



**Catholic Diocese of Salt Lake City Capital Development Corporation** 

Financial Statements
As of June 30, 2023 and 2022 and for the Years Then Ended

**Together with Independent Auditors' Report** 

# As of and For the Years Ended June 30, 2023 and 2022

# Independent Auditors' Report

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## Independent Auditors' Report

#### To Most Reverend Oscar A. Solis:

#### Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Catholic Diocese of Salt Lake City Capital Development Corporation (the Corporation), which comprise the statements of financial position as of June 30, 2023 and 2022, and the related statements of activities and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to financial statements.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Catholic Diocese of Salt Lake City Capital Development Corporation as of June 30, 2023 and 2022, 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 (US GAAP).

#### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (US GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Corporation 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 US GAAP, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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

## Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audits 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 auditors' 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 US 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, including omissions, 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 US GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to
  fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures
  include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial
  statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Corporation's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Corporation'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.

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October 19, 2023

As of June 30,

	 2023	2022
<u>Assets</u>		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 2,356,387	\$ 4,814,655
Parish and other related Catholic entities notes receivable	4,557,205	5,080,228
Interest receivable	149,099	95,348
Investments	20,340,005	18,698,224
Total assets	\$ 27,402,696	\$ 28,688,455
Liabilities and Net Assets		
Liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 18,555	\$ 40,000
Related Catholic entities accounts payable	-	6,440
Parish and other related Catholic entities deposits	27,364,646	28,959,455
Total liabilities	27,383,201	29,005,895
Net assets (deficit) without donor restrictions	 19,495	(317,440)
Total liabilities and net assets	\$ 27,402,696	\$ 28,688,455

For the Years Ended June 30,

	 2023	2022
Change in net assets:	 _	
Revenue and gains (losses):		
Interest and dividend income on investments	\$ 777,905	\$ 500,890
Net realized gains (losses) on investments	(293,934)	30,892
Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	972,440	(2,906,466)
Interest income on parish and other related Catholic entities notes receivable	 323,175	 204,451
Total revenue and gains (losses)	 1,779,586	(2,170,233)
Expenses and transfers:		
Deposits for parishes and other related Catholic entities:		
Interest expense	1,075,262	137,809
Management and general:		
General and administrative	 17,389	 24,000
Total expenses	1,092,651	161,809
Transfers to the Diocesan Pastoral Administration	350,000	 350,000
Total expenses and transfers	1,442,651	511,809
Increase (decrease) in net assets	336,935	(2,682,042)
Net assets (deficit) at beginning of year	(317,440)	2,364,602
Net assets (deficit) at end of year	\$ 19,495	\$ (317,440)

For the Years Ended June 30,

		2023	2022	
Cash flows from operating activities:				
Change in net assets (deficit)	\$	336,935	\$	(2,682,042)
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets (deficit) to net cash				
provided by (used in) operating activities:				
Net realized (gains) losses on investments		293,934		(30,892)
Net unrealized (gains) losses on investments		(972,440)		2,906,466
Change in operating assets and liabilities:				
Parish and other related Catholic entities notes receivable		523,023		1,483,555
Interest receivable		(53,751)		(5,729)
Accounts payable		(21,445)		40,000
Related Catholic entities accounts payable		(6,440)		6,440
Parish and related other Catholic entities deposits		(1,594,809)		8,461,246
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	•	(1,494,993)		10,179,044
Cash flows from investing activities:				
Purchases of investments		(7,638,235)		(9,901,970)
Proceeds from sale of investments		6,674,960		2,677,396
Net cash used in investing activities		(963,275)		(7,224,574)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		(2,458,268)		2,954,470
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		4,814,655		1,860,185
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$	2,356,387	\$	4,814,655

## 1. Organization and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

### **Basis of Presentation**

The accompanying financial statements include all accounts of the Catholic Diocese of Salt Lake City Capital Development Corporation (the Corporation). The Corporation acts as a support organization for the benefit of the Roman Catholic Bishop of Salt Lake City, a Utah Corporation Sole (the Bishop), the Ministries of the Catholic Diocese of Salt Lake City, LLC, a Utah Nonprofit Series Limited Liability Company, including all series established thereunder, and Skaggs Catholic Center, LLC, a Utah Nonprofit Limited Liability Company. The functional and natural classification of expenses of the Corporation have been presented in the statements of activities.

The financial statements of the Corporation have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United State of America ("US GAAP"). The Corporation holds excess funds of the Diocese's parishes and institutions and lends to parishes and institutions for projects approved by the Corporation board.

#### **Net Assets**

The financial statements report net assets and changes in net assets without donor restrictions, which represent resources which are not subject to donor restrictions and over which the Corporation retains control to use the funds in order to achieve the Corporation's purpose. The Corporation does not have any net assets with donor restrictions.

## **Cash Equivalents**

Cash equivalents consist of investments in money market accounts with original maturity dates to the Corporation of three months or less at the date of purchase. Cash equivalents totaled \$1,605,519 and \$2,422,430 as of June 30, 2023 and 2022, respectively.

#### Parish and Related Catholic Entities Notes Receivable

Notes receivable relate to financing arrangements with parishes and other related Catholic entities and are recorded at face value. The Corporation does not require collateral for the notes and has not and does not intend to sell these receivables. The interest rate charged on notes is set by the Corporation at 0.25% above the prime rate (calculated at the beginning of each quarter) and is recognized over the life of the note. Cash payments are made by parishes and other related Catholic entities as excess cash is available. In the event funds are not available from the related entity to repay a note, it is the Corporation's intention to extend the payment terms or defer such payments until funds become available, while interest continues to accrue on the original note amount.

#### Interest Receivable and Investments

Investments in securities are measured at fair market value in the statements of financial position using quoted market prices or quoted market prices of similar, comparable securities. Unrealized gains and losses on investments are reported in the statements of activities as increases or decreases in net assets, less external and direct internal investment expenses. Realized gains and losses are determined on a specific identification basis. Dividend income on securities owned is recorded on the ex-dividend date. Interest income is recognized on the accrual basis and is recorded separately as a receivable when accrued.

#### **Related Catholic Entities Accounts Payable**

Accounts payable are amounts owed to the Diocesan Pastoral Administration of the Roman Catholic Bishop (the Bishop) for transfers and are reported net of receivables from the Bishop for expenses paid by the Corporation on behalf of the Bishop.

### Parish and Related Catholic Entities Deposits

All parishes and institutions must deposit excess funds with the Corporation. Funds are to be deposited at regular intervals. The interest rate for deposits is calculated at 3.00% below the interest rate used for the parish notes receivable. Deposit withdrawals are submitted to, and approved by, the Office of the Vicar General.

#### **Income Taxes**

No provision for income taxes has been provided as the Corporation is exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code as an organization described in Section 501(c)(3), as indicated in a determination letter to the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) dated September 6, 2022.

US GAAP requires management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Corporation and recognize a tax liability if the Corporation has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the IRS. Management has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Corporation and has concluded that as of June 30, 2023, there were no uncertain positions taken or expected to be taken that would require recognition of a liability or disclosure in the financial statements.

#### **Concentrations of Credit Risk**

The Corporation maintains its cash in bank deposit accounts which, at times, exceed federally insured limits or are otherwise not insured. The Corporation maintains its investment balances with high-credit, quality financial institutions. To date, the Corporation has not experienced a loss or lack of access to its cash or its investments; however, no assurance can be provided that access to the Corporation's uninsured cash or its investments will not be impacted by adverse conditions in the financial markets.

Major borrowing parishes and other related Catholic entities are defined as entities having outstanding note balances with the Corporation which equal or exceed 10% of the Corporation's total parish and related Catholic entities notes receivable balance. Concentrations of major borrowing parishes and related Catholic entities notes receivable were as follows as of June 30, 2023:

Related Catholic entity A	35%
Related Catholic entity B	25%
Related Catholic entity C	20%

Substantially all of the Corporation's support, revenue, and receivables are from related entities and parties. A future reduction of the revenue from these sources, due to market or parish conditions, would have a very significant impact on the Corporation's operations.

#### **Use of Estimates**

The Corporation has made a number of estimates and assumptions relating to the reporting of assets, revenues, and expenses to prepare these financial statements in conformity with US GAAP. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

### **Subsequent Events**

The Corporation has evaluated subsequent events through October 19, 2023, the date the financial statements were available to be issued, and has determined there were no items to disclose.

#### 2. Fair Value Measurements

The methodologies used to determine the fair values of assets and liabilities under the "exit price" notion reflect market participant objectives and are based on the application of the fair value hierarchy that prioritizes observable market inputs over unobservable inputs. The hierarchy is based on the reliability of inputs as follows:

Level 1 - Valuation is based upon quoted prices for identical assets and liabilities in active markets. The Corporation does not adjust the quoted price for Level 1 securities.

Level 2 - Valuation is based upon quoted prices for similar instruments in active markets, quoted prices for identical or similar instruments in markets that are not active, and independent pricing models or other model-based valuation techniques such as the present value of future cash flows, adjusted for the security's credit rating, prepayment assumptions, and other factors such as credit loss assumptions for which all significant assumptions are observable in the market.

Level 3 – Valuations derived from valuation techniques in which one or more significant inputs or significant value drivers are unobservable.

The following tables summarize the levels within the fair value hierarchy in which the fair value measurements of the Corporation's investments are classified as follows:

	Level 1	Level 2	Total
As of June 30, 2023:			
Domestic corporate bonds (a)	-	\$ 7,898,318	\$ 7,898,318
Government securities (b)	-	1,539,335	1,539,335
Certificates of deposit (c)	-	2,143,851	2,143,851
Common stocks (e)	240,400	-	240,400
Preferred equity securities (f)	619,838	-	619,838
Exchange traded funds (g)	7,248,989	-	7,248,989
Mutual funds (h)	 649,274	<u>-</u>	649,274
	\$ 8,758,501	\$ 11,581,504	\$ 20,340,005
	Level 1	Level 2	Total
As of June 30, 2022:	 _		
Domestic corporate bonds (a)	\$ -	\$ 8,013,318	\$ 8,013,318
Government securities (b)	-	284,838	284,838
Certificates of deposit (c)	-	566,611	566,611
Unit investment trust securities (d)	810,558	-	810,558
Common stocks (e)	264,460	-	264,460
Preferred equity securities (f)	638,847	-	638,847
Exchange traded funds (g)	8,119,592	-	8,119,592
Mutual funds (h)			
	\$ 9,833,457	\$ 8,864,767	\$ 18,698,224

The investment categories above reflect the fair value of the investments. For each of the categories described above, the fair value of the investments has been determined by obtaining either quoted market prices of the security or quoted market prices of similar, comparable securities as follows:

- (a) This category includes investments in corporate bonds obtained on domestic exchanges.
- (b) This category includes investments in government securities.
- (c) This category includes bank deposits (time deposits) that earn a contractual rate of interest over a specified period of time.
- (d) This category includes a pooled investment vehicle of stocks, bonds, or other securities deposited into a trust.
- (e) This category includes investments in domestic corporate stock.
- (f) This category includes securities with characteristics of both stocks and bonds and may offer investors higher yields than common stock or corporate bonds.
- (g) This category includes investments which derive their value from a basket of securities, such as stocks, bonds, commodities, or indices and are traded similar to individual stocks on an exchange.
- (h) This category includes a pooled investment vehicle of stocks, bonds, and other securities that is actively managed by a fund manager.

The Corporation's assets are invested in a variety of investments. Investment securities, in general, are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, credit, and overall market volatility risks. Due to the level or risk associated with certain investment securities, it is reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and such changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the statements of financial position.

#### 3. Liquidity and Availability

The Corporation regularly monitors liquidity required to meet its operating needs, liabilities, and other obligations as they become due. The Corporation is substantially supported by parishes and other related Catholic entities. The financial assets recorded by the Corporation are available to support its operating needs.

In addition to financial assets available to meet general expenditures over the next twelve months, the Corporation anticipates collecting sufficient interest income from investments and notes receivable to cover general expenditures. As part of its liquidity plan, excess cash is invested in money market accounts and short-term investments.

The following assets could readily be made available within one year of the date of the statement of financial position to meet general expenditures:

As of June 30,

	2023	2022
Financial assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 2,356,387	\$ 4,814,655
Interest receivable	149,099	95,348
Investments	20,340,005	18,698,224
	22,845,491	23,608,227
Less those unavailable for general expenditures within one year		
Financial assets available to meet cash needs for general expenditures within one year	\$ 22,845,491	\$ 23,608,227