

Certified Public Accountants

eTown

Financial Statements

December 31, 2014 and 2013



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Certified Public Accountants

Board of Directors eTown Boulder, Colorado

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of eTown (a nonprofit organization), which comprised the statements of financial position as of December 31, 2014 and 2013, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the years then ended, and related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditors' Responsibility

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

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

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

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of eTown as of December 31, 2014 and 2013, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Cahill, O'Kelly & Associates, P.L.

May 18, 2015

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Statements of Financial Position December 31, 2014 and 2013

ASSETS				
		2014		2013
CURRENT ASSETS			_	
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	162,578	\$	71,872
Accounts Receivable - Pledges		-		101,420
Accounts Receivable - Sponsorships		5,433		10,168
Accounts Receivable - Employees		4,000		-
Prepaid Insurance		1,820		<u> </u>
Total Current Assets		173,829		183,460
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT				
eTown Hall Building		7,617,652		7,617,652
Land		340,000		340,000
Audio Equipment		277,389		208,650
Computer Equipment		29,065		25,937
Furniture and Fixtures		30,514		18,500
Office Equipment		1,840		1,840
		8,296,458		8,212,579
Less: Accumulated Depreciation		(680,900)		(452,477)
Net Property and Equipment	_	7,615,558	_	7,760,102
OTHER ASSETS				
Tape Library		100,000		100,000
Loan Closing Costs, net		45,016		46,264
Total Other Assets	_	145,016	-	146,264
	_		_	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ _	7,934,404	\$ _	8,089,826
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS				
CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Accounts Payable	\$	55,604	\$	17,903
Due to Related Parties	Ψ	5,558	•	6,734
Accrued Expenses		3,701		29,453
Accrued Interest		8,165		,
Accrued Salaries and Payroll Taxes		35,971		15,958
Simple IRA Contributions Payable		38,242		4,340
Security Deposits		8,750		-
Short-Term Loans Payable		129,990		240,000
Line of Credit Payable		-		82,950
Note Payable - Short-term portion		73,097		70,256
Total Current Liabilities		359,077	_	467,594
LONG-TERM LIABILITIES				
Note Payable - Long-term portion	_	1,797,366	_	1,869,787
Total Liabilities		2,156,444		2,337,381
NET ASSETS				
Unrestricted		5,777,961		5,752,445
Temporarily Restricted		-, -,		-
Total Net Assets	_	5,777,961	-	5,752,445
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$_	7,934,404	\$_	8,089,826

Statements of Activities For the Years Ended December 31, 2014 and 2013

		2014	_	2013
SUPPORT AND REVENUE			_	
Corporate Sponsorships	\$	218,559	\$	401,945
Contributions/Grants		1,337,101		694,535
Ticket Sales		656,993		970,397
Rental Income		125,763		72,285
Interest and Dividend Income		17		33
Merchandise Sales, Net		51,224	_	39,481
Total Support and Revenue	-	2,389,657		2,178,676
Net Assets Released from Restrictions	_		-	235,173
Unrestricted Support and Revenue		2,389,657		2,413,849
FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES				
Program Services		1,912,029		2,117,809
Fundraising		87,899		58,925
Management and General	_	364,213	_	390,076
Total Functional Expenses	_	2,364,141	-	2,566,810
(DECREASE) INCREASE IN UNRESTRICTED NET ASSETS		25,516		(152,961)
TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS				
Contributions		-		138,000
Net Assets Released from Restrictions	_	<u>-</u>		(235,173)
(DECREASE) IN TEMPORARILY				
RESTRICTED NET ASSETS	_	<u>-</u>		(97,173)
(DECREASE) INCREASE IN NET ASSETS		25,516		(250,134)
NET ASSETS, Beginning of Year	-	5,752,445		6,002,579
NET ASSETS, End of Year	\$_	5,777,961	\$	5,752,445

eTownStatement of Functional Expenses
For the Year Ended December 31, 2014

	Program Services	Fundraising	Management and General	Total
Salaries and Wages	\$ 486,627	\$ 64,681	\$ 64,565	615,873
Payroll Tax Expense	37,772	5,020	5,011	47,803
Total Compensation Costs	524,399	69,701	69,576	663,676
Advertising and Marketing	29,760	-	75	29,835
Bank and Credit Card Fees	4,140	-	1,295	5,435
Conferences and Meetings	-	-	1,999	1,999
Computer Supplies & Services	10,986	1,460	1,457	13,903
Contract Labor	196,833	· -	73,782	270,615
Dues & Subscriptions	5,230	695	694	6,619
Fundraising	-	5,611	-	5,611
Insurance	16,679	817	11,349	28,845
Interest Expense	33,428	-	50,141	83,569
Licenses and Fees	972	-	417	1,389
Maintenance and Repairs	23,195	-	9,941	33,136
Miscellaneous	-	~	6,161	6,161
Office Supplies	17,333	2,304	2,489	22,126
Postage and Delivery	2,541	338	337	3,216
Professional Fees	· -	-	48,235	48,235
Simple IRA Matching	12,628	1,679	1,675	15,982
Rental Expenses	5,177	· •	2,219	7,396
Show Production Costs	803,905	-	-	803,905
Telephone	6,884	-	2,950	9,834
Taxes - Other	5,907	-	336	6,243
Travel and Entertainment	10,450	1,389	1,386	13,225
Utilities	11,435	•	4,900	16,335
Web Design	29,377	3,905	3,898	37,180
Total Other Expenses	1,226,860	18,198	225,736	1,470,794
Total Expenses Before Depreciation and Amortization	1,751,259	87,899	295,312	2,134,470
Depreciation and Amortization	160,770	<u> </u>	68,901	229,671
Total Functional Expenses	\$ <u>1,912,029</u>	\$87,899	\$ 364,213	\$ <u>2,364,141</u>

eTownStatement of Functional Expenses
For the Year Ended December 31, 2013

	-	Program Services		Fundraising		Management and General	Total
Salaries and Wages	\$	397,513	\$	48,975	\$	75,056 \$	521,544
Payroll Tax Expense		32,426		3,995		6,122	42,543
Total Compensation Costs	-	429,939	,	52,970		81,178	564,087
Advertising and Marketing		34,736		-		389	35,125
Bank and Credit Card Fees		3,646		-		868	4,514
Conferences and Meetings		-		-		2,250	2,250
Computer Supplies & Services		7,778		958		1,469	10,205
Contract Labor		227,989		-		77,052	305,041
Dues & Subscriptions		3,630		447		685	4,762
Insurance		13,434		445		10,504	24,383
Interest Expense		34,502		-		51,753	86,255
Licenses and Fees		6,755		-		2,895	9,650
Maintenance and Repairs		41,343		-		17,719	59,062
Miscellaneous		-		-		42,309	42,309
Office Supplies		15,637		1,927		2,953	20,517
Postage and Delivery		938		116		177	1,231
Professional Fees		-		-		14,912	14,912
Simple IRA Matching		4,556		561		860	5,977
Rental Expenses		7,123		-		3,053	10,176
Show Production Costs		1,097,100		-		•	1,097,100
Telephone		6,958		-		2,982	9,940
Taxes - Other		1,215		-		371	1,586
Travel and Entertainment		8,804		1,085		1,662	11,551
Utilities		12,754		-		5,466	18,220
Web Design		3,379		416		638	4,433
Total Other Expenses		1,532,277		5,955	•	240,967	1,779,199
Total Expenses Before Depreciation and Amortization		1,962,216		58,925		322,145	2,343,286
Depreciation and Amortization		155,593			•	67,931	223,524
Total Functional Expenses	\$	2,117,809	\$	58,925	\$	390,076 \$	2,566,810

Statements of Cash Flows For the Years Ended December 31, 2014 and 2013

	_	2014	-	2013
Changes in Net Assets	\$	25,516	\$	(250,134)
Adjustments to Reconcile Increase in Net Assets to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:				
Depreciation and Amortization Changes in Operating Assets and Liabilities:		229,671		223,523
Decrease in Accounts Receivable Increase in Prepaid Expenses		102,156 (1,820)		9,412 -
Increase (Decrease) in Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities Increase in Security Deposits Payable		64,769 8,750		(11,506) -
Decrease in Deferred Revenue	_		-	(18,333)
NET CASH (USED) PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES		429,041		(47,038)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Purchase of Property and Equipment	_	(83,879)		(188,244)
NET CASH USED BY INVESTING ACTIVITIES		(83,879)		(188,244)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES Proceeds (Payment) of Principal on Notes Payable		(69,580)		656,933
Payment on Line of Credit (Payment) Proceeds from Short-Term Loans		(82,950) (110,010)		(15,949) (370,000)
NET CASH PROVIDED BY FINANCING ACTIVITIES	-	(262,540)	•	270,984
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	_	82,622	•	35,702
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - Beginning of Year	_	71,872	_	36,170
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - End of Year	\$_	154,494	\$	71,872
CURRI EMENTAL INFORMATION				
SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION Interest Paid, Net of Amounts Capitalized	\$_	75,404	\$	74,417

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2014 and 2013

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Organization and Activities

eTown is a Colorado nonprofit corporation whose mission is to produce and distribute a unique radio program, combining environmental information with various types of music. eTown operates from its facility located in Boulder, Colorado. It serves the public on a local and national level. Revenues are derived from contributions and ticket sales.

Basis of Presentation

eTown has adopted the provisions of FASB Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) No 958 Not-for-Profit Entities.

As required by ASC No. 958, the accompanying financial statements have been prepared to present balances and transactions according to the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions. This has been accomplished by classification of fund balances and transactions into the following classes of net assets:

Temporarily Restricted Net Assets - Net assets subject to donor-imposed stipulations that may or will be met by actions of eTown and/or the passage of time.

Unrestricted Net Assets - Net assets not subject to donor-imposed stipulations. This category includes net assets which have been designated by the board or other designated funds, and eTown's investment in property and equipment pursuant to approved Board policy.

Revenues are reported as increases in unrestricted net assets unless use of the related assets is limited by donor-imposed restrictions. Expenses are reported as decreases in unrestricted net assets. Gains and losses on investments and other assets or liabilities are reported as increases or decreases in unrestricted net assets unless their use is restricted by explicit donor stipulation or by law. Expirations of temporary restrictions on net assets (i.e., the donor-stipulated purpose has been fulfilled and/or the stipulated time period has elapsed) are reported as reclassifications between the applicable classes of net assets. Contributions received containing donor restrictions are reported as temporarily restricted support and are then classified to unrestricted net assets upon compliance with such restrictions.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

eTown considers all liquid investments purchased with maturities of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

Contributions Receivable

Unconditional contributions receivable are recognized as revenues in the period the promise is received. Conditional contributions are recognized when the conditions on which they depend are substantially met.

Contributions

Contributions are recognized in the year that unconditional promises to give are received and recorded as unrestricted, temporarily restricted, or permanently restricted support depending on the existence and the nature of the donor restrictions.

Inventories

The Organization has historically carried inventory consisting of compact discs valued at cost. Over the past few years, this inventory has been used more as promotional materials than as an available-for-sale product. Management decided in 2011 to expense all future purchases as marketing costs.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2014 and 2013

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Property and Equipment

Property and equipment purchased by eTown is recorded at cost. Donated property is recorded at fair value on the date contributed. Donations are reported as unrestricted support unless the donor has restricted the donated asset to a specific purpose. Depreciation is provided using the double-declining balance method over the estimated useful lives of the assets, which range from thirty-nine years for the building to five to seven years for furniture and equipment.

Investments

eTown reports its investments in compliance with FASB Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) No. 958, *Not-For-Profit Organizations*. Under ASC No. 958, all investments in marketable equity securities with readily determinable fair values and all debt securities are reported at fair values. Realized and unrealized gains and losses are reported in the statement of activities, when applicable.

Deferred Revenue

Deferred revenue consists of sponsorship promises received for the subsequent year. Recognition of revenue is deferred until the period in which the services are provided.

Contributed Assets

Contributed property, marketable securities, and other noncash donations are recorded as contributions at their estimated fair values at the date of donation. There has been no contributed property for the years ending December 31, 2014 and 2013, respectively.

Donated Services and Materials

Donated services and materials which meet the criteria for recognition under ASC No. 958, *Not For Profit Entities*, are recorded in the accompanying financial statements at fair market value as of the date of donation.

A significant portion of eTown's functions are conducted by unpaid volunteers and is not reflected in the accompanying financial statements since the volunteers' time does not meet the criteria for recognition under ASC No. 958.

Concentrations of Credit Risk

eTown is supported by contributions from the public. It is always considered reasonably possible that benefactors, grantors or contributors/sponsors will be lost in the near term and the Organization actively pursues additional sponsorship and financial support.

Expense Allocation

Expenses are charged to program service and supporting services on the basis of periodic time and expense studies. Management and general expenses include expenses not directly identifiable with any specific function and provide for the overall support and direction of the Organization.

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 revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2014 and 2013

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Income Tax Exemption

The Organization is exempt from federal income taxes under the provisions of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code as an organization that is not a private foundation under Section 509(a)(2); as such, no provisions for income taxes have been made. Contributions made to eTown qualify for the charitable contribution deduction under Section 170(b)(1)(a).

NOTE 2 - CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVABLE

At December 31, 2014 and 2013, eTown had sponsorship contribution receivables of \$5,433 and \$10,168, respectively. Sponsorship contributions are related to contracted corporate sponsorships.

NOTE 3 - PLEDGES RECEIVABLE

For the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013, eTown had \$0 and \$101,420 in pledges receivable, respectively.

NOTE 4 - TAPE LIBRARY

The value of the tape library was estimated at \$50,000 in 1992, with the formation of the Organization, and adjusted to \$100,000 in 2004. Additional library costs have been expensed as incurred. The true value of the tape library cannot be determined without an appraisal.

NOTE 5 - LINE OF CREDIT

On June 30, 2010, the Organization obtained a business line of credit with a financial institution. The balance available on this line is \$100,000. Interest is due monthly at the variable Prime Rate plus 1.75 percentage points (3.25% at December 31, 2014). As of December 31, 2014 and 2013 the balance outstanding was \$0 and \$82,950, respectively.

eTown Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2014 and 2013

NOTE 6 - NOTES PAYABLE

A summary of notes payable outstanding as of December 31, 2014 and 2013 is as follows:

	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
Short-term notes from Board of Director members and the Executive Director bearing interest at 4%. These notes are not collateralized, have no set maturity date, and are due on demand.	\$ 129,990	\$ 240,000

The Organization refinanced a mortgage loan in January, 2013 with a principal amount of \$2,000,000. The loan requires monthly principal and interest payments of \$12,166. The loan bears interest at the monthly LIBOR rate plus 3.77%. The loan is collateralized with a deed of trust on the building at 1535 Spruce Street, Boulder, CO. The final payment on this loan is due in January, 2023 in the amount of outstanding principal plus any outstanding interest.

1.870,463	1,940,043
\$2,000,453	\$2,180,043

The following is a schedule of maturities for the mortgage loan outstanding at December 31, 2014:

2015	\$ 7	3,097
2015	7	6,052
2016	7	9,127
2017	8	2,326
2018-2023	<u>1,55</u>	<u>9,861</u>
	\$ 1,87	0,463

NOTE 7 - TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS

Temporarily restricted net assets consist of amounts specified by the donors for a specific service or use of funds. For the period ended December 31, 2013, restricted donations were contributed to the One World Song program and the Studio Build-out project. All of these restricted donations were used during the period. At December 31, 2014 and 2013, respectively, there were no restricted net assets.

NOTE 8 - STANDARD SIMPLE PLAN

eTown has adopted a SIMPLE-IRA Plan for eligible employees. Participation in the plan is voluntary. Under this plan, an employee may make salary reduction contributions, not to exceed statutory limitations. The Organization matches the employee's contribution subject to a maximum of three percent (3%). Contributions made on behalf of eligible employees for 2014 and 2013 amounted to \$15,982 and \$7,396, respectively.

eTownNotes to Financial Statements December 31, 2014 and 2013

NOTE 9 - RELATED PARTIES

During 2014 and 2013, eTown paid \$114,111 and \$101,234, respectively to Wendell World, an S Corporation owned by eTown's Executive Director Nick Forster. These payments were for the following expenses:

	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
Contracted Production Costs Equipment Rental Equipment Purchase	\$ 67,510 10,609 <u>4,849</u> \$ 82,968	\$ 96,234 5,000 - \$ 101,234

Wendell World provided a \$20,000, interest free, short-term loan to eTown on August 28, 2012 and a \$25,000 interest free short-term loan on October 17, 2014. The loans were repaid on January 29, 2013 and November 11, 2014 respectively.

As identified in Note 6 - Notes Payable, various Board of Director members and the Executive Director provided short-term loans and have remaining balances to be paid in the amounts of \$86,660 and \$43,330, respectively, to eTown as of December 31, 2014. Accrued interest payable on these loans amounted to \$8,165 at December 31, 2014 and \$0 at December 31, 2013.

NOTE 10 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Management has reviewed all subsequent events through May 18, 2015, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.