SMOKY HILLS PUBLIC TELEVISION CORPORATION

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
AND
INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

JUNE 30, 2022 AND 2021

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

The Board of Directors Smoky Hills Public Television Corporation

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Smoky Hills Public Television (a nonprofit organization), which comprise the statements of financial position as of June 30, 2022 and 2021, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Smoky Hills Public Television as of June 30, 2022 and 2021, and the changes in its net assets and its 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. 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 Smoky Hills Public Television and to meet our other 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 Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the 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 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 Smoky Hills Public Television's ability to continue as a going concern within one year after the date that the financial statements are available to be issued.

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 generally accepted auditing standards 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 generally accepted auditing standards, 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 Smoky Hills Public Television'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 Smoky Hills Public Television'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.

Brungardt Hower wand Elliott & Pfeifer LLC

Hays, Kansas October 27, 2022

STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION

June 30,

ASSETS	2022	<u>2021</u>
CURRENT ASSETS		LVLI
Cash and cash equivalents, including certificates of		
deposit of \$125,164 in 2022 and \$124,747 in 2021	\$2,805,980	\$2,764,073
Trade and grant receivables	59,309	47,097
Prepaid expenses	7,644	7,682
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Total current assets	2,872,933	2,818,852
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT		
Land	25,767	25,767
Buildings	590,889	560,399
Station equipment	10,665,008	10,317,199
Automobiles	91,864	91,864
Office furniture and equipment	167,625	170,283
	11 541 150	11 155 510
Togg accumulated demonstration	11,541,153	11,165,512
Less accumulated depreciation	9,954,063	9,647,160
Net property and equipment	1,587,090	1,518,352
INTANGIBLE ASSETS		
Service agreements	976,508	976,508
Less accumulated amortization	957,841	955,841
	337,041	
Net intangible assets	18,667	20,667
TOTAL ASSETS	\$4,478,690	\$4,357,871
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LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable	\$ 14,014	\$ 6,804
Accrued compensated absences and other expenses	46,710	39,496
Deferred revenue	1,700	1,650
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	62,424	47,950
TOTAL LIABILITIES	62,424	47,950
COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES		
NET ASSETS		
Without donor restrictions	3,806,930	3,373,719
With donor restrictions	609,336	936,202
TOTAL NET ASSETS	1 116 266	4 300 001
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TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$4,478,690	\$4,357,871

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

STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES

Year ended June 30,

		2022	
	Without donor	With donor	
		restrictions	Total
ODEDAMING DESIDANDO			
OPERATING REVENUES			
Operating and other grants	\$ 211,417	\$ 1,114,371	\$1,325,788
Memberships	196,922	-	196,922
Underwriter fees	231,570	-	231,570
Rental income	35,412	-	35,412
Interest and investment income	1,512	-	1,512
Miscellaneous	266,808	-	266,808
Donated services	8,325	_	8,325
PBS income	246	_	246
PPP loan	_	-	_
		-	
Total operating revenues	952,212	1,114,371	2,066,583
Net assets released from restrictions	1,441,237	(1,441,237)	
Total operating revenues and net			
assets released from restrictions	2,393,449	(326, 866)	2,066,583
OPERATING EXPENSES			
General and administrative	410,055	-	410,055
Engineering	98 , 077	-	98 , 077
Programming	348,364	-	348,364
Depreciation and amortization	311,289	_	311,289
Educational services	52,252	=	52,252
Production	209,429	_	209,429
Marketing	56,131	_	56,131
Membership	74,829	-	74,829
Transmitters	275,273	_	275 , 273
Underwriting/development	122,583	_	122,583
Special events	1,956		1,956
Total operating expenses	1,960,238	_	1,960,238
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	433,211	(326, 866)	106,345
TRANSFER OF NET ASSETS	-	-	-
NET ASSETS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	3,373,719	936,202	4,309,921
NET ASSETS AT END OF YEAR	\$ 3,806,930	\$ 609,336	\$4,416,266

	2021	
Without donor	With donor	
<u>restrictions</u>	restrictions	<u>Total</u>
\$ 193,804	\$1,525,796	\$1,719,600
185,034	-	185,034
204,719	_	204,719
34,784	_	34,784
1,439	_	
106,083	_	1,439
2,475	_	106,083
	-	2,475
22,565	_	22,565
146,702	_	146,702
897,605	1,525,796	2,423,401
1,028,022	(1,028,022)	
1,925,627	497,774	2,423,401
240 741		240 741
349,741	_	349,741
133,917 352,491	-	133,917
	_	352,491
304,289	_	304,289
40,436	-	40,436
198,564	_	198,564
48,518	-	48,518
69,667	-	69,667
197,467	_	197,467
80,686	-	80,686
1,000		1,000
1,776,776		1,776,776
148,851	497,774	646,625
(260,205)	260,205	-
3,485,073	178,223	3,663,296
\$ 3,373,719	\$ 936,202	\$4,309,921

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

Smoky Hills Public Television Corporation

STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES

Year ended June 30, 2022

Total	\$ 7,903	3,338	21,064	4,776	309,289	c c	100 100	151177	31,647	1,119	38,078	6,044	1,532		94,053	43,259	3,056	6,220	8,066	274,960	1,524	124,420	91,633	574,079	1	35,653	11,672	7,867	125,211	1,090	288	\$ 1,960,238
Special <u>Events</u>	1 I	ı	ı	ı	1			I	ŧ	254	425	I	ı		200	1	ı	1	•		ı	ı	ı	ı	•	811	,	266	ı	ī	1	\$ 1,956
Jnderwriting	1 I	i	٠	•	1		22 257	777	1	188	812	1	1		ı	6,776	199	•	1	ı	1	ı	•	90,485	1	10	1	1,856	ŧ	ı	t	\$ 122,583
ransmitters	l I	ı	18,850	1	ı	1	ı		20,996	1	ı	1,367	1		39,089	1	153	1	1	ı	ı	,	91,633	ı	1	1	1,328	,	101,857	•	1	\$ 275,273
Membership Transmitters Underwriting	l l	1	ı	ı	ı	ı	900 0		1	1	4,796	•	t		4,776	2,817	1,268	6,220	7,224	ı	1	1	ı	37,737	•	47	1	18	1	1	1	\$ 74,829
Marketing	\$ 7,841	1	ı	1	,	ı	10.111	111	1	ı	1,769	1	ı		ı	2,457	4	ı	562	1	1,524	ı	1	31,863		1	1	1	1	ı	1	\$56,131
Production	l l	ı	•	ı	1	1	33.682		,	627	9,625	1,441	1		6,670	10,223	277	•	1	1	1	ı	1	133,760	1	11,120	1	1,716	t	ı	288	\$209,429
Educational <u>Services</u>	I I	ı	1	ı	1	•	1.470		1	1	20	ı	ı		6,000	1,263	290	1	280	ı	ı	ı	ı	16,475	1	23,216	ı	3,238	ı	1	t	\$ 52,252
Depreciation and and Engineering Programming Amortization	2,000	1	1	1	309,289	ı	ı		,	1	ı	ı	ı		ı	1	•	ı	1	1	1		1	•	ı	1	•	1	1	•	1	\$ 311,289
I Programming 2	ı ı	ı	1	1	ı	ı	12.844		ı	,	8,595	1	1		1	3,759	1	,	,	274,960	•	1	•	48,206	1	1	ı	•	1	1	1	\$ 348, 364
Engineering	! I	ı	ı	4,776	1	,	13,299	<u> </u>	10,651	50	3,150	2,380	Ì		1,218	4,160	69	1	•	1	1	1		56,579	ı	197	ı	458	1	1,090	1	\$ 98,077
General and Adminis- trative	\$ 62	3,338	2,214	1	ı	2.900	23,908		1	ı	8,886	856	1,532		36,100	11,804	962	ı	1	ı	ı	124,420	,	158,974	ı	252	10,344	315	23,354	1		\$ 410,055
	Advertising Amortization	insurance	maintenance	Computer supplies	Depreciation	Donated professional	Employee benefits	Equipment repair and	maintenance	Meals	Membership dues	Miscellaneous	Office supplies	Outside professional	services	Payroll taxes	Postage	Premiums	Printing	Program rights	Promotions	Property insurance	Rent	Salaries	Set production	Supplies	Telephone	Travel	Utilities	Vehicle repair	Video tapes	Total expenses

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

Smoky Hills Public Television Corporation STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES

Year ended June 30, 2021

	General											
	and			Depresiation								
	Adminis-			pue	Foundational							
	trative	Engineering	Programming	Amortization	Services	Production	Marketing	Membership	Transmitters	Underwriting	Special Events	Total
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hireto tanno		ا ٠	ı o	ı n	l D	ı	\$ 7,628	ı	i vs	ı v	ı sə	\$ 7,805
Amortization Reard lishility	l	,	ı	2,000	ı	ı	ı	t	ı	ı	ı	2,000
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1nsurance	3, 338	1	•		ı	1		•	,	•	ı	3,338
Building repair and												
maintenance	10,465	ı	ı	ı	1	1	1	ı	3,463	1	ı	13 928
Computer supplies	•	3,729	1	•	•	•	1	1		•	1	100
Depreciation	•		•	302,289	•	•	ı	1			1	67116
Donated professional				100					1	1	•	302,289
services	2,475	ı	1	ı	1	ı	١	•	ĺ	ı		
Employee benefits	19,127	22,938	12,660	1	1.533	36.400	3 137	0 313	l 1	790 71	ı	6/4/2
Equipment repair and			1				2	1		10C 11T	ı	7/0,07
maintenance	1	1.490	ı	•	,	•	i	1				•
No.							ı	Ī	001/1		•	18,620
TOOL STORY	7 1		1	•	1	T 4 4 T	1	ı		125	1	579
Membership dues	10,785	2,164	8,345	1	1	7,082	1,499	4,200	•	878	1	34,953
Miscellaneous	9,522	2,570	1	1	1	1,440	1	ı	1,418	•	1	14,950
Office supplies	1,227	1	•	1	ı	,	ı	1	1	•	,	1,227
Outside professional												•
services	24,804	1,036	,	1	ı	4,735	1	4,776	5,276	1	ı	40,627
Payroll taxes	8,581	984,9	3,680	1	1,208	9,844	2,467	2,421		4,426	1	39,413
Postage	935	302	1	1	464	164	34	2,323	1	119	ı	4,341
Premiums	•	1	1	1	•	ı	ı	6,711	1	ı		6,711
Printing	1	1	ı	1	118	,	899	2,540	1	1	:	3,326
Program rights		,	277,701	1	1	1	1	1	1	•	1	277,701
Promotions	1	1	ı	1	1	149	1	ı	1	•	1,000	1,149
Property insurance	119,544	1	ı	•	1	ı	•	ı	ı	•		119,544
Rent	1	1	•	1	ı	ı	•	1	91,532	•	1	91.532
Salaries	109,940	88,614	50,105	1	15,783	131,211	33,085	37,154		58,503	ι	524,395
Set production	1		1	1	•	552	1	1	1		,	552
Supplies	340	52	•	•	21,264	5,642	•	229	39	30	ı	27.596
Telephone	8,080	•	1	1	•	•	ı	•	1,266	•	•	9.346
Travel	102	1,210	•	•	99	745	ı	1		1.641	1	3.764
Utilities	20,286	ı	•	,	ı	•	1	1	77,343	•	1	97,629
Vehicle repair	1	3,026	1	•	1	•	1	1		•	ı	3,026
Video tapes		1		•	1	159	•	•	•	•	•	, 97.
•								1				601
Total expenses	\$ 349,741	\$ 133,917	\$ 352,491	\$ 304,289	\$ 40,436	\$ 198,564	\$ 48,518	\$ 69,667	\$ 197,467	\$ 80,686	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,776,776

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

STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

Year ended June 30,

		<u>2022</u>		<u>2021</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Change in net assets	\$	106,345	\$	646,625
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to				
net cash provided by operating activities				
Depreciation and amortization		311,289		304,289
Gain/(loss) on sale of assets		272		-
Payroll protection program forgiveness		-		(146,702)
Changes in assets and liabilities:				
Trade and grant receivables		(12,212)		44,113
Prepaid expenses		38		(7,043)
Accounts payable		7,210		548
Accrued compensated absences		7,214		(6,090)
Deferred revenue		50		1,650
NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES		420,206		837,390
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
Purchases of property, equipment and intangible				
assets		(378,299)		(76,731)
NET CASH USED IN INVESTING				
ACTIVITIES		(270 200)		176 731
ACIIVIIIES		(378,299)		(76,731)
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		41,907		760,659
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	_2	,764,073	_2	,003,414
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF YEAR	\$ 2	,805,980	\$ 2	, 764 , 073

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



NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2022 and 2021

NOTE A - ORGANIZATION AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

1. Organization

Smoky Hills Public Television Corporation is a nonprofit organization established as part of a plan to extend public television to unserved areas of western Kansas, broadcasting educational television and providing quality programming and cultural telecommunication services to educate and inspire the social awareness of the broadcast area's communities and residents.

2. Financial reporting

(a) Accrual basis of accounting

The accompanying financial statements of the Organization have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting and conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as applicable to not-for-profit organizations.

(b) Cash and cash equivalents

For purposes of the statements of cash flows, the Organization considers all highly liquid investments available for current use with an initial maturity of six months or less to be cash equivalents. The Organization maintains cash balances at several financial institutions. Accounts at each institution are insured by the FDIC up to \$250,000. At June 30, 2022 and 2021, there were \$2,067,968 and \$2,104,665, respectively, of deposits at Sunflower and Southwind Banks in excess of the \$250,000 FDIC insurance limits that were secured by pledged securities held at the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston and Commerce Bank.

(c) Use of estimates

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

(d) Net assets

The Organization is required to report information regarding its financial position and activities according to two classes of net assets. The net assets of the Organization and changes therein are classified and reported as follows:

Net assets without donor restrictions - Net assets that are not subject to donor-imposed restrictions.

Net assets with donor restrictions - Net assets subject to donor-imposed restrictions. Some restrictions are temporary in nature, such as those that are restricted by a donor for use for a particular purpose or in a particular future period. Other restrictions may be perpetual in nature; such as those that are restricted by a donor that resources be maintained in perpetuity.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2022 and 2021

NOTE A - ORGANIZATION AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - Continued

2. Financial reporting - Continued

Generally, the donors of these assets permit the Organization to use all or part of the income earned on related investments for general or specific purposes

3. Contributions

Contributions that are restricted by the donor are reported as increases in net assets without donor restrictions if the restrictions expire (that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished) in the reporting period in which the revenue is recognized. Contributions of property and equipment are reported as net assets with donor restrictions if the donor restricted the use of the property or equipment to a particular program, as are contributions of cash restricted to the purchase of property and equipment. Otherwise, donor restrictions on contributions of property and equipment or assets restricted for purchase of property and equipment are considered to expire when the assets are placed in service. All other donor-restricted contributions are reported as increases in net assets with donor restrictions. When a restriction expires, net assets with donor restrictions are reclassified to net assets with donor restrictions and reported in the Statement of Activities as net assets released from restrictions.

4. Promises to give

Contributions are recognized when the donor makes a promise to give to the Organization that is, in substance, unconditional. Contributions that are restricted by the donor are reported as increases in net assets without donor restrictions if the restrictions expire in the fiscal year in which the contributions are recognized. All other donor-restricted contributions are reported as increases in net assets with donor restrictions. When a restriction expires, net assets with donor restrictions are reclassified to net assets without donor restrictions.

The Organization uses the allowance method to determine uncollectible unconditional promises receivable. The allowance is based on prior years' experience and management's analysis of specific promises made.

5. Contributed services

During the year ended June 30, 2022 and 2021, the value of contributed services meeting the requirements for recognition in the financial statements was \$8,325 and \$2,475, respectively. In addition, many individuals volunteer their time and perform a variety of tasks that assist the Organization, but these services do not meet the criteria for recognition as contributed services. Only donated professional services for the years ended June 30, 2022 and 2021 are being reported.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2022 and 2021

NOTE A - ORGANIZATION AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - Continued

6. Property and equipment

Purchased property and equipment are capitalized at cost. Donated property and equipment are recorded at their estimated fair value. It is the Organization's policy to capitalize property and equipment over \$2,500.

Property and equipment are depreciated using the straight-line method. Estimated useful lives used in the computation of depreciation are as follows:

Buildings and improvements	15 - 31 years
Station equipment	3 - 20 years
Automobiles	5 years
Office furniture and equipment	3 - 7 vears

Maintenance, repairs and renewals which neither materially add to the value of the property nor appreciably prolong its life are charged to expense as incurred. Gains or losses on dispositions of property and equipment are included in revenue.

7. Functional allocation of expenses

The costs of providing the programs and activities of the Organization have been summarized on a functional basis in the accompanying statements of activities. Accordingly, certain costs have been allocated among program services and supporting services.

8. Subsequent events

Smoky Hills Public Television Corporation has evaluated subsequent events through October 27, 2022, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

9. Reclassifications

Certain reclassifications have been made to conform to the 2022 presentation.

10. Income Taxes

Smoky Hills Public Television Corporation is a non-profit, non-stock corporation that is exempt from income taxes under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Organization is, however, subject to income taxes on any unrelated business income. The Organization adopted FASB Accounting Standards Codification ("FASB ASC"), ASC 740, Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes on July 1, 2009. As a result of the adoption, management has determined that there were no unrecognized tax benefits or liabilities as of June 30, 2022 and June 30, 2021.

The Organization's federal exempt organization tax returns for the years ended June 30, 2022, 2021 and 2020 are subject to examination by the Internal Revenue Service, generally three years after they are filed.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2022 and 2021

NOTE B - CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Cash and cash equivalents consist of the following:

	<u>June</u>	30,
	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Cash in bank - operating	\$ 2,097,092	\$ 2,042,031
Cash in bank - capital	89,159	103,224
Cash in bank - future fund	494,523	494,029
Certificates of deposit	125,164	124,747
Petty cash	42	42
	\$ 2,805,980	\$ 2,764,073

NOTE C -TRADE AND GRANT RECEIVABLES

Trade and grant receivables at June 30, 2022 and 2021, consist of other receivables of \$59,309 and \$47,097, respectively, and governmental receivables of \$0 and \$0, respectively.

NOTE D - LIQUIDITY AND AVAILABILITY OF FINANCIAL ASSETS

The following reflects the Organization's financial assets as of the balance sheet date, reduced by amounts not available for general use because of restrictions within one year of the balance sheet date.

	<u>2022</u>	2021
Financial assets at June 30,	\$ 2,865,289	\$ 2,811,170
Less those not available for general		
expenditure within one year, due to:		
Donor imposed restrictions	609,336	936,202
Financial assets available to meet cash needs		
for general expenditures within one year	\$ 2,255,953	\$ 1,874,968

The Organization has a policy to structure its financial assets to be available as its general expenditures, liabilities, and other obligations come due. In addition, as part of its liquidity management, the Organization invests cash in various short-term certificates of deposits.

NOTE E - INTANGIBLE ASSETS

In June 1999, Smoky Hills Public Television Corporation entered into a tenyear fiber optic transport service agreement with Cox Communications, Inc. to use their facilities for the purpose of transmitting and receiving digital and analog video, audio and data signals between specified sites within the State of Kansas. These costs of \$493,018 have been amortized into expense

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2022 and 2021

NOTE E - INTANGIBLE ASSETS - Continued

over the ten-year life of the service agreement. The Organization now pays a monthly access fee for use of the fiber optics line.

In November 2006, Smoky Hills Public Television Corporation entered into a ten-year fiber optic transport service agreement with Rural Telephone Service Company, Inc. to use their facilities for the purpose of transmitting and receiving digital and analog video, audio and data signals between specified sites within the State of Kansas. These costs of \$433,490 are being amortized into expense over the ten-year life of the service agreement. The Organization now pays a monthly access fee for use of the fiber optics line.

NOTE F - ACCRUED COMPENSATED ABSENCES

The Organization's policy provides for the compensation of absences due to sick leave and vacation. Each employee is allowed to carryover a maximum total earned vacation of 40 hours each calendar year. Any hours accrued and not taken will be lost unless proper approval is obtained from administration. Only vacation pay is reimbursed at termination if not used, and is accrued for financial statement presentation. The liability for accumulated compensated absences at June 30, 2022 and 2021 was \$23,940 and \$20,448, respectively. These amounts were based on current salary costs and include all vacation leave accumulated but not taken by June 30, 2022 and 2021.

NOTE G - NET ASSETS WITH DONOR RESTRICTIONS

Net assets with donor restrictions are available for the following purposes:

	<u>2022</u>	2021
Operations	\$ 609,336	\$ 936,202
Capital improvements		
	\$ 609,336	\$ 936,202

NOTE H - CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

Concentrations of credit risk with respect to promises to give receivable are limited due to the large number of contributions comprising Smoky Hills Public Television's contribution base and their dispersion across different industries and geographic areas.

NOTE I - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN

Plan Description. Smoky Hills Public Television Corporation participates in the Kansas Public Employees Retirement System (KPERS), a cost sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan as provided by K.S.A. 74-4901, et seq. KPERS provides retirement benefits, life insurance, disability income benefits, and death benefits. Kansas law establishes and amends benefit provisions. KPERS issues a publicly available financial report that

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NOTE I - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN - Continued

includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That report may be obtained by writing to KPERS (611 S. Kansas, Suite 100, Topeka, KS 66603) or by calling 1-888-275-5737.

Funding Policy. K.S.A. 74-4919 establishes the KPERS member-employee contribution rate at 6% of covered salary. The employer collects and remits member-employee contributions according to the provisions of section 414(h) of the Internal Revenue Code. State law provides that the employer contribution rate be determined annually based on the results of an annual actuarial valuation. KPERS is funded on an actuarial reserve basis. State law sets a limitation on annual increases in the contribution rates for KPERS employers. The employer rates established for the period ending June 30, 2022 range from 8.87% to 8.90%, and for the period ending June 30, 2021 range from 8.61% to 8.87%,. The employer contributions to KPERS for the years ending June 30, 2022 and 2021 were \$49,734 and \$44,743, respectively, equal to the required contributions for each year.

NOTE J - CAFETERIA PLAN

The Corporation established a cafeteria plan under Internal Revenue Code Section 125, effective July 1, 2000. The plan year is the twelve month period ending on June 30th. The purpose of the program is to allow employees, through a salary reduction agreement, to select their plan benefits within the guidelines of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

The benefits available include group health insurance premiums, unreimbursed medical expenses and dependent day care. All employees who have satisfied all of the eligibility requirements as set forth in the plan documents may participate in the cafeteria plan.

NOTE K - OPERATING LEASES

The Corporation leases space on various towers for transmitting and receiving their broadcast signals. They also lease real property at the tower sites. The period of these leases range from two to twenty years of which most can be canceled with written notice of termination from either party within a specified period of days ranging from 30 to 180 days.

Management expects that in the normal course of business the leases will be renewed or renegotiated.

The following is a schedule by years of future minimum rental payments required under operating leases that have initial or remaining non-cancellable lease terms in excess of one year as of June 30, 2021:

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NOTE K - OPERATING LEASES - Continued

Year ending June 30,	
2023	\$ 84,713
2024	29,913
2025	29,913
2026	5,540
2027	-
Later	
Total minimum payments required	\$ 150,079

Total rental expense for all operating leases for the years ended June 30, 2022 and June 30, 2021 was \$91,633 and \$91,532, respectively.

NOTE L - DIGITAL CONVERSION

To assist Smoky Hills Public Television Corporation in making the federally mandated conversion from analog to digital signal, \$3,090,376 of funding was obtained from the State of Kansas through the issuance of Kansas Development Finance Authority Series 2001L Bonds. The estimated total cost of the conversion is approximately 6 million dollars. The State of Kansas is paying for the bonds, and as a condition of the agreement, retains ownership of the digital conversion project until March 1, 2021, at which time, Smoky Hills Public Television Corporation can purchase the equipment for \$100. This transaction is being treated as a capital lease due to the bargain purchase option at the end of the term. The cost of the digital conversion project, because it is owned by the State of Kansas, is not available for use as collateral for any future borrowings.

During the year ended June 30, 2006, the Organization received a grant from the U.S. Department of Agriculture, for the construction of a new digital tower. The amount of the grant was \$2,000,000. The estimated cost of this project is approximately \$3,000,000. The remaining funding has been obtained from the State of Kansas from the Kansas Development Finance Authority Series 2001L Bonds used in the Digital Conversion funding noted above. The same terms apply. During the year ended June 30, 2007, the Organization completed the construction of this new digital tower. With the remaining grant monies, the Organization was granted permission to add digital production and editing equipment to this grant. These monies were expended during the year ended June 30, 2008.

NOTE M - CONTINUITY OF OPERATIONS

Smoky Hills Public Television Corporation relies on governmental and private grants and contributions for its continued existence. There is no assurance that such grants and contributions will continue.