

**GLOBAL PEACE NETWORK**

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**January 31, 2023**

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**REVIEW ENGAGEMENT REPORT**

To the Board of Directors of  
Global Peace Network

We have reviewed the accompanying financial statements of Global Peace Network that comprise the statement of financial position as at January 31, 2023, and the statements of operations, changes in net assets and cash flows for the year then ended, as well as a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

***Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements***

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

***Practitioner's Responsibility***

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the accompanying financial statements based on our review. We conducted our review in accordance with Canadian generally accepted standards for review engagements, which require us to comply with relevant ethical requirements.

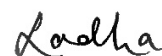
A review of financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted standards for review engagements is a limited assurance engagement. The practitioner performs procedures, primarily consisting of making inquiries of management and others within the entity, as appropriate, and applying analytical procedures, and evaluates the evidence obtained.

The procedures performed in a review are substantially less in extent than, and vary in nature from, those performed in an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion on these financial statements.

***Conclusion***

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention causing us to believe that the financial statements do not present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Global Peace Network as at January 31, 2023, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

Vancouver, B.C.  
August 22, 2023



Chartered Professional Accountants

**GLOBAL PEACE NETWORK**  
**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION**  
**As at January 31, 2023**

	Operating Fund	Grant Fund	Education Fund	Clinic Fund	Total January 31, 2023	Total January 31, 2022
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 3,457	\$ 80,166	\$ 15,587	\$ 22	\$ 99,232	\$ 121,586
	<b>\$ 3,457</b>	<b>\$ 80,166</b>	<b>\$ 15,587</b>	<b>\$ 22</b>	<b>\$ 99,232</b>	<b>\$ 121,586</b>
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>						
Accrued expenses	788	1,574	788	-	3,150	3,150
	788	1,574	788	-	3,150	3,150
<b>FUND BALANCES</b>						
Restricted funds	-	78,592	14,799	22	93,413	118,422
Unrestricted funds	2,669	-	-	-	2,669	14
	2,669	78,592	14,799	22	96,082	118,436
	<b>\$ 3,457</b>	<b>\$ 80,166</b>	<b>\$ 15,587</b>	<b>\$ 22</b>	<b>\$ 99,232</b>	<b>\$ 121,586</b>

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

**Approved on behalf of the Board:**

*Brian Stephen Rudgell*

**Director**

**Director**

# **GLOBAL PEACE NETWORK**

## **STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES**

For the year ended January 31, 2023

	Operating Fund		Grant Fund		Education Fund		Clinic Fund	
	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022
<b>REVENUE</b>								
Grant (Note 4)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 12,923	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Donations	4,590	1,425	-	-	10,700	15,371	-	-
Foreign exchange gain (loss)	-	-	4,346	(617)	-	-	-	-
Interest	-	-	33	36	-	-	-	-
	4,590	1,425	4,379	12,342	10,700	15,371	-	-
<b>EXPENSES</b>								
Accounting	500	250	2,150	2,400	500	500	-	-
Fundraising deficit	-	-	875	-	-	-	-	-
Honorarium	-	-	1,900	-	-	-	-	-
Local project salary	-	-	-	2,506	-	-	-	-
Office and administration	161	3	2,523	350	-	-	-	-
Student tuition and education	-	-	11,784	21,853	11,357	6,666	-	-
Travel, boarding and lodging	-	427	10,273	-	-	-	-	-
	661	680	29,505	27,109	11,857	7,166	-	-
<b>EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE</b>								
<b>OVER EXPENSES</b>	3,929	745	(25,126)	(14,767)	(1,157)	8,205	-	-
<b>FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR</b>	14	(731)	103,718	118,485	14,682	6,477	22	22
<b>INTER-FUND TRANSFERS (Note 5)</b>	(1,274)	-	-	-	1,274	-	-	-
<b>FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR</b>	<b>\$ 2,669</b>	<b>\$ 14</b>	<b>\$ 78,592</b>	<b>\$ 103,718</b>	<b>\$ 14,799</b>	<b>\$ 14,682</b>	<b>\$ 22</b>	<b>\$ 22</b>

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## STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the year ended January 31, 2023

	Operating Fund		Grant Fund		Education Fund		Clinic Fund	
	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022
<b>SOURCES OF CASH</b>								
Grant	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 12,923	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Donations	4,590	1,425	-	-	10,700	15,371	-	-
Foreign exchange gain (loss)	-	-	4,346	(617)	-	-	-	-
Interest	-	-	33	36	-	-	-	-
	4,590	1,425	4,379	12,342	10,700	15,371	-	-
<b>USES OF CASH</b>								
<b>Operations</b>								
Accounting	500	250	2,150	2,400	500	500	-	-
Administration	-	-	-	21,853	-	6,666	-	-
Fundraising deficit	-	-	875	-	-	-	-	-
Office and administration	161	3	2,523	350	-	-	-	-
Student tuition and education	-	-	13,684	-	11,357	-	-	-
Travel, boarding and lodging	-	427	10,273	2,506	-	-	-	-
	661	680	29,505	27,109	11,857	7,166	-	-
<b>Financing</b>								
Cash transfers from (to) other funds	(1,274)	-	-	-	1,274	-	-	-
	(1,274)	-	-	-	1,274	-	-	-
<b>NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH</b>	<b>2,655</b>	<b>745</b>	<b>(25,126)</b>	<b>(14,767)</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>8,205</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF YEAR</b>	<b>802</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>105,292</b>	<b>120,059</b>	<b>15,470</b>	<b>7,265</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF YEAR</b>	<b>\$ 3,457</b>	<b>\$ 802</b>	<b>\$ 80,166</b>	<b>\$ 105,292</b>	<b>\$ 15,587</b>	<b>\$ 15,470</b>	<b>\$ 22</b>	<b>\$ 22</b>

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## **GLOBAL PEACE NETWORK**

### **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**January 31, 2023**

#### **1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS**

Global Peace Network ('GPN') is a registered Canadian charity. It is also a federally incorporated entity (without share capital) under the *Canada Not-for-profit Corporations Act*. GPN is exempt from federal and provincial corporate income taxes under paragraph 149(1)(f) of the *Income Tax Act* and able to issue donation receipts for income tax purposes.

GPN assists displaced and homeless children in rural Tanzania, providing them with shelter, education, food aid, and medical care. GPN also provides on-line learning, tutorials, and mentoring for local Tanzanian health care providers. GPN's head office is in Toronto, Ontario.

#### **2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

##### **Basis of accounting**

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations (ASNPO) and include the following significant accounting policies:

##### **Foreign Exchange Translation**

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the year-end exchange rates. Revenue and expenses are translated into Canadian currency at rates of exchange prevailing on the transaction dates. All the exchange gains or losses resulting from these transactions are recognized in the statement of operations.

##### **Fund accounting**

GPN follows the restricted fund method of accounting for all contributions. Funds received for a specific purpose are segregated and used for the purpose for which they were provided. The funds have been classified as follows:

- a. Operating Fund: Revenues from donations and fundraising activities as well as expenses relating to delivery of services and administration are reported in the operating fund.
- b. Grant Fund: This is a restricted fund created to carry out projects from grants received from external institutions and charitable organizations.
- c. Education Fund: This fund is an internally restricted fund created to fund projects associated with access to education, delivery of shelter, medical care and food and supplies for students.
- d. Clinic Fund: This fund comprises of revenue and donations used to assist with the operating expenses of community medical clinics.

##### **Cash and cash equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents consist of cash held at Canadian banks in Canadian and US dollar accounts.

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#### **2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES** *(continued)*

##### **Revenue Recognition**

Revenue is recognized as revenue of the respective segregated fund in the year it is received or receivable if the amount to be recorded can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured. Specifically,

- a. Donations and funding from institutions and charitable organizations are recognized as revenue upon receipt in the year they are received or receivable. Revenue having restrictions as to its use is recognized as revenue of a separately designated fund account.
- b. Donations and funds received from fundraising events are recorded in the operating account, when received, on net basis (cash receipts, net of event expenses).
- c. Interest earned on fund balances is recognized as revenue in the fund that earned and received the interest.

##### **Financial instruments**

GPN initially measures its financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value and subsequently measures all its financial assets and financial liabilities at amortized cost. Changes in fair value are recognized in the statement of revenue and expenses.

Financial liabilities measured at amortized cost include accruals. The estimated fair value of the accruals approximates the cost due to the relatively short-term nature of the accruals.

##### **Contributed services**

Members of the board of directors of GPN and others contribute undetermined voluntary hours to the organization's administrative and operational functions. Because of the difficulty in determining the fair value of their contribution, contributed services are not recognized in the financial statements, unless paid out as honorariums, in which case the payments would be recorded as such.

##### **Use of estimates**

The preparation of financial statements according to ASNPO requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and:

- a. Reported amounts of income and expenses;
- b. Reported amounts of assets and liabilities; and
- c. Disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities.

Management's estimates and assumptions are based on a number of factors, including availability of information from its field offices and nature of transactions entered at the field offices. Actual results could differ from those estimates. Items subject to such estimates and assumptions include determination of exchange rates for translating foreign currency transactions and allocation of expenses between funds.



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#### **3. ALLOCATION OF EXPENSES**

GPN engages in medical, educational, and grant-specified projects. These projects are supported by specific financial resources provided to the respective projects and by resources provided to the operating fund. GPN incurs certain shared operating expenses which are allocated to specific projects by identifying the appropriate basis of allocating these expenses and applies that basis consistently each year. For the year ended January 31, 2023, the cost of external accounting has been allocated from the operating fund to the education and grant-specified projects based on the project activities.

#### **4. GRANTS**

In 2019 GPN was awarded a three-year grant totalling US\$225,125 from an overseas organization under an agreement to support the establishment of a National Network of Musculoskeletal Rehabilitation Facilities in Tanzania. During 2020 and 2021, GPN received a total of US\$153,675 (CAD \$208,718) under the above grant agreement. The balance of the grant, US\$71,450, that was due to be released in March 2022 will not be disbursed to GPN by mutual agreement until such time when GPN field volunteers return to work in Tanzania.

#### **5. INTER-FUND TRANSFERS**

Transfers between the funds are made as and when necessary, to ensure that adequate resources are available in the respective funds to carry out project work. Transfers during the year were as follows:

	<b>Operating Fund</b>		<b>Education Fund</b>		<b>Grant Fund</b>	
	<b>2023</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2022</b>
Transfers						
To (from)	\$ (1,274)	\$ -	\$ 1,274	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
	\$ (1,274)	\$ -	\$ 1,274	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

#### **6. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS**

GPN uses risk management to monitor and manage its risk arising from financial instruments. These risks include currency risk, credit risk, liquidity risk, and interest rate risk.

##### **Currency risk**

Currency risk arises from transacting and holding currencies that are denominated in foreign currencies. GPN reduces its exposure to currency fluctuations by maintaining a US dollar bank account from which it funds all its foreign charitable work.

##### **Credit risk**

Credit risks arise from the potential that a counter party will fail to perform its obligations. Exposure to credit risks associated with GPN's cash resources is limited by holding the cash at a reputable bank.

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#### **6. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS *(continued)***

##### **Liquidity risk**

Liquidity risk exposure is dependent on GPN's ability to fulfill its financial obligations to its charitable endeavours, given the adequacy of its cash resources and timely receipt of donations and institutional funds each year. Management believes that it is not exposed to significant liquidity risk as it continually monitors and adjusts operations as required to mitigate potential liquidity risks.

##### **Interest rate risk**

Interest rate risk refers to the risk of interest rate fluctuations to financial instruments such as cash in bank and finance loans. GPN is not exposed to the interest rate risk as it does not rely on interest earned to fund its projects nor does it rely on borrowing to fund its operations.