## Rocky Mountain Public Media, Inc.

Consolidated Financial Report with Supplemental Information June 30, 2024

## Rocky Mountain Public Media, Inc.

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### **Independent Auditor's Report**

To the Board of Directors Rocky Mountain Public Media, Inc.

#### **Opinion**

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Rocky Mountain Public Media, Inc. and its subsidiaries (the "Network"), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as of June 30, 2024 and 2023 and the related consolidated statements of activities and changes in net assets, functional expenses, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Network as of June 30, 2024 and 2023 and the changes in its net assets, functional expenses, and cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities* for the Audits of the Consolidated Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Network and to meet our ethical responsibilities in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. 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 Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America and for 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 Network's ability to continue as a going concern within one year after the date that the consolidated financial statements are issued or available to be issued.

### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audits 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 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 audits 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.



To the Board of Directors Rocky Mountain Public Media, Inc.

In performing audits in accordance with GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audits.
- 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 audits 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 Network'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 consolidated financial
  statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Network'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 audits, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audits.

Plante & Moran, PLLC

December 12, 2024

## Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

June	30.	2024	and	2023
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		2024		2023
Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents Restricted cash	\$	11,006,262 105,722	\$	13,304,866 42,880
Receivables - Net of allowances: Program underwriting and fees Contributions, grants, and other Capital campaign pledges receivable (Notes 5 and 6) Related party receivable (Note 17)		454,676 2,738,013 32,147 536,150		334,060 2,879,059 189,031 504,061
Total receivables - Net of allowances		3,760,986		3,906,211
Program inventory Investments (Notes 7 and 8) Operating license Prepaid expenses and other assets Loans and notes receivable (Notes 5 and 9) Investments in subsidiaries Right-of-use operating lease assets - Net Finance lease assets - Net Beneficial interest in trusts (Note 8) Property and equipment - Net (Note 10)		146,551 15,451,886 53,017 579,432 6,690,000 23,503 2,809,364 78,314 146,627 36,408,003		126,613 13,332,329 53,017 441,195 6,690,000 23,503 3,298,323 128,235 140,183 37,309,111
Total assets	\$	77,259,667	\$	78,796,466
Liabilities and Net Assets				
Liabilities  Accounts payable Deferred revenue: Refundable advances Deferred revenue - Program underwriting Accrued expenses Lease liabilities - Operating (Note 14) Lease liabilities - Finance (Note 14) Notes payable - Net (Note 11)	\$	457,043 32,587 100,252 1,547,279 2,999,197 78,981 10,525,198	\$	39,030 325,330 1,400,679 3,410,118 128,707 10,311,230
Total liabilities		15,740,537		15,923,938
Net Assets Without donor restrictions With donor restrictions (Note 12)		56,442,470 5,076,660		57,611,621 5,260,907
Total net assets	_	61,519,130	_	62,872,528
Total liabilities and net assets	\$	77,259,667	\$	78,796,466

# Consolidated Statement of Activities and Changes in Net Assets

### **Years Ended June 30, 2024 and 2023**

		2024			2023				
	Without Donor	With Donor			Without Donor	With Donor			
	Restrictions	Restrictions		Total	Restrictions	Restrictions	Total		
Revenue, Gains, and Other Support									
Membership	\$ 11,051,049	\$ -		1,051,049		\$ -	\$ 11,798,985		
Underwriting	1,811,991	-		1,811,991	2,271,458	-	2,271,458		
Bequests Other gifts	2,051,764	- 1 527 500		2,051,764	1,937,277	- 2 E01 02E	1,937,277		
Other gifts Corporation for Public Broadcasting	2,179,626	1,537,500	3	3,717,126	1,649,939	3,581,835	5,231,774		
grants	2,829,626	_	2	2,829,626	2,611,285	_	2,611,285		
Other grants	267,929	320,000	_	587,929	401,097	777,000	1,178,097		
In-kind donations (Note 18)	712,649	, <u>-</u>		712,649	497,814	· -	497,814		
Rental, production, and other	370,698	-		370,698	278,500	-	278,500		
Special event revenue - Net	123,519	-		123,519	117,271	-	117,271		
Change in value of split-interest					40.000		40.000		
agreements	6,444	(0.004.404)		6,444	12,892	(070.050)	12,892		
Net assets released from restrictions	2,231,121	(2,231,121)			979,958	(979,958)			
Total revenue, gains,									
and other support	23,636,416	(373,621)	23	3,262,795	22,556,476	3,378,877	25,935,353		
Expenses									
Program services:									
Programming and production	10,293,593	_	10	0,293,593	8,786,257	_	8,786,257		
Broadcasting	3,720,308	-		3,720,308	3,220,565	-	3,220,565		
Public information	2,326,759		2	2,326,759	1,510,317		1,510,317		
Total program services	16,340,660	-	16	5,340,660	13,517,139	-	13,517,139		
Support services:									
Management and general	2,601,983	_	2	2,601,983	3,718,301	_	3,718,301		
Fundraising and development	4,445,301	-		1,445,301	4,169,016	-	4,169,016		
Underwriting	1,401,788	-		1,401,788	1,052,430	-	1,052,430		
Total support services	8,449,072		8	3,449,072	8,939,747		8,939,747		
Total expenses	24,789,732		24	1,789,732	22,456,886		22,456,886		
Change in Net Assets - Before									
nonoperating (expense) income	(1,153,316)	(373,621)	(1	1,526,937)	99,590	3,378,877	3,478,467		
Nonoperating (Expense) Income									
Depreciation and amortization	(1,711,354)	-	(1	1,711,354)	(1,647,550)	-	(1,647,550)		
Investment income - Net (Note 7)	1,745,440	189,374	1	1,934,814	1,235,901	133,164	1,369,065		
Gain on sale/disposal of property and									
equipment	(40.004)	-		(40.004)	770,972	-	770,972		
Finance lease asset amortization	(49,921)			(49,921)	(18,785)		(18,785)		
Total nonoperating									
(expense) income	(15,835)	189,374		173,539	340,538	133,164	473,702		
Change in Net Assets	(1,169,151)	(184,247)	(1	1,353,398)	440,128	3,512,041	3,952,169		
Net Assets - Beginning of year	57,611,621	5,260,907	62	2,872,528	57,171,493	1,748,866	58,920,359		
Net Assets - End of year	\$ 56,442,470	\$ 5,076,660	\$ 61	1,519,130	\$ 57,611,621	\$ 5,260,907	\$ 62,872,528		

## Consolidated Statement of Functional Expenses

	F	Program Service	S				
	Programming and Production	Broadcasting	Public Information	Management and General	Fundraising and Development Ui	nderwriting	Total
Personnel and payroll taxes Program acquisitions Professional services Mailing and shipping Printing and duplicating Building, distribution, and software Building rent Subscriptions, dues, and licenses Premiums, advertising, and promotions Supplies and videotapes Travel, parking, and mileage Insurance Interest and bank fees Trainings and meetings Repairs and maintenance Special events costs netted against special event revenue	\$ 4,843,542 3,103,405 591,084 13,322 4,161 302,895 20,928 451,984 371,225 95,616 120,079 321,930 - 27,914 25,508	\$ 1,443,941 - 578,460 7,364 15,618 1,094,343 46,128 236,638 5,777 86,052 40,202 74,492 2,308 12,467 76,518	\$ 1,676,054 - 251,822 31 6,745 13,637 - 107,792 165,832 48,211 8,186 12,784 - 34,736 929	\$ 1,543,768 - 431,687 3,350 63 229,231 4,794 38,860 7,500 24,040 37,800 30,234 88,215 146,551 14,240	\$ 1,537,973 \$ - 1,130,541 620,245 4,975 28,497 - 305,308 288,118 6,263 12,698 25,004 448,208 35,656	1,007,504 \$ - 43,771 13 - 27,175 - 49,607 224,230 2,841 1,719 25,761 4,091 10,654 1,872	12,052,782 3,103,405 3,027,365 644,325 31,562 1,695,778 71,850 1,190,189 1,062,682 263,023 220,684 490,205 542,822 267,978 120,882
Bad debt				1,650		2,550	4,200
Total functional expenses before depreciation and amortization	10,293,593	3,720,308	2,326,759	2,601,983		1,401,788	24,950,658
Depreciation and amortization Finance lease asset amortization	736,668	494,898 49,921	28,663	320,456	65,465 	65,204 	1,711,354 49,921
Total functional expenses	\$ 11,030,261	\$ 4,265,127	\$ 2,355,422	\$ 2,922,439	\$ 4,671,692 \$	1,466,992 \$	26,711,933

## Consolidated Statement of Functional Expenses

		Program Service	S				
					Fundraising		
	Programming		Public	Management	and		
	and Production	Broadcasting	Information	and General	Development	Underwriting	Total
Personnel and payroll taxes	\$ 4,429,611	\$ 1,209,870	\$ 1,113,820	\$ 1,969,086	\$ 1,124,139	\$ 920,660 \$	10,767,186
Program acquisitions	2,832,389	· · · · · -	· , , , , -	· , , , -	· , , ,	·	2,832,389
Professional services	435,004	305,493	66,564	708,912	1,151,910	8,800	2,676,683
Mailing and shipping	7,001	7,573	25	2,453		· -	656,834
Printing and duplicating	22,639	11,328	5,048	1,704	25,136	116	65,971
Building, distribution, and software	159,393	1,079,766	6,082	396,040	14,943	14,357	1,670,581
Building rent	5,789	-	250	57,895	-	-	63,934
Subscriptions, dues, and licenses	347,251	195,137	62,354	132,230	310,108	50,364	1,097,444
Premiums, advertising, and promotions	77,368	1,627	221,219	840	367,926	-	668,980
Supplies and videotapes	63,835	127,679	5,818	24,857		286	239,140
Travel, parking, and mileage	48,893	32,245	11,482	86,262	2,226	3,930	185,038
Insurance	247,698	59,520	8,769	33,490		21,358	392,645
Interest and bank fees	-	1,247	-	88,256	391,205	3,114	483,822
Training and meetings	85,924	10,210	7,949	192,437	83,456	8,378	388,354
Repairs and maintenance	23,462	177,651	937	23,839	2,282	2,254	230,425
Special events costs netted against							
special event revenue	-	-	-	-	99,292	-	99,292
Bad debt		1,219			17,428	18,813	37,460
Total functional expenses before							
depreciation and amortization	8,786,257	3,220,565	1,510,317	3,718,301	4,268,308	1,052,430	22,556,178
Depreciation and amortization	724,205	439,307	26,138	328,911	65,006	63,983	1,647,550
Finance lease asset amortization		18,785		· <u>-</u>	<u> </u>		18,785
Total functional expenses	\$ 9,510,462	\$ 3,678,657	\$ 1,536,455	\$ 4,047,212	\$ 4,333,314	\$ 1,116,413 <u>\$</u>	24,222,513

## Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

### Years Ended June 30, 2024 and 2023

		2024		2023
Cash Flows from Operating Activities				
(Decrease) increase in net assets	\$	(1,353,398)	\$	3,952,169
Adjustments to reconcile (decrease) increase in net assets to net cash, cash		,		, ,
equivalents, and restricted cash from operating activities:				
Depreciation and amortization		1,711,354		1,647,550
Amortization of right-of-use operating lease assets		488,959		481,245
Gain on sale of property and equipment		-		(770,972)
Finance lease interest expense		2,341		1,248
Amortization of finance lease assets		49,921		18,785
Realized and unrealized (gains) losses on investments		(1,386,712)		955,652
Change in allowance for doubtful accounts		- (6.444)		(32,238)
Change in value of split-interest agreements		(6,444)		(12,892)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities that provided (used) cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash:				
Receivables		145,225		77,960
Program inventory		(19,938)		(5,853)
Prepaid expenses and other assets		(138,237)		7,002
Accounts payable		148,199		17,311
Accrued expenses		146,600		84,067
Deferred revenue		(231,521)		(116,346)
Operating lease liabilities		(429,768)		(474,437)
Operating loade habilities		(423,700)		(474,407)
Net cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash (used in) provided				
by operating activities		(873,419)		5,830,251
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Cash Flows from Investing Activities		(500.040)		(040.005)
Purchase of property and equipment		(590,646)		(618,665)
Proceeds from disposition of property and equipment		(4.500.040)		1,283,390
Purchases of investments		(1,529,649)		(3,011,101)
Proceeds from sales and maturities of investments		796,804		797,798
Net cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash used in investing				
activities		(1,323,491)		(1,548,578)
adimido		(1,020,101)		(1,010,010)
Cash Flows from Financing Activities				
Payments on notes payable		(5,632)		(501,458)
Payments on finance lease		(33,220)		(19,561 <u>)</u>
Net each each annivelents and restricted each weed in financing				
Net cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash used in financing		(38,852)		(E24.040)
activities		(30,032)		(521,019)
Net (Decrease) Increase in Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Restricted Cash		(2,235,762)		3,760,654
Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Restricted Cash - Beginning of year		13,347,746		9,587,092
Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Restricted Cash - End of year	\$	11,111,984	\$	13,347,746
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Consolidated Statement of Financial Position Classification of Cash, Cash				
Equivalents, and Restricted Cash	ф	44 000 000	Φ	40 004 000
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	11,006,262	Ф	13,304,866
Restricted cash		105,722		42,880
Total cook cook assistants and acceptable describe	\$	11,111,984	\$	13,347,746
Total cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash	<u> </u>	,,	<del>-</del>	, ,
Supplemental Cash Flow Information - Interest paid	\$	79,171	\$	83,367

June 30, 2024 and 2023

### Note 1 - Nature of Business

Rocky Mountain Public Media, Inc. (the "Network"), a nonprofit corporation, was founded in 1956 to manage Denver Public Schools' educational television station, KRMA-TV. In 1987, the Network spun off from the school district and obtained a community license from the FCC to operate KRMA-TV as a public broadcasting station under the name Rocky Mountain Public Broadcasting Network, Inc. In 1998, the Network began broadcast operations from Grand Junction, Colorado as KRMJ in partnership with Colorado Mesa University; in 2001, the Network began broadcasting from Pueblo, Colorado as KTSC after acquiring the station from Colorado State University in Pueblo; in 2005, the Network began broadcasting from Durango, Colorado as KRMU; and, in 2007, the Network began broadcasting from Steamboat Springs, Colorado as KRMZ, one of the first digital-only television stations in the country. On September 22, 2016, the articles of incorporation were amended, and the Network's name was changed to Rocky Mountain Public Media, Inc.

On January 1, 2013, the Network merged with I-News in order to increase the news coverage provided to Coloradans. Seven months later, the Network merged with KUVO/Denver Educational Broadcasting and began public radio broadcasting. Each of the acquisitions was strategic in increasing the Network's ability to enrich the lives of Coloradans through engaging and essential programs, services, and community partnerships that inform, enlighten, and entertain. By increasing reach digitally and terrestrially, the Network continues its commitment to education, arts, culture, public service journalism, and educational content available on more platforms than ever before. The Network airs seven hours of award-winning quality programming for children every day and reaches 98 percent of Colorado homes with a free, overthe-air signal.

The Network expanded its broadcasting through the purchase of a new translator to broadcast THE DROP, an urban alternative FM radio station, in the metro-Denver area. The purchase was executed on November 25, 2020. THE DROP, one of public media's first and only Hip Hop/R&B stations, started as a digital-only station in 2019. Digital natives found THE DROP and built a loyal following prior to the purchase of the translator, allowing expanded access onto the radio dial on 104.7 FM in Denver, Aurora, and the surrounding areas. To date, THE DROP is one of the fastest growing radio stations in Colorado, working to co-create programming alongside the communities served, communities that are not often engaged through public media. For financial statement purposes, business activities for THE DROP fall under KUVO, LLC, which is the entity for the Network's radio operations.

In addition to providing engaging and educational content on a variety of platforms, the Network operates regional locations in Colorado Springs, Fruita, Pueblo, and Durango to bring civic dialogue to life through community screenings of thought-provoking dialogue and family-centered Science Nights and the Kids Fun Fest, and it partners with other nonprofits to provide educational content to the community.

### **Note 2 - Significant Accounting Policies**

#### **Principles of Consolidation**

The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Network; Rocky Mountain PBS, a separate nonprofit public television organization that includes I-News, its wholly owned subsidiary; RMPB Ventures, Inc., a separate for-profit organization established in June 1997; and KUVO, LLC, a separate nonprofit public radio organization. There was no significant operating activity in RMPB Ventures, Inc. during the years ended June 30, 2024 or 2023, and the entity was dissolved as of June 30, 2024. As a result of the dissolution, Rocky Mountain PBS provided forgiveness for the outstanding intercompany payable.

The financial statements also include the accounts of the Network's wholly owned subsidiary, Rocky Mountain Public Media QALICB, Inc. (RMPM QALICB) since its incorporation on September 21, 2018 as a Colorado nonprofit corporation and a Section 509(a)(3) supporting organization of the Network, including its activity starting on or about October 30, 2018 as part of the New Markets Tax Credit financing for the Buell Public Media Center, as discussed in Note 5.

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### **Note 2 - Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)**

All material intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

#### Basis of Presentation

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). Management also follows the Corporation for Public Broadcasting's publication, *Principles of Accounting and Financial Reporting for Public Telecommunication Entities*, which follows U.S. GAAP and promotes consistency in financial reporting among public broadcasting entities.

#### Classification of Net Assets

Net assets of the Network are classified based on the presence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions.

Net assets without donor restrictions: Net assets that are not subject to donor-imposed restrictions or for which the donor-imposed restrictions have expired or been fulfilled. Net assets in this category may be expended for any purpose in performing the primary objectives of the Network.

Net assets with donor restrictions: Net assets subject to stipulations imposed by donors and grantors. Some donor restrictions are temporary in nature; those restrictions will be met by actions of the Network or by the passage of time. Other donor restrictions are perpetual in nature, where the donor has stipulated the funds be maintained in perpetuity.

Earnings, gains, and losses on donor-restricted net assets are classified as net assets without donor restrictions unless specifically restricted by the donor or by applicable state law.

#### Cash Equivalents

The Network considers all investments with an original maturity of three months or less when purchased to be cash equivalents. The Network continually monitors its positions with, and the credit quality of, the financial institutions with which it invests. Financial instruments that potentially subject the Network to concentrations of credit risk consist principally of cash in excess of FDIC limits, temporary cash investments, investment securities, program underwriting and fees receivable, and pledges receivable.

#### Investments

Investments in limited liability companies (LLCs) and limited partnerships (LPs) in which the Network has more than a minor interest (generally 3 to 5 percent) are accounted for using the equity method. Under the equity method, the investment is carried at cost, adjusted for the Network's proportionate share of undistributed earnings or losses. Impairment losses due to a decline in the value of the investment that is other than temporary are recognized when incurred. No impairment losses were recognized for 2024 and 2023.

Investment securities are classified based on the Network's intent with respect to holding securities.

Debt and equity securities are purchased and held principally for the purpose of selling them in the near term and are reported at fair value, with unrealized gains and losses included in earnings.

#### Notes Receivable

Notes receivable are reported at the outstanding principal balance. Interest is accrued on the unpaid principal balance according to the terms of the specific note.

June 30, 2024 and 2023

### **Note 2 - Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)**

An allowance for credit losses is established for amounts expected to be uncollectible over the contractual life of the note receivable. Because the Network's note receivable is only with one borrower, the Network monitors credit quality through an assessment of the specific borrower, rather than utilizing a credit quality indicator statistic for monitoring purposes. The Network determines its allowance using an expected loss model that considers the Network's actual historical loss rates, as well as prevailing loss rates for the NMTC program, adjusted for current economic conditions and reasonable and supportable forecasts. The Network considers the estimated value of any underlying collateral and prevailing economic conditions when making adjustments for reasonable and supportable forecasts. Uncollectible amounts are written off against the allowance for credit losses in the period they are determined to be uncollectible. Recoveries of amounts previously written off are recognized when received. Notes are considered delinquent if the repayment terms are not met. There is no allowance for credit losses as of June 30, 2024 and 2023.

The accrual of interest on notes receivable is discontinued at the time the note is considered delinquent unless the credit is well-secured and in process of collection. In all cases, notes receivable are placed on nonaccrual or charged off at an earlier date if collection of principal or interest is considered doubtful.

#### Contribution Revenue

Membership, Corporation for Public Broadcasting grants, bequests, and other contributions are recorded as receivables and recognized as revenue when pledged. If not pledged, this revenue is recognized as revenue when received in cash. Unconditional promises to give cash and other assets to the Network are reported at fair value on the date the promise is received. Conditional promises to give and indications of intentions to give are reported at fair value on the date the gift becomes unconditional or is received.

The gifts are reported as contributions with donor restrictions if they are received with donor stipulations that limit the use of the donated assets. When a donor restriction expires, that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or the 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 and changes in net assets as net assets release from restrictions. Donor-restricted contributions whose restrictions are met within the same year as received are reported as contributions without donor restrictions in the accompanying financial statements.

Contributions receivable that are expected to be collected within one year are recorded at net realizable value. Unconditional promises to give that are expected to be collected in future years are recorded at the present value of their estimated future cash flows. Contributions, grants, and other receivables on the statement of financial position are expected to be collected within one year. The discounts on those amounts are computed using risk-free interest rates applicable to the years in which the promises are received. Amortization of the discounts is included in contribution revenue. An allowance for uncollectible contributions is provided when evidence indicates amounts promised by donors may not be collectible.

The Network began incurring costs and receiving pledges in fiscal year 2017 relating to the capital campaign. Multiyear capital campaign pledges receivable that are expected to be collected in future years are recorded at the present value of estimated future cash flows.

Conditional promises to give are not recognized as revenue until barriers prescribed by the grant or pledge agreements are overcome. The Network records cash received in advance of meeting conditions as a refundable advance on the consolidated statement of financial position.

#### **Contracts with Customers**

The Network's primary revenue streams under contracts with customers is related to underwriting contracts.

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### **Note 2 - Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)**

### **Underwriting**

The Network generates revenue from written program underwriting agreements that identify specific obligations, such as air-time broadcast or radio spots and digital impressions that are delivered on behalf of a corporate sponsor. These air-time spots and digital impressions are recognized over time as they are delivered, satisfying each performance obligation. Underwriting is billed periodically throughout the contract. In some situations, the Network bills customers and collects cash prior to the satisfaction of the performance obligation, which results in the Network recognizing deferred revenue.

Program underwriting receivables are stated at invoice amounts. The Network calculates the allowance using an expected loss model that considers the Network's actual historical loss rates adjusted for current economic conditions and reasonable and supportable forecasts. The Network considers fluctuations in past-due amounts as well as industry trends when making adjustments for reasonable and supportable forecasts. Amounts deemed to be uncollectible are charged to the provision for credit losses in the period that such a determination is made.

The Network's receivables from program underwriting were \$486,898, \$318,806, and \$253,034 as of June 30, 2024; June 30, 2023; and July 1, 2022, respectively. The balances of the Network's deferred revenue from program underwriting were \$100,252, \$325,330, and \$417,891 as of June 30, 2024; June 30, 2023; and July 1, 2022, respectively.

#### **Program Inventory**

Program contracts generally give the Network the right to broadcast programs on its television station. The full contract price is capitalized at the inception of the contract and amortized using the straight-line method over the term of the contract, usually one year to three years.

#### **Property and Equipment**

Property and equipment are recorded at cost. The straight-line method is used for computing depreciation and amortization. Assets are depreciated over their estimated useful lives ranging from 2 to 30 years. The Network capitalizes all expenditures for property and equipment in excess of \$5,000 and with a useful life exceeding one year. Costs of maintenance and repairs are charged to expense when incurred. Donated fixed assets are also capitalized at fair value at the date of donation.

The Network has capitalized costs related to transmitters, broadcasting equipment, network infrastructure, and building. Once the projects are completed, they are placed into service and depreciated.

### Long-lived Assets

Acquired long-lived assets are reviewed for potential impairment whenever events or circumstances indicate that carrying amounts may not be recoverable. Assets not subject to amortization are tested for impairment at least annually. The Network looks primarily to the undiscounted future cash flows in its assessment of whether long-lived assets have been impaired. There were no impairments at June 30, 2024 and 2023.

### In-kind and Donated Services

Certain donated services are recognized as support in the consolidated statement of activities and changes in net assets. The value of these services is determined based on estimated fair value at the date of donation. See Note 18 for more information.

A number of volunteers have donated time to the Network. As of June 30, 2024 and 2023, approximately 8,700 and 8,000, volunteer hours, respectively, were received. These values have not been included in the consolidated financial statements, as they do not meet the requirements to be recorded under accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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### **Note 2 - Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)**

#### Leases

The Network has operating leases for buildings and broadcasting equipment and finance leases for equipment. The Network recognizes expense for leases on a straight-line basis over the lease term. The Network made a policy election not to separate lease and nonlease components for buildings, broadcasting equipment, and equipment. Therefore, all payments are included in the calculation of the right-of-use operating lease asset, finance asset, and lease liability.

The Network has operating leases for buildings, broadcasting equipment, and equipment with a lease term of one year or less that the Network elected to account for as short-term leases. As these leases are short-term leases, they are not included in the right-of-use asset and lease liability. Total expense related to short-term leases was \$145,293 and \$147,925 for 2024 and 2023, respectively.

The Network elected to use the risk-free rate as the discount rate for calculating the right-of-use asset and lease liability in place of the incremental borrowing rate for buildings, broadcast equipment, and equipment.

### Functional Allocation of Expenses

Costs of providing the program and support services have been reported on a functional basis in the accompanying consolidated financial statements. The consolidated financial statements report certain categories of expenses that are attributable to more than one program or supporting function. Therefore, these expenses require allocation on a reasonable basis that is consistently applied. Costs have been allocated between the various program and support services based on estimates determined by management. Most expenses were directly assigned by management to the various functions, but personnel and payroll taxes were allocated based on estimated time and effort, and building rent and depreciation were allocated based on estimated square footage. Although the methods of allocation used are considered appropriate, other methods could be used that would produce different amounts.

### Advertising Expense

The Network uses advertising to promote its programs among the audiences it serves. Advertising expense is charged to expense during the year in which it is incurred. Advertising expense for 2024 and 2023 was \$487,411 and \$342,221, respectively.

#### Income Taxes

The Network is a not-for-profit corporation and is exempt from tax under the provisions of Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3).

RMPB Ventures, Inc. is a for-profit corporation and is subject to federal and state income taxes at the applicable corporate rates. As there were no significant operating activities in RMPB Ventures, Inc., income taxes were inconsequential for the years ended June 30, 2024 and 2023.

#### Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles 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 amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### Subsequent Events

The consolidated financial statements and related disclosures include evaluation of events up through and including December 12, 2024, which is the date the consolidated financial statements were available to be issued.

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### Note 3 - Adoption of New Accounting Pronouncement

During the year ended June 30, 2024, the Network adopted Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) Accounting Standards Update (ASU) No. 2016-13, *Financial Instruments - Credit Losses: Measurement of Credit Losses on Financial Instruments*. The ASU includes changes to the accounting and measurement of financial assets, including the Network's accounts receivable from customers and loans and notes receivable, by requiring the Network to recognize an allowance for all expected losses over the life of the financial asset at origination. This is different from the previous practice where an allowance was not recognized until the losses were considered probable. The ASU has been adopted for the year ended June 30, 2024 using a modified retrospective transition method. There was no adjustment made to beginning of year net assets as a result of this adoption.

### Note 4 - Liquidity and Availability of Resources

The following reflects the Network's financial assets, reduced by amounts not available for general use because of contractual or donor-imposed restrictions within one year of June 30:

	2024	_	2023
Cash and cash equivalents Restricted cash Receivables Investments Beneficial interest in trusts Loans and notes receivable	\$ 11,006,262 105,722 3,760,986 15,451,886 146,627 6,690,000	\$	13,304,866 42,880 3,906,211 13,332,329 140,183 6,690,000
Financial assets - At year end	37,161,483		37,416,469
Less those unavailable for general expenditures within one year due to contractual or donor-imposed restrictions and board designations: Capital campaign pledges receivable - Due in one to five years Beneficial interest in trusts, subject to an implied time restriction RMPM QALICB cash, subject to contractual restrictions for the financing of the Buell Public Media Center Other cash and notes receivable subject to contractual restrictions related to the New Markets Tax Credit financing Net assets restricted by donors	15,558 146,627 105,722 7,270,809 5,076,660		34,558 140,183 42,880 7,173,013 5,260,907
Financial assets available to meet cash needs for general expenditures within one year	\$ 24,546,107	\$	24,764,928

None of these financial assets are subject to donor or other contractual restrictions that make them unavailable for general expenditure within one year of the consolidated statement of financial position date.

The Network has a policy to structure its financial assets to be available as its general expenditures, liabilities, and other obligations come due. In addition, the Network invests cash in excess of liquidity requirements in various short-term investments.

The Network also realizes there could be unanticipated liquidity needs.

The Network has a committed line of credit in the amount of \$1,200,000 at June 30, 2024 and 2023, which it could draw upon if needed to meet general expenditure liquidity requirements, as discussed in Note 15.

The Network's available borrowing capacity through the notes payable discussed in Note 11 is contractually restricted for the Buell Public Media Center capital campaign and cannot be used to meet general expenditure liquidity requirements.

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### Note 5 - Buell Public Media Center Capital Campaign

Beginning during the year ended June 30, 2016, and completed during the year ended June 30, 2021, the Network embarked on a capital campaign. The Network is committed to being the leader in the reinvention of public media. By changing Colorado's public media landscape through an ambitious capital campaign initiative, the vision of the \$34 million Buell Public Media Center (BPMC) was realized. BPMC houses a replicable model of high-tech media collaboration, original programming, and community involvement. Key funding sources included capital campaign contributions, a land-for-land exchange agreement with the State of Colorado, sale of other land and assets, and a financing structure using New Markets Tax Credit (NMTC) and sale of tax-exempt bonds.

In order to facilitate the NMTC financing structure, the Network subdivided the Arapahoe Street property pursuant to a Planned Community Declaration for the Buell Public Media Center, and separate ownership units were created (each a "Unit"). The Network donated one of the Units to Emily Griffith Technical College (a Colorado nonprofit corporation), which contributed the Unit, plus cash, to a newly created entity, CMC QALICB, LLC (CMC QALICB) (a Colorado limited liability company), to establish a 95 percent limited membership interest. Furthermore, the Network contributed cash to establish a 5 percent membership interest in CMC QALICB, entered into an operating agreement for CMC QALICB, and accepted its role as managing member of CMC QALICB. The Network does not have control of CMC QALICB due to the participation rights held by the limited member. As such, the Network's investment in CMC QALICB is accounted for as an investment in subsidiary on the consolidated statement of financial position. CMC QALICB constructed and developed the Unit for lease to the City and County of Denver, Colorado.

The Network donated the remaining Units and predevelopment costs to another newly created entity, Rocky Mountain Public Media QALICB, Inc. (a Colorado nonprofit corporation), a wholly owned subsidiary of the Network, as described in the *Principles of Consolidation* section of Note 2. The Network's investment in RMPM QALICB was in the form of approximately \$2,483,000 of property and equipment and \$5,287,000 of cash, sourced from the capital campaign, and other sources and has been eliminated during consolidation. RMPM QALICB constructed and developed the Units for lease to RMPM, Inc.

The Network loaned the principal amount of \$6,690,000 to Rocky Mountain Investment Fund, LLC (a Delaware limited liability company). Rocky Mountain Investment Fund, LLC used these proceeds, together with other funds invested by Wells Fargo Community Investment Holdings, LLC, the NMTC tax credit investor, to fund a qualified equity investment in Rose Urban Green Sub-CDE, XVI, LLC (a Delaware limited liability company) (the "Sub-CDE"). This note receivable is described in Note 9.

Both of these QALICB entities have entered into notes payable to be provided funds to build out their portions of BPMC through qualified low-income community investment (QLICI) from the Sub-CDE. RMPM QALICB's notes payable to the Sub-CDE are described in Note 11. CMC QALICB's notes payable total \$1,960,000. These QALICB notes payable are secured by deeds of trust on the underlying property and the assignment of leases and rents. RMPM has provided a guarantee on the notes payable.

The Network broke ground on BPMC on November 29, 2018 and was placed into service on September 10, 2020. Total capitalized costs incurred by the Network toward the BPMC amounted to \$32,782,596. Total capitalized costs incurred by CMC QALICB toward the BPMC amounted to \$2,269,565. The Network raised a total of \$14,784,092 in capital contributions as of June 30, 2024.

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### Note 6 - Capital Campaign Pledges Receivable

Included in receivables are several unconditional promises to give generated from the capital campaign. They are included at June 30 as follows:

	 2024	 2023
Gross promises to give before unamortized discount Less allowance for net present value discount of approximately 3	\$ 34,558	\$ 195,558
percent	 (2,411)	(6,527)
Net contributions receivable	\$ 32,147	\$ 189,031
Amounts due in: Less than one year One to five years	\$ 19,000 15,558	\$ 161,000 34,558
Gross promises to give	\$ 34,558	\$ 195,558

### Note 7 - Investments

The details of the Network's investments at June 30 are as follows:

	2024		2023
Money market funds Fixed-income mutual funds Equity mutual funds Multistrategy mutual funds Multistrategy hedge fund Nonfungible tokens	\$ 156,569 2,077,612 10,577,875 1,763,597 876,047 186	\$	268,207 1,720,726 8,433,560 2,101,460 808,190 186
Total investments	\$ 15,451,886	\$	13,332,329
Investment return consists of the following:			
	 2024	_	2023
Dividends and interest Net realized losses Net unrealized gains Fees	\$ 594,330 (61,655) 1,448,367 (46,228)		458,572 (7,536) 963,188 (45,159)
Total investment return	\$ 1,934,814	\$	1,369,065

### Note 8 - Fair Value Measurements

Accounting standards require certain assets and liabilities be reported at fair value in the financial statements and provide a framework for establishing that fair value. The framework for determining fair value is based on a hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs and valuation techniques used to measure fair value.

Fair values determined by Level 1 inputs use quoted prices in active markets for identical assets that the Network has the ability to access.

Fair values determined by Level 2 inputs use other inputs that are observable, either directly or indirectly. These Level 2 inputs include quoted prices for similar assets in active markets and other inputs, such as interest rates and yield curves, that are observable at commonly quoted intervals.

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### **Note 8 - Fair Value Measurements (Continued)**

Level 3 inputs are unobservable inputs, including inputs that are available in situations where there is little, if any, market activity for the related asset. These Level 3 fair value measurements are based primarily on management's own estimates using pricing models, discounted cash flow methodologies, or similar techniques taking into account the characteristics of the asset.

As required by GAAP, the Network uses net asset value (NAV) per share or its equivalent (practical expedient), such as member units or an ownership interest in partners' capital, to estimate the fair value of an alternative investment and requires additional fair value disclosures of the Network's alternative investments. Certain investments that are measured at fair value using the NAV practical expedient are not classified in the fair value hierarchy. The fair value amounts presented in the following table are intended to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the amounts presented in the consolidated statement of financial position.

In instances where inputs used to measure fair value fall into different levels in the above fair value hierarchy, fair value measurements in their entirety are categorized based on the lowest level input that is significant to the valuation. The Network's assessment of the significance of particular inputs to these fair value measurements requires judgment and considers factors specific to each asset.

The following tables present information about the Network's assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis at June 30, 2024 and 2023 and the valuation techniques used by the Network to determine those fair values:

	Assets Measured at Fair Value on a Recurring Basis at June 30, 2024								
	Qι	uoted Prices in							
		ctive Markets	Si	gnificant Other		Significant			
		for Identical		Observable	ι	Jnobservable		Dalamas at	
		Assets (Level 1)		Inputs (Level 2)		Inputs (Level 3)		Balance at lune 30, 2024	
	_	(200011)	_	(201012)		(2010)	- <del>-</del>	14110 00, 2021	
Investments:									
Money market funds	\$	156,569	\$	-	\$	-	\$	156,569	
Fixed-income mutual funds		2,077,612		-		-		2,077,612	
Equity mutual funds		10,577,875		-		-		10,577,875	
Multistrategy mutual funds		1,763,597		-		-		1,763,597	
Beneficial interest in trusts		-		-		146,627		146,627	
Subtotal	\$	14,575,653	\$	-	\$	146,627		14,722,280	
Investments measured at NAV								876,047	
Total assets							\$	15,598,327	

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### **Note 8 - Fair Value Measurements (Continued)**

	Assets Measured at Fair Value on a Recurring Basis at June 30, 2023								
	Qι	oted Prices in							
		ctive Markets	Si	gnificant Other		Significant			
		for Identical		Observable	ι	Jnobservable		5.	
		Assets		Inputs		Inputs	Balance at		
	_	(Level 1)	_	(Level 2)	_	(Level 3)	. <u> </u>	June 30, 2023	
Investments:									
Money market funds	\$	268,207	\$	-	\$	-	\$	268,207	
Fixed-income mutual funds		1,720,726		-		-		1,720,726	
Equity mutual funds		8,433,560		-		-		8,433,560	
Multistrategy mutual funds		2,101,460		-		-		2,101,460	
Beneficial interest in trusts		-		-		140,183		140,183	
Subtotal	\$	12,523,953	\$		\$	140,183	:	12,664,136	
Investments measured at NAV								808,190	
Total assets							\$	13,472,326	

In addition to the assets noted above, the Network holds \$186 in the investment balance related to nonfungible tokens as of June 30, 2024 and 2023, which are not carried at fair value.

The following are descriptions of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value:

Money market funds and mutual funds: Valued at the closing price reported on the active market on which the funds and individual securities are traded.

Beneficial interest in trusts: The fair value of investments held in beneficial interests in trusts include Levels 1 and 2; however, the Network's pro rata share of the interest in the trusts is determined by actuarial assumptions that are not quoted on active markets and, therefore, are classified under Level 3 in the fair value hierarchy.

There were no changes to the valuation techniques used during the period.

Changes in Level 3 assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis for the years ended June 30, 2024 and 2023 are as follows:

	Beneficial Interest in Trusts
Balance - July 1, 2023 Change in value of split-interest agreements	\$ 140,183 6,444
Balance - June 30, 2024	\$ 146,627
	Beneficial Interest in Trusts
Balance - July 1, 2022 Change in value of split-interest agreements	=

#### Investments in Entities that Calculate Net Asset Value per Share

The Network holds shares or interests in investment companies at year end where the fair value of the investment held is estimated based on net asset value per share (or its equivalent) of the investment company.

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### **Note 8 - Fair Value Measurements (Continued)**

At year end, the fair value, unfunded commitments, and redemption rules of those investments are as follows:

	Jui	ne 30, 2024	Ju	ıne 30, 2023	June 30, 2024				
							Redemption		
						Unfunded	Frequency, if	Redemption	
	F	Fair Value		e Fair Value		Commitments	Eligible	Notice Period	
Multistrategy hedge funds	\$	876,047	\$	808,190	\$	-	Quarterly	30 to 120 days	

The multistrategy hedge funds class invests in hedge funds that pursue multiple strategies to diversify risks and reduce volatility. The fair values of the investments in this class have been estimated using the net asset value per share of the investments.

### Note 9 - Note Receivable

A note receivable in the amount of \$6,690,000 due from Rocky Mountain Investment Fund, LLC (the "Investment Fund") was made as part of the NMTC financing described in Note 5, effective on October 30, 2018, and is due in installments of principal and interest at 1.4647 percent, equal to the amount and with consistent frequency of distributions the Investment Fund receives from the Sub-CDE, to which this note's proceeds were subsequently invested.

The note is collateralized by the Investment Fund's interest in the Sub-CDE and the rights to the distributions from the Sub-CDE, as prescribed by the Sub-CDE's operating agreement, as amended and restated. The note matures on October 30, 2044 but includes the option that, after the end of the NMTC compliance period (seven years from the effective date of October 30, 2018), the fund has the option, but shall not be obligated, to provide for the payment of this note, in whole, by the transfer to the Network of the promissory notes evidencing the CMC QALICB QLICI loan and the RMPM QALICB QLICI loan described in Notes 5 and 11.

Because of the variable nature of the timing of repayment on this note receivable, as it is based on the distributions to the Investment Fund from the Sub-CDE, no amount of the note is considered current, and no maturity schedule has been disclosed.

### Note 10 - Property and Equipment

Property and equipment are summarized as follows:

	_	2024	_	2023
Land Buildings and improvements Furniture, fixtures, and equipment Transmitter facilities and equipment Construction in progress	\$	4,985,880 30,969,818 5,051,201 4,204,765 77,363	\$	4,985,880 30,969,818 4,713,381 3,907,526 121,776
Total cost		45,289,027		44,698,381
Accumulated depreciation: Buildings and improvements Furniture, fixtures, and equipment Transmitter facilities and equipment		3,035,951 3,240,210 2,604,863		2,241,852 2,996,453 2,150,965
Total accumulated depreciation		8,881,024		7,389,270
Net property and equipment	\$	36,408,003	\$	37,309,111

Depreciation expense for 2024 and 2023 was \$1,491,754 and \$1,427,950, respectively.

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### **Note 10 - Property and Equipment (Continued)**

Certain property held for sale was sold in September 2022 with proceeds of approximately \$1,400,000, resulting in a gain of approximately \$800,000, which was recorded during the year ended June 30, 2023.

### Note 11 - Notes Payable

Notes payable at June 30 are as follows:

lotes payable at June 30 are as follows:		
	2024	2023
The Network had an obligation under a note payable for a property for a mortgage payable to Five Points Media Center. The note was due in monthly installments of principal and interest of \$1,004 through December 2023, with an interest rate of 5 percent and secured by a first deed of trust on an office condominium. The note payable was paid in full during 2024	\$ -	\$ 5,632
In October 2016, the Network entered into a note payable to the City and County of Denver, Colorado. The note allows for a total principal amount of up to \$1,500,000 to be borrowed, which includes \$1,000,000 as a performance-based loan at 0 percent interest and \$500,000 as a repayable loan at 2 percent interest. The note is secured by a first deed of trust on property. The repayable loan is due in monthly principal and interest payments to commence based on occupancy, with any remaining outstanding amount due 84 months following the execution of an amendment in October 2018 on the note payable. If the Network remains in compliance with the notes, as defined in the agreement, the performance-based loan will be deemed to be fully paid and satisfied 84 months following the execution of an amendment in October 2018 of the notes payable. The repayable portion of the loan was paid during		
2023	980,000	980,000
In October 2018, the Network entered into an amendment of October 2016 note payable to the City and County of Denver, Colorado. The amendment authorized an additional principal amount of up to \$1,900,000 to be borrowed under the same terms of the original note payable, bearing interest at 0 percent, and is repayable on November 1, 2026	1,780,000	1,780,000
On October 30, 2018, as part of the NMTC financing for the Buell Public Media Center described in Note 5, the Network entered into a pair of promissory notes for \$5,352,000 and \$2,488,000 of qualified low-income community investment proceeds from the Sub-CDE. The notes are secured by a second deed of trust to RMPM QALICB's property in BPMC, including building units 2, 3, and 4; parking unit I; and a terrace unit, according to the Planned Community Declaration recorded. This second deed in trust is subordinated to the senior deed in trust outlined above according to an intercreditor agreement by PB&T and the Sub-CDE. The notes mature on October 30, 2048 and bear interest at 1 percent annually. Quarterly interest-only payments, in the schedule described in the promissory notes, are required until October 30, 2025, at which point, one of the notes requires a one-time principal payment of \$40,000, and then, beginning on March 1, 2026, both notes require principal and interest payments sufficient to fully repay the outstanding principal plus interest in level quarterly payments over the remaining term of the notes	7,840,000	7,840,000
Less debt issuance costs	(74,802)	(294,402)
Long-term debt less unamortized debt issuance costs	\$ 10,525,198	\$ 10,311,230

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### **Note 11 - Notes Payable (Continued)**

The balance of the above debt matures as follows:

Fiscal Years Ending June 30	Amount
2025 2026 2027 2028 2029 Thereafter Unamortized debt	\$ 1,171,592 2,083,485 307,761 310,850 6,726,312
discount	(74,802)
Total	\$ 10,525,198

Interest expense for 2024 and 2023 was \$79,171 and \$83,367, respectively. During the year ended June 30, 2021, the Buell Public Media Center project described in Note 5 was placed into service, and the Network commenced amortization of the debt issuance costs. The Network recognized \$219,600 of amortization expense for the years ended June 30, 2024 and 2023.

### Note 12 - Net Assets

Net assets with donor restrictions as of June 30 are available for the following purposes:

	2024	 2023
Subject to expenditures for a specified purpose:		
Civic engagement	\$ 573,483	\$ -
Radio	69,587	185,646
Journalism	54,804	336,894
Digital innovation	-	232,297
Education	2,670,553	2,911,740
Partner content	123,049	190,000
Building engagement	 4,144	 12,664
Total subject to expenditures for a specified purpose	3,495,620	3,869,241
Subject to the Network's spending policy and appropriation - Accumulated endowment earnings	319,323	129,949
Not subject to appropriation or expenditure - Endowment amounts required to be maintained in perpetuity by donors:		
General endowment	201,717	201,717
Medearis	60,000	60,000
Metzler	1,000,000	1,000,000
Total not subject to appropriation or expenditure	1,261,717	1,261,717
Total net assets with donor restrictions	\$ 5,076,660	\$ 5,260,907

### Note 13 - Employee Benefit Plan

The Network has a tax-sheltered annuity plan (the "Plan") under IRC Section 403(b) covering substantially all full-time employees. The Network contributes 100 percent up to 3 percent of the employees' deferrals. In addition, each participating employee has the option to contribute additional amounts on a pretax basis up to the maximum allowable by the IRS. Contributions to the Plan vest immediately. The Network contributed \$245,653 and \$209,551 for the years ended June 30, 2024 and 2023, respectively.

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### Note 14 - Leases

The Network is obligated under operating leases primarily for buildings and broadcast equipment, expiring at various dates through March 2033. The right-of-use asset and related lease liability have been calculated using a discount rate of 2.88 percent. The leases require the Network to pay insurance, utilities, and maintenance costs.

The Network leases equipment under long-term lease arrangements that are classified as finance leases. Under the terms of the lease agreements, payments are due monthly through June 2026. The finance lease asset and related lease liability have been calculated using discount rates ranging from 2.85 percent to 2.88 percent.

Expenses recognized under these leases for the years ended June 30, 2024 and 2023 consist of the following:

	_	2024	 2023
Lease cost:			
Finance lease cost	\$	52,779	\$ 19,560
Operating lease cost		585,338	585,338
Short-term lease cost		145,293	147,925
Variable lease cost		82,342	 85,064
Total lease cost	\$	865,752	\$ 837,887
Other information:			
Cash paid for amounts included in the measurement of lease liabilities:			
Operating cash flows from finance leases	\$	49,725	\$ 19,560
Operating cash flows from operating leases		429,768	474,437
Weighted-average remaining lease term - Finance leases		1.77 years	2.68 years
Weighted-average remaining lease term - Operating leases		7.60 years	8.71 years
Weighted-average discount rate - Finance leases		2.8 %	2.8 %
Weighted-average discount rate - Operating leases		2.8 %	2.8 %

The future minimum lease payments under operating and finance leases are as follows:

Years Ending June 30	Operating Leases	Fi	inance Leases	To	tal Payments
2025 2026 2027 2028 2029 Thereafter	\$ 509,344 409,270 331,582 347,183 345,623 1,441,335	\$	47,889 33,219 - - - -	\$	557,233 442,489 331,582 347,183 345,623 1,441,335
Total	3,384,337		81,108		3,465,445
Less amount representing interest	385,140		2,127		387,267
Present value of net minimum lease payments	\$ 2,999,197	\$	78,981	\$	3,078,178

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#### Note 15 - Line of Credit

As of June 30, 2024, the Network has a \$1,200,000 line of credit with a bank available, which bears interest at the U.S. prime rate (8.5 percent at June 30, 2024 and 8.25 percent at June 30, 2023), plus 0.50 percent, with a floor of 5.50 percent and matures on April 14, 2025 (as amended). The outstanding balance at June 30, 2024 and 2023 was \$0. The line of credit is collateralized by deposit accounts of the Network.

### Note 16 - Rental Fee Income

The Network leases transmission towers and commercial space to tenants under noncancelable operating leases with terms of one to five years. Rental fee income for the years ended June 30, 2024 and 2023 was approximately \$209,000 and \$229,000, respectively.

Future minimum rental revenue under these leases is approximately as follows:

Years Ending June 30	Amount
2025 2026 2027 2028 2029 Thereafter	\$ 194,000 79,000 40,000 18,000 18,000 15,000
Total	\$ 364,000

### **Note 17 - Related Party Transactions**

The following is a description of transactions between the Network and related parties:

### Related Party Receivable

At June 30, 2024 and 2023, the Network had a receivable from CMC QALICB, LLC totaling \$536,150 and \$504,061, respectively, mainly for construction expenses paid on its behalf and awaiting reimbursement. CMC QALICB, LLC is a party related to the Network, as the Network holds a minority membership interest of CMC QALICB, LLC, as discussed in Note 5.

### Note 18 - In-kind Donations

The Network received the following contributions of nonfinancial assets, which are used in operations or immediately liquidated on receipt, for the years ended June 30:

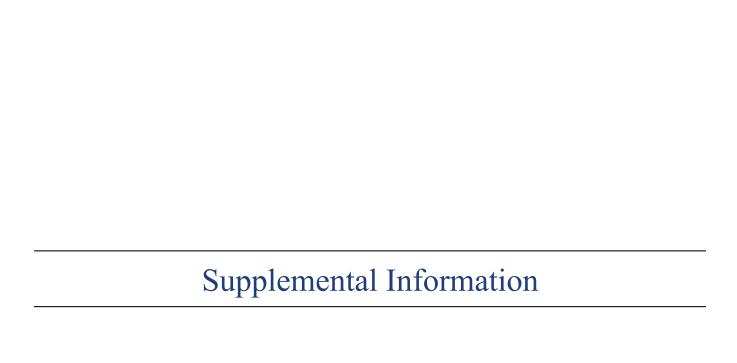
		2024	 2023
Contributions of nonfinancial assets used in operations:			
Consulting fees, professional services, and membership dues Complementary food and beverage catering for events and	\$	39,268	\$ 82,635
activities		59,177	55,135
Publications and advertising		116,576	18,545
Premiums		78,244	-
Rent		44,569	 
Total used in operations		337,834	156,315
Contributions of nonfinancial assets immediately liquidated upon receip	t		
- Vehicles		425,282	 341,499
Total contributions of nonfinancial assets	\$	763,116	\$ 497,814

June 30, 2024 and 2023

### **Note 18 - In-kind Donations (Continued)**

The value of these goods and services used in operations is determined based on estimated fair value at the date of donation, which for most of these gifts relates to the price these providers would have charged the Network had they not donated their goods and services.

It is the Network's policy to sell all contributed vehicles immediately upon receipt at auction or for salvage unless restricted by donor. No vehicles received were restricted. All vehicles were sold and valued according to the actual cash proceeds from their sale.







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#### **Independent Auditor's Report on Supplemental Information**

To the Board of Directors Rocky Mountain Public Media, Inc.

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Rocky Mountain Public Media, Inc. and its subsidiaries as of and for the years ended June 30, 2024 and 2023 and have issued our report thereon dated December 12, 2024, which contained an unmodified opinion on those consolidated financial statements. Our audits were performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the consolidated financial statements as a whole. The supplemental consolidating statement of financial position, consolidating statement of activities, and the subsidiary statements of functional expenses are presented for the purpose of additional analysis rather than to present the financial position, activities, and functional expenses of the individual companies and are 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 the 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 as a whole.

Flante & Moran, PLLC

December 12, 2024



## Consolidating Statement of Financial Position

June 30, 2024

	Rocky Mountain PBS	KUVO, LLC	RMPB Ventures, Inc.	Rocky Mountain Public Media QALICB, Inc.	Eliminating Entries	Total
Assets						
Cash and cash equivalents Restricted cash	\$ 6,937,989 5	3,949,900	\$ - -	\$ 118,373 105,722	\$ - \$ -	11,006,262 105,722
Receivables - Net of allowances: Program underwriting and fees Contributions, grants, and other Capital campaign pledges receivable Related party receivable	295,663 2,521,994 32,147 275,065	159,013 216,019 - 14,462	- - - -	- - - 246,623	- - - -	454,676 2,738,013 32,147 536,150
Total receivables - Net of allowances	3,124,869	389,494	-	246,623	-	3,760,986
Intercompany receivables Program inventory Investments Operating license Prepaid expenses and other assets Loans and notes receivable Investments in subsidiaries Right-of-use operating lease assets - Net Finance lease assets - Net Beneficial interest in trusts Property and equipment - Net	18,289,861 146,551 15,451,699 - 534,669 6,690,000 6,820,863 2,673,250 78,314 146,627 12,066,618	- 187 53,017 44,763 - - 136,114 - - 924,451	- - - - - - - -	- - - - - - 23,416,934	(18,289,861) - - - - - (6,797,360) - - -	146,551 15,451,886 53,017 579,432 6,690,000 23,503 2,809,364 78,314 146,627 36,408,003
Total assets	\$ 72,961,310	5,497,926	<u>\$</u>	\$ 23,887,652	\$ (25,087,221)	77,259,667

## Consolidating Statement of Financial Position (Continued)

June 30, 2024

	Rocky Mountain PBS	KUVO, LLC	RMPB Ventures, Inc.	Rocky Mountain Public Media QALICB, Inc.	Eliminating Entries	Total
Liabilities and Net Assets (Deficiency in Net Assets)						
Liabilities						
Accounts payable	\$ 441,501	\$ 15,542	\$ -	\$ -	\$ - \$	457,043
Deferred revenue:						
Refundable advances	-	32,587	-	-	-	32,587
Deferred revenue - Program	74 400	05.704				400.050
underwriting	74,468	•		-	-	100,252
Accrued expenses	1,457,547	89,732	-	0.335.004	(10 000 061)	1,547,279
Intercompany payables Lease liabilities - Operating	2,858,998	8,964,767 140,199	-	9,325,094	(18,289,861)	2,999,197
Lease liabilities - Operating  Lease liabilities - Finance	2,656,996 78,981	140, 199	-	-	-	78,981
Notes payable - Net	2,760,000	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	7,765,198	_	10,525,198
Notes payable - Net	2,700,000		·	7,700,100		10,020,100
Total liabilities	7,671,495	9,268,611	-	17,090,292	(18,289,861)	15,740,537
Net Assets (Deficiency in Net Assets)						
Without donor restrictions - Undesignated	60,282,742	(3,840,272)	) -	6,797,360	(6,797,360)	56,442,470
With donor restrictions	5,007,073	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		<u> </u>		5,076,660
Total not assets (deficiency in not						
Total net assets (deficiency in net assets)	65,289,815	(3,770,685)	<u> </u>	6,797,360	(6,797,360)	61,519,130
Total liabilities and net assets (deficiency in net assets)	\$ 72,961,310	\$ 5,497,926	<u>\$ -</u>	\$ 23,887,652	<u>\$ (25,087,221)</u> <u>\$</u>	77,259,667

## Consolidating Statement of Activities

	Rocky Mountain PBS	KUVO, LLC	RMPB Ventures, Inc.	Rocky Mountain Public Media QALICB, Inc.	Eliminating Entries	Total
Changes in Net Assets without Donor Restrictions						
Revenue, gains, and other support:						
Membership	\$ 10,143,145	\$ 907,904	\$ -	\$ - 9	- \$	11,051,049
Underwriting	1,264,462	547,529	-	· -	-	1,811,991
Bequests	2,001,764	50,000	-	-	-	2,051,764
Other gifts	2,032,468	147,158	-	-	-	2,179,626
Corporation for Public Broadcasting	, ,	,				, ,
grants	2,652,653	176,973	-	-	-	2,829,626
Other grants	248,622	19,307	-	-	-	267,929
In-kind donations	486,469	226,180	-	-	-	712,649
Rental, production, and other	356,609	14,071	-	1,002,018	(1,002,000)	370,698
Special event revenue - Net	· <del>-</del>	123,519	-	-	-	123,519
Change in value of split-interest		,				,
agreements	6,444	-	-	-	-	6,444
Net assets released from restrictions	2,072,562	158,559	-	-	-	2,231,121
Total revenue, gains, and other support	21,265,198	2,371,200	-	1,002,018	(1,002,000)	23,636,416
Expenses:						
Program services:						
Programming and production	7,877,689	3,030,176	-	-	(614,272)	10,293,593
Broadcasting	3,472,856	423,011	-	-	(175,559)	3,720,308
Public information	2,226,055	130,832			(30,128)	2,326,759
Total program services	13,576,600	3,584,019	-	-	(819,959)	16,340,660
Support services:						
Management and general	2,247,770	277,614	5,000	134,000	(62,401)	2,601,983
Fundraising and development	4,252,145	252,084	-	-	(58,928)	4,445,301
Underwriting	1,337,055	125,445	-	_	(60,712)	1,401,788
· ·	7,836,970	655,143	5,000	134,000	(182,041)	8,449,072
Total support services	1,030,970	000,140	5,000	134,000	(102,041)	0,448,012
Total expenses	\$ 21,413,570	\$ 4,239,162	\$ 5,000	\$ 134,000	\$ (1,002,000) \$	24,789,732

## Consolidating Statement of Activities (Continued)

	Rocky Mountain PBS	KUVO, LLC	RMPB Ventures,	Rocky Mountain Public Media QALICB, Inc.	Eliminating Entries	Total	
(Decrease) Increase in Net Assets without Donor Restrictions - Before nonoperating (expense) income	\$ (148,372)	\$ (1,867,962)	\$ (5,000)	\$ 868,018	- 9	(1,153,316)	
Nonoperating (Expense) Income Depreciation and amortization Investment income - Net Finance lease asset amortization (Loss) gain on investment in subsidiary	(617,930) 1,745,440 (49,921) (718,576)	(162,154) - - - -	- - - 655,324	(931,270) - - - -	- - - 63,252	(1,711,354) 1,745,440 (49,921)	
Total nonoperating income (expense)	359,013	(162,154)	655,324	(931,270)	63,252	(15,835)	
Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets without Donor Restrictions	210,641	(2,030,116)	650,324	(63,252)	63,252	(1,169,151)	
Changes in Net Assets with Donor Restrictions Other gifts Other grants Investment income - Net Net assets released from restrictions	1,525,000 290,000 189,374 (2,072,562)	12,500 30,000 - (158,559)	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	1,537,500 320,000 189,374 (2,231,121)	
Decrease in Net Assets with Donor Restrictions	(68,188)	(116,059)				(184,247)	
Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets	\$ 142,453	\$ (2,146,175)	\$ 650,324	\$ (63,252)	63,252	(1,353,398)	

## Subsidiary Statement of Functional Expenses Rocky Mountain PBS

	ŀ	Program Service	S				
	Programming	Public		Fundraising Management and			
	and Production	Broadcasting	Information	and General	Development U	nderwriting	Total
Rocky Mountain PBS							
Personnel and payroll taxes	\$ 2,979,759	\$ 1,242,732	\$ 1,635,626	\$ 1,528,491	\$ 1,533,486 \$	1,007,504 \$	9,927,598
Program acquisitions	3,048,972	·	· · · · · -	· , , , -	- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	-	3,048,972
Professional services	344,137	563,150	216,472	342,732	1,052,484	43,771	2,562,746
Mailing and shipping	13,322	7,146	31	3,103	563,817	13	587,432
Printing and duplication	1,247	15,618	6,435	63	4,975	-	28,338
Building, distribution, and software	159,790	1,016,390	11,078	38,216	27,158	27,175	1,279,807
Building rent	371,576	193,226	24,411	65,033	58,292	60,712	773,250
Subscriptions, dues, and licenses	409,452	189,834	107,570	37,880	285,026	49,607	1,079,369
Premiums, advertising, and							
promotions	178,802	5,777	127,852	7,500	265,023	102,831	687,785
Supplies and videotapes	64,076	60,605	46,833	21,169	4,800	2,797	200,280
Travel, parking, and mileage	111,305	40,098	7,488	37,800	10,337	1,719	208,747
Insurance	159,391	62,416	10,358	25,560	24,734	25,761	308,220
Interest and bank fees	-	2,308	-	4,536	394,630	2,472	403,946
Trainings and meetings	22,452	10,843	31,148	131,071	25,586	10,621	231,721
Repairs and maintenance	13,408	62,713	753	2,966	1,797	1,872	83,509
Bad debt				1,650		200	1,850
Total functional expenses before depreciation and							
amortization	7,877,689	3,472,856	2,226,055	2,247,770	4,252,145	1,337,055	21,413,570
Depreciation and amortization	180,438	363,416	8,879	21,911	21,203	22,083	617,930
Finance lease asset amortization		49,921			<u> </u>		49,921
Total functional expenses	\$ 8,058,127	\$ 3,886,193	\$ 2,234,934	\$ 2,269,681	\$ 4,273,348 \$	1,359,138 \$	22,081,421

# Subsidiary Statement of Functional Expenses KUVO, LLC

	ŀ	Program Service	S				
	Programming and Production	Broadcasting	Public Information	Management and General	Fundraising and Development	Underwriting	Total
KUVO, LLC							
Personnel and payroll taxes	\$ 1,863,783	\$ 201,209	\$ 40,428	\$ 15,277	\$ 4,487	\$ - 9	\$ 2,125,184
Program acquisitions	54,433	-	-	-	-	-	54,433
Professional services	246,947	15,310	35,349	33,355	78,058	-	409,019
Mailing and shipping	-	218	-	247	56,428	-	56,893
Printing and duplication	2,913	-	311	-	-	-	3,224
Building, distribution, and software	143,105	77,955	2,560	191,015	1,338	-	415,973
Building rent	263,626	28,460	5,718	2,161	635	-	300,600
Subscriptions, dues, and licenses	42,531	46,804	222	981	20,282	-	110,820
Premiums, advertising, and							
promotions	192,423	-	37,980	-	23,095	121,399	374,897
Supplies and videotapes	31,540	25,447	1,378	2,871	1,463	44	62,743
Travel, parking, and mileage	8,774	104	697	-	2,361	-	11,936
Insurance	162,539	12,076	2,427	4,674	269	-	181,985
Interest and bank fees	-	-	-	279	53,578	1,619	55,476
Trainings and meetings	5,461	1,624	3,586	15,480	10,070	33	36,254
Repairs and maintenance	12,101	13,804	176	11,274	20	-	37,375
Special events costs netted against							
special event revenue	_	_	-	-	160,926	_	160,926
Bad debt	_		_			2,350	2,350
Total functional expenses before depreciation and amortization	3,030,176	423,011	130,832	277,614	413,010	125,445	4,400,088
Depreciation and amortization	131,304	15,528	2,080	13,011	231		162,154
Total functional expenses	\$ 3,161,480	\$ 438,539	\$ 132,912	\$ 290,625	\$ 413,241	\$ 125,445	4,562,242