**Gunnison Crested Butte Tourism Association** 

**Financial Report** 

December 31, 2022



# Gunnison Crested Butte Tourism Association (A Colorado Non-Profit Organization) December 31, 2022

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Directors Gunnison Crested Butte Tourism Association Gunnison, Colorado

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Gunnison Crested Butte Tourism Association (the "Association"), a Colorado non-profit corporation, which comprise the statement of financial position as of December 31, 2022, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Association as of December 31, 2022, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAP").

#### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAS"). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Association 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.

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

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with U.S. GAAP, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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

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#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's 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 U.S. 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 financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with U.S. GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Association'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 Association'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.

#### Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The supplemental schedule on page 11 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the 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 financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with U.S. GAAS. In our opinion, the information, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

Mc Mahan and Associates, L.L.C.

McMahan and Associates, L.L.C. Avon, Colorado July 27, 2023

## Gunnison Crested Butte Tourism Association (A Colorado Non-Profit Corporation) Statement of Financial Position December 31, 2022 With Comparative Totals for 2021

	2022	2021
Assets:		
Current Assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	393,478	384,744
Accounts receivable	9,601	-
Total Current Assets	403,079	384,744
Property and Equipment:		
Furniture	528	528
Subtotal	528	528
Less accumulated depreciation	(528)	(528)
Total Property and Equipment		-
Total Assets	403,079	384,744
Liabilities and Net Assets:		
Liabilities:		
Current Liabilities:		
Accounts payable	80,908	135,304
Accrued liabilities	7,527	-
Deferred revenue	6,000	-
Total Current Liabilities	94,435	135,304
Total Liabilities	94,435	135,304
Net Assets:		
Without donor restrictions	308,644	249,440
Total Net Assets	308,644	249,440
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	403,079	384,744

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

# Gunnison Crested Butte Tourism Association (A Colorado Non-Profit Corporation) Statement of Activities and Changes in Net Assets For the Year Ended December 31, 2022 With Comparative Totals for 2021

		2022		2021
	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Total	Total
Revenues, Gains, and Other Support:				
Local marketing district funding	3,200,000	-	3,200,000	2,390,591
Grant revenue and program funding	111,000	-	111,000	70,000
ICELab	83,165	-	83,165	52,479
Interest income	6	-	6	19
Other Income		<u> </u>		31,687
Total Revenues, Gains, and Other Support	3,394,171	<u> </u>	3,394,171	2,544,776
Expenses:				
Administrative	41,641	-	41,641	44,648
Tourism promotion	1,119,131	-	1,119,131	590,498
Media	1,340,585	-	1,340,585	1,323,665
ICELab	107,199	-	107,199	107,730
Payroll and contractors	726,411	<u> </u>	726,411	643,826
Total Expenses	3,334,967		3,334,967	2,710,367
Change in Net Assets	59,204	-	59,204	(165,591)
Net Assets - Beginning of Year	249,440	<u> </u>	249,440	415,031
Net Assets - End of Year	308,644		308,644	249,440

#### Gunnison Crested Butte Tourism Association (A Colorado Non-Profit Corporation) Statement of Functional Expenses For the Year Ended December 31, 2022 With Comparative Totals for 2021

	2022			2021	
	Program Services	Management and General	Fundraising	Total	Total
Expenses:					
Administrative	-	41,641	-	41,641	44,648
Tourism promotion	1,085,557	33,574	-	1,119,131	590,498
Media	1,340,585	-	-	1,340,585	1,328,165
IceLab	107,199	-	-	107,199	107,730
Payroll and contractors	705,255	21,156		726,411	643,826
Total Expenses	3,238,596	96,371		3,334,967	2,714,867

## Gunnison Crested Butte Tourism Association (A Colorado Non-Profit Corporation) Statement of Cash Flows For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

	2022	2021
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:		
Cash received from operations	3,200,000	2,390,591
Interest received	6	19
Cash received from other sources	190,564	154,766
Cash paid to employees or independent contractors	(718,884)	(643,826)
Cash paid for goods and services	(2,662,952)	(1,947,141)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	8,734	(45,591)
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash	8,734	(45,591)
Cash and Cash Equivalents - Beginning of Year	384,744	430,335
Cash and Cash Equivalents - End of Year	393,478	384,744
Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets to		
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:		
Change in net assets	59,204	(165,591)
Adjustments to change in net assets:		
(Increase) decrease in accounts receivable	(9,601)	600
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable	(54,396)	119,400
Increase (decrease) in accrued liabilities	7,527	-
Increase (decrease) in deferred revenue	6,000	-
Total Adjustments	(50,470)	120,000
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	8,734	(45,591)

#### Gunnison Crested Butte Tourism Association (A Colorado Non-Profit Corporation) Notes to the Financial Statements December 31, 2022

## 1. Organization

The Gunnison-Crested Butte Tourism Association (the "Association") was incorporated in the State of Colorado and designated as a 501(c)(6) to promote the Gunnison Valley as a year-round travel destination and foster relationships with community partners, support for Western Colorado University and creation of entrepreneurial opportunities (e.g., ICELab). Increasing total annual tourism and guest revenue is one of the primary goals of the Association.

## 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Principles

## A. Financial Statement Presentation

The Association reports its financial statements in accordance with FASB Accounting Standards Codification Topic 958, *Not-for-Profit Organizations ("ASC Topic 958")*, formerly Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 117. Under ASC Topic 958, the Association is required to report information regarding its financial position and activities according to two classifications of net assets, without donor restriction and with donor restriction.

## B. Basis of Accounting

The financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting which recognizes revenues when earned and expenses when incurred.

## C. Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Association considers all deposits that can be withdrawn at any time without notice or penalty and certificate of deposits with maturities of three months or less.

#### D. Accounts Receivable

The Association utilizes the allowance method of recognizing the future potential uncollectibility of amounts receivable from members and others. No allowance was considered necessary at December 31, 2022, since all such amounts were considered collectible.

## E. Use of Estimates

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

#### F. Income Tax

The Association is incorporated as a not-for-profit corporation under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(6). As such, the Association's earnings must be reinvested into the organization and may not benefit any individual member or shareholder.

#### Gunnison Crested Butte Tourism Association (A Colorado Non-Profit Corporation) Notes to the Financial Statements December 31, 2022 (continued)

## 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Principles (continued)

## F. Income Tax (continued)

Unrelated business income is income derived from a trade or business by the exempt organization that is not substantially related to the performance of the organization's exempt purpose or function. For the year ended December 31, 2022, the Association had no taxable income.

## G. Method used for Allocation of Expenses

The financial statements report certain categories of expenses that are attributable to program or supporting functions of the association. These expenses include tourism promotion, administration, media, and contractors. Administrative expenses are allocated based on the function they support, including insurance, meals and entertainment, and supplies.

## H. Support and Revenue Recognition

Contributions of cash and other assets are reported as with donor or grantor restriction if they are received with donor or grantor stipulations that limit or specify the use of the donated assets, whether by time, period, or purpose. When a donor or grantor restriction expires – that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends, or the stated purpose restriction is accomplished – donor / grantor restricted net assets are reclassified to net assets without donor restriction and reported in the Statement of Activities as net assets released from restrictions.

Contributions are recognized when cash, securities or other assets, an unconditional promise to give, or notification of a beneficial interest is received. Unconditional promises to give expected to be collected within one year are reflected as current contributions and are recorded at their net realizable value. Unconditional promises to give expected to be collected in future years are initially recorded at fair value using present value techniques incorporating risk-adjusted discount rates designed to reflect the assumptions market participants would use in pricing the asset. In subsequent years, amortization of the discounts is included in contribution revenue in the Statement of Activities. Conditional promises to give are not recognized until the conditions on which they depend have been substantially met.

Non-monetary contributions of goods and services are recorded at their fair values in the period received. Donated services are recorded at their fair values in the period received, provided that such services either create or enhance non-financial assets or the services are considered "professional" services which the Organization would otherwise be required to purchase. Donated fixed assets are recorded at fair value when received and reflected in these financial statements as contribution revenue and an addition to fixed assets. Nonmonetary donations are recognized as revenue and offsetting expense or asset, depending on the nature of such support received.

#### Gunnison Crested Butte Tourism Association (A Colorado Non-Profit Corporation) Notes to the Financial Statements December 31, 2022 (continued)

## 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Principles (continued)

## I. Comparative Information

The financial statements include certain prior year comparative information. Such information does not include sufficient detail to constitute a presentation in conformity to U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. Accordingly, such information should be read in conjunction with the Association's financial statements for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2021, from which the comparative totals were derived.

## J. Net Assets

Net assets, revenues, gains, and losses are classified based on the existence or absence of donor- or grantor-imposed restrictions. Accordingly, net assets and charges therein are classified and reported as follows:

*Net Assets Without Donor Restrictions* – Net assets available for use in general operations and not subject to donor (or certain grantor) restrictions.

*Net Assets with Donor Restrictions* – Net assets subject to donor- (or certain grantor-) imposed restrictions. Some donor-imposed restrictions are temporary in nature, such as those that will be met by the passage of time or other events specified by the donor. Other donor-imposed restrictions are perpetual in nature, where the donor stipulates that resources be maintained in perpetuity. Donor-imposed restrictions are released when a restriction expires, that is, when the stipulated time has elapsed, when the stipulated purpose for which the resource was restricted has been fulfilled, or both.

## K. Subsequent Event

Management has evaluated subsequent events through July 27, 2023, the date these financial statements were available to be issued.

#### 3. **Property and Equipment**

The Association had the following property and equipment:

Property and Equipment:	
Furniture	\$ 528
Subtotal	528
Less accumulated depreciation	 (528)
Total Property and Equipment	\$ -

Property and equipment are recorded at cost when purchased or at fair value at the date of gift. Depreciation is provided on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of the assets when placed in service. Furniture and equipment are depreciated over five years.

#### Gunnison Crested Butte Tourism Association (A Colorado Non-Profit Corporation) Notes to the Financial Statements December 31, 2022 (continued)

#### 4. Revenue from Contracts with Customers

For the year ended December 31, 2022, revenue recognized for goods transferred or performance obligations met at a point in time were \$83,165. There were no revenues recognized for goods transferred or performance obligations met over time during 2022. Revenues may be affected by general economic conditions and inflationary pressures. Revenues are primarily collected from revenues at the ICELab.

## 5. Concentration of Revenue

The Association received approximately 94% in 2022 and 94% in 2021 from the Gunnison Valley Local Marketing District.

## 6. Classification of Net Assets and Net Assets Released from Restriction

During the year ended December 31, 2022, the Association did not have any restricted net assets or assets released from restrictions. At December 31, 2022 the Association had assets without donor restrictions of \$308,644.

## 7. Liquidity and Availability of Resources

The Association's net assets consist of donor-restricted amounts and amounts without donor restrictions. The Association's investment policy and liquidity management is structured around short-term investments. The financial assets available within one year from December 31, 2022 for general expenditures are as follows:

Cash and cash equivalents	equivalents \$ 393,478		
Accounts receivable		9,601	
Total	\$	403,079	

## 8. Concentration of Credit Risk

Financial instruments that potentially subject the Association to concentration of credit risk consist principally of cash deposits. Accounts at each institution are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC") up to \$250,000 per institution. At December 31, 2022, the Association had \$165,055 of cash in excess of the FDIC limit compared to \$0 at December 31, 2021.

#### Gunnison Crested Butte Tourism Association Schedule of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Assets Budget and Actual Comparison For the Year Ended December 31, 2022 With Comparative Totals for 2021

	2022			2021	
	Original & Final		Variance Positive		
	Budget	Actual	(Negative)	Actual	
Revenues:					
Local marketing district	3,392,500	3,200,000	(192,500)	2,390,591	
Grant revenue and program funding	-	111,000	111,000	70,000	
ICELab	-	83,165	83,165	52,479	
Interest income	-	6	6	19	
Other Income	-	-		31,687	
Total Revenues	3,392,500	3,394,171	1,671	2,544,776	
Expenses:					
Administrative:					
Miscellaneous expense	40,400	41,641	(1,241)	44,648	
Total Administration	40,400	41,641	(1,241)	44,648	
Tourism promotion:					
Research	126,450	59,850	66,600	168,560	
Visitor Center	150,000	58,089	91,911	50,000	
Travel and tradeshows	132,900	79,281	53,619	48,546	
Website and apps	70,400	47,488	22,912	69,501	
Public land experience	113,500	136,926	(23,426)	120,374	
Special projects	885,900	737,497	148,403	133,517	
Total Tourism promotion	1,479,150	1,119,131	360,019	590,498	
Media:					
Electronic media	359,480	919,915	(560,435)	473,743	
Print media	13,100	14,328	(1,228)	64,924	
Social media	288,480	176,527	111,953	192,048	
Media management	-	-	-	4,500	
Creative productions	250,800	229,815	20,985	213,621	
Air specific media	286,380	-	286,380	374,829	
Total Media	1,198,240	1,340,585	(142,345)	1,323,665	
IceLab:					
TAPP grant expense	100,000	107,199	(7,199)	107,730	
Total Media	100,000	107,199	(7,199)	107,730	
Contractors:			- /		
Contract services	798,363	726,411	71,952	643,826	
Total Contractors	798,363	726,411	71,952	643,826	
Total Expense	3,616,153	3,334,967	281,186	2,710,367	
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Net Assets - Beginning of Year		249,440		415,031	
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