

ARMSTRONG COUNTY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

DECEMBER 31, 2008

ARMSTRONG COUNTY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

DECEMBER 31, 2008

ASSETS

Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 23,589
Investments (at fair market value)	<u>3,753,148</u>
Total Assets	\$ <u>3,776,737</u>

LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS

Liabilities:	\$ -0-
Net Assets:	
Permanently restricted	<u>3,776,737</u>
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$ <u>3,776,737</u>

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

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STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

REVENUE:	
Direct public support	\$ 1,450,293
Special events and activities	28,117
Interest income	102
Investment earnings (losses)	<u>(1,467,633)</u>
TOTAL REVENUE	<u>10,879</u>
EXPENSES:	
Program services:	
Tuition Scholarship Program and grants to charitable agencies	<u>474,246</u>
Support services:	
Schedule following	<u>190,939</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	<u>665,185</u>
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	<u>(654,306)</u>
NET ASSETS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	<u>4,431,043</u>
NET ASSETS, END OF YEAR	<u>\$3,776,737</u>

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STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES – SUPPORTING SCHEDULE

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

Support services:	
Salaries and wages	\$ 90,635
Special events and activities	28,501
Office equipment and supplies	7,906
Printing and publications	7,143
Marketing	10,381
Rent	6,465
Telephone and internet	2,948
Utilities	2,408
Taxes	9,076
Insurance	2,189
Postage	1,896
Employee benefits	3,648
Professional fees	4,655
Educational/Training	659
Dues and subscriptions	2,134
Literacy	929
Travel/Meals	5,412
Payroll services	952
Website	813
Repairs and maintenance	950
Miscellaneous	<u>1,239</u>
	<u>\$ 190,939</u>

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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

Cash flows from operating activities:

Change in net assets	\$(654,306)
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash provided by operating activities:	
Investment losses	1,467,633
Contributions of stock investments	<u>(589,400)</u>
Net cash provided by operating activities	223,927

Cash flows from investing activities:

Purchase of investments	(1,259,354)
Redemption of investments	<u>1,040,715</u>
Net cash used by investing activities	<u>(218,639)</u>

NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS 5,288

CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF YEAR 18,301

CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF YEAR \$ 23,589

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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A. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

1. Nature of Activities

Armstrong County Community Foundation is a nonprofit corporation incorporated to meet the needs of individuals and charitable agencies within the county. Since inception, the foundation has allowed donors and nonprofit organizations to work together to improve the quality of life in the area. The purpose of the organization is to develop, manage and distribute charitable funding to meet existing and changing community needs.

2. Basis of Accounting

The Organization's policy is to prepare its financial statements on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements. Consequently, certain revenues and related assets are recognized when received rather than when earned, and certain expenses are recognized when paid rather than when the obligation is incurred. This policy constitutes a departure from generally accepted accounting principles. Accordingly, the accompanying financial statements are not intended to present statements of financial position, activities, and cash flows in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

3. Fixes Assets

Fixed assets acquired by the Organization are expensed when purchased. Therefore, these financial statements do not include a provision for depreciation.

4. Federal Income Taxes

The Organization qualifies as a tax-exempt non-profit organization under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Accordingly, no provision for federal income taxes has been recorded.

5. Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include all monies in banks and highly liquid investments with maturity dates of less than three months. Fair value approximates carrying amounts.

6. Financial Statement Presentation

The Organization has adopted Statement of Financial Accounting Standards (SFAS) No. 117, Financial Statements of Not-for-Profit Organizations. Under SFAS No. 117, the Organization is required to report information regarding its financial position and activities according to three classes of net assets:

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unrestricted net assets, temporarily restricted net assets, and permanently restricted net assets. In addition, the Organization is required to present a statement of cash flows.

7. Investment Securities

The Organization has adopted SFAS No. 124, Accounting for Certain Investments Held by Not-for-Profit Organizations. Under SFAS No. 124, investments in marketable securities with readily determinable fair values and all investments in debt securities are valued at their fair values in the statement of financial position. Unrealized gains and losses are included in the change in net assets.

8. Contributions

The Organization has adopted SFAS No. 116 Accounting for Contributions Received and Contributions Made. Contributions received are recorded as unrestricted, temporarily restricted, or permanently restricted support depending on the existence or nature of any donor restrictions.

9. Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires the use of the management's estimates.

B. RENT COMMITMENT

The Organization leases its office facilities at 160 North McKean Street, Kittanning, Pennsylvania, under a lease agreement dated September 1, 2005. On July 10, 2008, the Organization entered into an extension of this lease agreement thru September 30, 2013. The new agreement requires monthly rental payments of \$520. In addition, it requires the Organization to be responsible for 25% of the increase in the real estate taxes over and above the 2008 county and borough tax and the 2008-2009 school tax.

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C. INVESTMENTS

The Organization's investment accounts consisted of the following at December 31, 2008:

	<u>COST</u>	<u>MARKET</u>
Money Market/C.D.'s	\$ 475,417	\$ 475,880
Stocks/Bonds	1,096,184	906,728
Mutual Funds	<u>3,652,449</u>	<u>\$2,370,540</u>
	<u>\$ 5,224,050</u>	<u>\$3,753,148</u>

A summary of investment earnings included in the Statement of Activities is as follows:

Interest and dividends	\$ 125,932
Capital gain distributions	24,784
Realized gains	75,650
Unrealized gains (losses)	<u>(1,693,999)</u>
	<u>\$(1,467,633)</u>

D. NON-CASH CONTRIBUTIONS

The revenue category of "Direct public support" presented in the Statement of Activities includes contributions of stock (marketable securities) made by donors during the year ended December 31, 2008.

Fair market value of the stock shares was \$589,400 at the time of contribution.

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Directors
Armstrong County Community Foundation

I have audited the accompanying statement of financial position of the Armstrong County Community Foundation as of December 31, 2008, and the related statements of activities and cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Organization's management. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit.

I conducted my audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that I plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. I believe that my audit provides a reasonable basis for my opinion.

As described in Note A, these financial statements were prepared on the cash basis of accounting, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than generally accepted accounting principles.

In my opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Armstrong County Community Foundation as of December 31, 2008, and the changes in its net assets and cash flows for the year then ended, on the basis of accounting described in Note A.



November 9, 2009
Kittanning, Pennsylvania