disability, or personal activities, including vacation time. Employees' PTO balances are not paid out or carried forward to subsequent years, and are forfeited upon termination for any reason. As such, the Organization is not liable for PTO expenses until PTO is actually taken by the employee, and no accrual for PTO expenses has been made.

## **Contributions and Grants**

Contributions and grants received are recorded as unrestricted, temporarily restricted, or permanently restricted support depending on the existence or nature of any donor restrictions. Support that is not restricted by the donor is reported as an increase in unrestricted net assets. All other donor-restricted support is reported as an increase in temporarily restricted net assets or permanently restricted net assets, depending on the nature of the restriction. Temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets upon expiration of the time restriction and are reported in the Statement of Activities as "net assets released from restrictions". Restricted contributions whose restrictions are met in the same reporting period are recorded as unrestricted contributions.

## **Donated Goods and Services**

The Organization receives donated medical equipment, services, and materials. The Organization distributed donated medical equipment (see note "Inventory – Medical Equipment") with an estimated fair market value of \$331,176 and \$402,453 to qualified individuals for the years ended September 30, 2018 and 2017, respectively. The Organization also receives contributed services from a variety of unpaid volunteers assisting with answering phones, cleaning and repairing donated medical equipment and various other program related services. No amounts have been recognized in the accompanying statements of activities and changes in net assets because the criteria for recognition of such volunteer effort under GAAP have not been satisfied.

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## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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## 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### Subsequent Events

The Organization's management has evaluated subsequent events through January 22, 2019, the date which the financial statements were available for issue.

## **3 CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK**

The Organization maintains cash in accounts with two banking institutions, which are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC). At September 30, 2018, amounts in excess of the FDIC insured limits were \$99,185.

## 4 GRANTS RECEIVABLE

Grants receivable is revenue earned by reimbursable expenses incurred and is deemed fully collectible; therefore, no allowance for doubtful accounts is deemed necessary as of September 30, 2018 and 2017. At September 30, 2018 and 2017, grants receivable are scheduled to be collected within one year.

## 5 PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

Property and equipment consist of the following at September 30:

	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Buildings and improvements	\$ 275,150	\$ 275,150
Furniture and equipment	160,275	142,715
Vehicles	 112,115	 112,115
	547,540	529,980
Less accumulated depreciation	 (401,917)	 (388,814)
Net property and equipment	\$ 145,623	\$ 141,166

Depreciation expense for the years ended 2018 and 2017 was \$13,104 and \$13,686, respectively.

## 6 TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS

During 2018 and 2017, the Organization received contributions for various specific programs and activities. As of September 30, 2018 and 2017, temporarily restricted net assets were restricted for the following purposes or periods:

	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Promises to give due in future years	\$ 35,335	\$ 75,000
Capital campaign	1,076,800	 -
Temporarily restricted net assets	\$ 1,112,135	\$ 75,000

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#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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## 7 CONCENTRATION OF GRANT REVENUE

The Organization's support and revenues from state and local government grants was as follows for the years ended September 30:

		20	18	20	17
Type of Grant	Original <u>Source</u>	<u>Amount</u>	Percent of Total Support and Revenue	<u>Amount</u>	Percent of Total Support and Revenue
University of Texas Texas Veterans Commission Total state government grants	State State	\$ 100,000 265,893 \$ 365,893	3.8% <u>10.1%</u> <u>13.9%</u>	\$ 100,000 45,800 \$ 145,800	7.5% <u>3.5%</u> <u>11.0%</u>
Bexar County - General Fund University Health System City of San Antonio - General Fund Total local government grants	County County City	\$ 40,000 50,000 <u>55,500</u> \$ 145,500	1.5% 1.9% <u>2.1%</u> <u>5.5%</u>	\$ 40,000 50,000 <u>55,500</u> \$ 145,500	3.0% 3.8% <u>4.2%</u> <u>11.0%</u>

These grants operate as cost reimbursement grants, where the Organization submits qualified expenses to the grantor and is reimbursed when expenses are approved. A reduction in revenue by either grantor would coincide with a similar reduction of expenses for the Organization.

## 8 ADVERTISING COSTS

The Organization uses advertising to promote its programs among the audiences it serves. Advertising costs are expensed as incurred. Advertising expenses for the years ended September 30, 2018 and 2017 were \$16,944 and \$10,969, respectively.

## 9 OPERATING LEASES

The Organization leases office space and equipment under various operating leases expiring through October 2019. Total rent payments on these leases for the years ended September 30, 2018 and 2017 were \$26,838 and \$27,528, respectively. The following are future minimum rental payments under these leases:

Year Ending September 30	
2019	\$ 28,650
2020	 325
	\$ 28,975

#### **10 BOARD DESIGNATED FUNDS**

In August 2015, the board agreed to transfer \$50,000 to a separate bank account and designate the funds as board designated. In February 2018, the board agreed to release these funds for use.

## 11 PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT HELD FOR SALE

During 2018, the Organization adopted a plan to relocate warehouse and office space to a new facility. In connection with this plan, the existing warehouse facility owned by the Organization is anticipated to be sold during fiscal year 2019. The Organization is currently negotiating the terms of an agreement on the sale of the existing warehouse and a concurrent purchase of land, which is expected to be utilized as a site for a new warehouse. The carrying value of the warehouse facility was tested for recoverability as of September 30, 2018 and the Organization concluded that the fair value of the warehouse exceeds its carrying value. Accordingly, no impairment loss has been recognized. In accordance with GAAP, the asset is no longer depreciated.