

# Celebrating the Pioneering Spirit of the Nonprofit



OKLAHOMA  
**CENTER**  
FOR NONPROFITS  
*Building better communities through effective nonprofits.*

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ANNUAL REPORT 2013–2014

## ABOUT THE CENTER

More than a century and a half ago, brave settlers traveled to what would become the great state of Oklahoma on horseback and by wagon. Men, women and children braved a tough road to become the masses that would settle our state and impart a unique, pioneering spirit that lives on in every Oklahoman. Our nonprofits, like those early pioneers, travel tough roads – together – to create better lives for everyone in our state.

Since 1981, our state's charitable organizations have been blessed with some extra power for their own wagons thanks to the pioneering spirit of the Oklahoma Center for Nonprofits. Dedicated to building better communities through effective nonprofits, our training, consultation, advocacy and recognition programs have propelled Oklahoma's more than 16,500 organizations to better implement their missions and help the people of our state thrive.

Through the investments of dozens of corporations, foundations and individuals, Oklahoma nonprofits receive the latest, state-of-the-art assistance with a special brand of personal touch. Recognized as a national leader among statewide service organizations, the Oklahoma Center for Nonprofits prides itself on providing cutting-edge services statewide.

"A man only learns in two ways, one by reading, and the other by association with smarter people."

– WILL ROGERS



The Center's programs provide professional training to nonprofits comprising:

- Board Governance and Executive Leadership
- Fundraising and Resource Development
- Financial Accountability
- Ethics and Legal Issues
- Communications and Marketing
- Management Best Practices
- Outcomes Measurement
- Community Improvement

And so much more ...

Additionally, the Center offers a flagship, best practices training called "Standards for Excellence" that provides 16 hours of coursework to guide nonprofit leaders – both board and staff – to operate effectively. When organizations need that extra, specialized assistance, the Center can provide consulting services that dig deep into managerial issues to eliminate organizational pain points and help nonprofits climb even the toughest mountains.

The Center also helps nonprofits from across the state network and share information, and we are the voice of the nonprofit sector for advocacy and public policy. When nonprofits need to be heard collectively, they turn to the Center. Finally, we recognize great nonprofit leadership and operations through our "Visions Awards" and "Oklahoma Nonprofit Excellence" Awards. To date, we have given nonprofits and their leaders more than a million dollars in mini-grants as recognition for excellence in the sector.

## TRAINING

The Oklahoma Center for Nonprofits provides members with affordable training in a number of subjects to assist organizations with adopting best practices throughout their administrative and program areas. By offering courses in finance, fundraising, marketing, board development and governance, outcomes management and a host of other nonprofit-specific subjects, the Center provides a valuable tool box to nonprofits across the state.

To keep training affordable or even free, the Center receives generous support from foundations, corporations and individuals all seeking to maximize investments into Oklahoma nonprofits. By partnering with both the funding community and nonprofit sector, the Center can best assess the needs of organizations for training, so that we may provide classroom-style workshops led by some of the industry's top trainers – both local and national – in both Tulsa and Oklahoma City at a reasonable cost.

Additionally, the Center provides training in various communities around the state, helping to ease the burdens of travel and to get an “on-the-ground” view of local issues faced by nonprofits.

For more information about training sessions and workshops offered by the Center, visit our website for a complete listing and calendar. Training is open to any employee, board member or volunteer of a nonprofit, philanthropists, business leaders or the general public.

“I love the training and the personal touch that everyone puts on every encounter with the Center. I absolutely try to take advantage of all that applies directly to where we are currently and where we are trying to go.”

Edwina Reddick  
Family Promise of Lawton

## TRAINING BY THE NUMBERS

### Training

Total Training Sessions	114
Number of Attendees	1,906
Standards for Excellence	52
Standards for Excellence Graduates to date	490
Oklahoma City	230
Tulsa	180
All Other Cities	80

### Consulting

Total Projects	96
Completed Projects	56
Incomplete Projects	34
Ongoing Projects	6

### STRING

#### Statewide Rural Initiative for Nonprofit Growth

Visits in Seven-City Territory	192
Standards for Excellence Graduates	14
New Members	30

### Courses Offered by Subject

Board Governance	16
Fundraising	14
Communications and Advocacy	11
Operations	10
Human Resources, Legal and Finance	10

### Popular Courses in 2013–2014\*

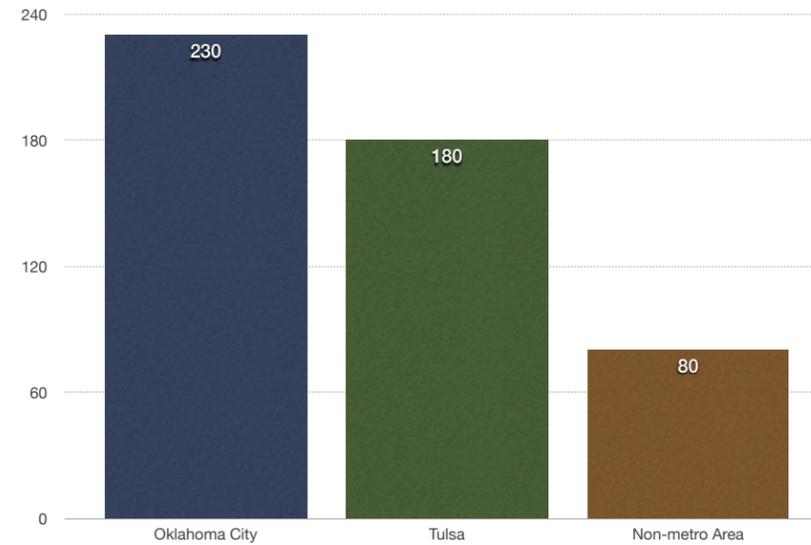
<i>National Speaker Series</i>	
Ask Without Fear	105
More Money for More Good	59

### General Sessions

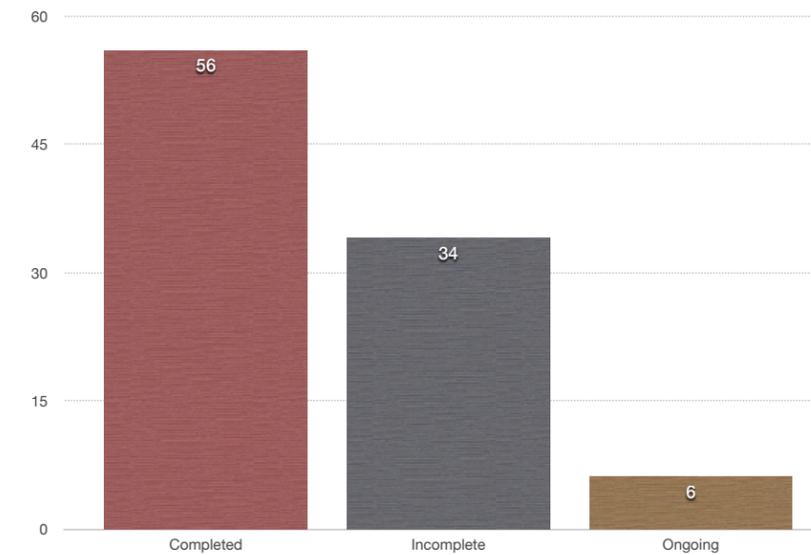
Funders Forum	88
Fundamentals of Nonprofit Finance	43

\*total attendance in Tulsa and Oklahoma City

Standards Graduates by City/Region



Consulting Projects 2013–2014



## STANDARDS FOR EXCELLENCE

For several years, the Center has presented the flagship training program STANDARDS FOR EXCELLENCE to nearly 500 Oklahoma nonprofits. The 16-hour, four-part series provides the nation's leading framework for nonprofit best practices in program implementation, board governance, human resources, finance, legal compliance, fundraising, advocacy and public policy.

Completing the STANDARDS FOR EXCELLENCE program entitles organizations to a comprehensive database of files and documents to ensure compliance to the Standards as set by the STANDARDS FOR EXCELLENCE Institute, created by the Maryland Association of Nonprofits. And because many of the sessions are led by Center staff, they are available to assist STANDARDS FOR EXCELLENCE graduates with questions about implementation through our free helpline.

## CONSULTING SERVICES

When organizations need further training, assistance or help with a specific challenge, the Center offers consultation projects to address governance, fundraising, marketing, HR, financial or other management issues. With senior consultants from our staff and partner consultants in the community, we match an expert to each nonprofit to complete all types of projects from single-visit staff trainings to multi-month campaigns, strategic planning and more complex projects.

Common needs include board and staff retreat facilitation, strategic and operational planning, HR, legal and finance consultation, board development and fundraising campaign planning.

If your organization needs specific consultation to find solutions, contact the Center's training staff to assess various options for consulting projects.

## STRING

### Statewide Rural Initiative for Nonprofit Growth

In 2013, the Center initiated the STRING program to assess the needs of, develop members in and train the nonprofits in southern and southeastern Oklahoma. This innovative pilot resulted in 30 new members of the Center who received extra assistance following 192 organizational visits to the region.

The Center also offered conference calls, free webinars and mini-training sessions to a number of organizations in the region. Additionally, 14 nonprofits completed STANDARDS FOR EXCELLENCE in Ardmore through the STRING program, and 11 nonprofit executives in Ardmore have established a new peer group to collaborate, learn and network.

STRING will continue in the coming years in Northwestern Oklahoma and other rural areas in need.

## MEMBERSHIP WITH THE CENTER

Organizational members of the Center comprise nonprofits from all corners of the state with far-reaching missions to help all Oklahomans lead better lives. Whether human services, education, the arts, health or community improvement, organizations that become members of the Center can receive valuable discounts on training and consultation, insurance benefits and other resources to assist in daily operations.

The Center added 67 new members in 2013–2014 and provided training, consultation, networking, advocacy and helpline services to countless others. With more than 16,500 nonprofits registered in Oklahoma, the Center continues to provide specialized membership services to create better communities through effective nonprofits.

## ADVOCACY AND PUBLIC POLICY

The Center specializes in advocacy and public policy issues facing the nonprofit sector and will communicate on the sector's behalf to policymakers locally, statewide and nationally on various bills that appear for vote. The Center also encourages nonprofits to get involved in advocacy by communicating organizational and population needs to their representatives, senators and other policymakers.

By engaging in critical advocacy efforts, the Center and its constituents can inform our policymakers about special issues confronting Oklahomans, educate them on important incentives for charitable giving and ensure minimal service disruptions for countless nonprofit consumers receiving assistance from nonprofit organizations.

The Center also seeks to communicate the economic impact of the nonprofit sector – showing the three-pronged impact that includes employment of tens of thousands of Oklahomans (10% of the workforce); savings to taxpayers through provision of preventive human services (\$5 for ever \$1 invested according to the American Psychological Association); and the reach of economic impact from investment into communities.

“I recommend the Center to every nonprofit that I work with. The training opportunities, the networking, and the resources that are made available through membership are something that no nonprofit should operate without.”

Peter Evans  
Oklahoma City Police  
Athletic League

## MEMBERSHIP BY THE NUMBERS

**Membership**  
Total Members 732  
New Members in 2013–14 67

*Annual Members Meeting*  
May 9, 2014  
95 Attendees  
Phil Lakin, Jr., Keynote Speaker

**Public Policy and Advocacy**  
*National Issues*  
Charitable Giving Incentive  
Government Contracting

*State Issues*  
ABLE Commission  
Education on Nonprofit  
Impact

*Advocacy Day*  
March 5, 2014  
76 Attendees  
36 Nonprofits  
11 Communities

## MEMBERS\*

12&12, Inc.	Boys & Girls Club of Oklahoma County, Inc.	Children's Interstitial and Diffuse Lung Disease Foundation	Domestic Violence Intervention Services (DVIS)	Friends of the Catoosa Library Foundation
21st Century Santa	Breast Cancer Assistance Program	Children's Musical Theatre of Bartlesville	Domestic Violence Program/ Dearing House	Friends of the Mansion
4RKids Foundation	Bricktown Association	Chisholm Trail Heritage Center	Dove Science Academy	Gatesway Foundation
A Chance to Change Foundation	Bridges of Hope Delaware County	Cherokee National Historical Society, Inc.	Down Syndrome Association of Central Oklahoma	Gatewood Historic District, Inc.
A New Leaf, Inc.	Bridges of Norman	Cherokee Strip Community Foundation	Down Syndrome Association of Tulsa	General Tommy Franks Leadership Institute & Museum
A New Leash on Life, Inc.	Bristow Social Services	Cherokee Strip Regional Heritage Center	Down Syndrome Association of Tulsa	Girl Scouts of Western Oklahoma
Abba's Family	Britvil Community Food Pantry	Chickasaw Foundation	Down Syndrome Association of Tulsa	Girls on the Run of Oklahoma County
Access Sports, Inc.	Broken Arrow Neighbors	Child Abuse Network	Down Syndrome Association of Tulsa	Girls on the Run of Southern Oklahoma
Ada Homeless Services	Buffalo Theatre	Children's Hospital Foundation	Down Syndrome Association of Tulsa	Global Gardens
Ada Senior Care	Building Firm Foundations for Life, Inc.	Children's Hospital Volunteers	Dress For Success Tulsa	Gloria Ainsworth Child Care & Learning Center, Inc.
Agapé Mission of Bartlesville	C.B. Goddard Center for Visual & Performing Arts	Chisholm Trail Heritage Center	DRH Health Foundation	Go Life Mobile Medical, Inc.
Aim High Academy	CAIR Oklahoma	Chisholm Trail Heritage Center Association	Eagle Ridge Institute	Good Samaritan Health Services
All Kidz, Inc.	Calm Waters Center for Children and Families	Choctaw Nation	EARC, Inc.	Good Shepherd Community Clinic, Inc.
Ally's House	Campfire USA- Heart of OK Council	Christ for the World	East Central University Foundation, Inc.	Goodwill Industries of SW OK & N Tx
Altus Armed Services YMCA	Canadian County CASA, Inc.	Christians Encouraging Christians	Easter Seals Oklahoma	Goodwill Industry of Tulsa
Alzheimer's Association	CAP Tulsa	Cimarron Alliance Equality Center	Eastern Oklahoma Donated Dental Services	Grace Center of Southern Oklahoma
American Association of Petroleum Geologists	Capitol Hill Main Street	Cimarron Opera	Edmond Family Counseling	Grace Cottage Pregnancy Crisis Center
American Cancer Society	Car Care Clinic, Inc.	Circus City Museum and Park, Inc.	Edmond Historical Society & Museum	Grace Hospice Foundation
Angels Foster Family Network - OKC	Cargo Ranch	Cities in Schools	Edmond Mobile Meals	Grand Lake Mental Health Center
Animal Rescue Center of Shawnee	Caring Community Friends, Inc.	Citizens Caring for Children	Elder Care	Greater Ardmore Scholarship Foundation
Animal Resource Center	CASA for Children, Inc.	City Care	Emergency Infant Services	Greater OKC Youth Sports
Ann Patterson Dooley Family Safety Center	Casa Hispana: Hispanic Outreach Center	City Care's Whiz Kids	Empowering Adults Protecting Children	Greater Oklahoma City Chamber Green Connections
Anna's House Foundation	CASA Of Oklahoma County	City of Broken Arrow	Enid Public School Foundation	Greyson's Advocates
Apex, Inc.	Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of OKC, Inc.	City of Rescue Mission	Enid Regional Development Alliance	Guiding Right, Inc.
Arbuckle Life Solutions, Inc.	Cavett Kids Foundation	Coin 4 Critters Organization	Epworth Villa	Happy Hands Education Center
Ardmore Habitat for Humanity	Center for Children and Families, Inc.	Cole Community Impact Organization	Evergreen Life Services	Harn Homestead Museum
Ardmore Main Street Authority	Center for Individuals with Physical Challenges	Community Association of Sparrow Hawk	Executive Service Corps of Central Oklahoma	Harvest House
Arms Around BA	Center of Family Love	Community Food Bank of Eastern Oklahoma, Inc.	Fab Lab Tulsa	HBA Charitable Foundation
Artes Pro Vita Academy	Central Christian Camp	Community Health Charities, OK	Faith Community Nurses Assoc. of OK	Health Alliance for the Uninsured, Inc.
Arthritis Foundation	Central Oklahoma Humane Society	Community Health Connection, Inc.	Family Builders	Health and Education for Kenya
Arts & Humanities Council of Tulsa	Central Oklahoma Workforce Investment Board, Inc.	Community Health Connection, Inc.	Family Hope House	Health Outreach Prevention & Education, Inc.
Arts Council of Oklahoma City	Chahta Foundation	Community Literacy Centers	Family Promise of Lawton	Heartland Council of the Blind
Assistance League of Norman	Character Council of Central Oklahoma	Community Service Council of Greater Tulsa	Family Shelter of Southern Oklahoma	Heartline, Inc.
Assistance League of Tulsa	Cherokee Nation Community and Cultural Outreach	Community Services Building, Inc.	Feed the Children	Hedges Regional Speech & Hearing
Association of Friends of the Wichita's	Cherokee National Historical Society, Inc.	Compassionate Hands	First Baptist Free Health Clinic	Heritage Hall
Association of Reentry Professionals	Cherokee Strip Community Foundation	Concordia Life Care Community	Flint Family Foundation	HFV Wilson Community Center
Augustine Christian Academy	Cherokee Strip Regional Heritage Center	Cookson Hills Christian Ministries	Folds of Honor Foundation	Home of Hope
Autism Center of Tulsa	Chesapeake Swim Club	Counseling and Recovery Services of Oklahoma	Food for Thought Learning Institute	HOPE Center of Edmond
Avedis Foundation	Chickasaw Foundation	Country Music Singers Association of Oklahoma	Forge of Honor Foundation	Hope House of McAlester
Barbara Bush Literacy Council	Child Abuse Network	Covenant Responsibility	Foundation for Oklahoma State University Medical Center	Hope Retreat Ranch
BARHD	Children's Hospital Foundation	Coweta Chamber of Commerce	Foundation for Oklahoma State University Medical Center	
Bartlesville Regional United Way	Children's Hospital Volunteers	CREOKS Behavioral Health Services	Frederick Arts & Humanities Council, Inc.	
Best Friends of Pets	Chisholm Trail Heritage Center	Crime Prevention Network	Freedom School Oklahoma City	
Bethany Improvement Fund	Chisholm Trail Heritage Center	Crises Pregnancy Outreach, Inc.	Friends of NW 10th Street	
Bethesda, Inc.	Chisholm Trail Heritage Center	Crosstown Learning Center	Friends of Starlight Concerts	
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Oklahoma- Tulsa	Chisholm Trail Heritage Center	Dale Rogers Training Center	Friends of the Capitol	
Big Five Community Services	Chisholm Trail Heritage Center	Daystar Foundation and Library		
Big Pasture Cultural Arts Foundation	Chisholm Trail Heritage Center	DCCA, Inc.		
Boys & Girls Club of Nowata	Chisholm Trail Heritage Center	deadCENTER Film Festival		
		Delta Community Action, Inc.		
		Delta Dental of Oklahoma Oral Health Foundation		
		Dentavative		
		Depression & Bipolar Support Alliance - Oklahoma		
		Development By Design		
		Diabetes Solutions of Oklahoma		

\*as of June 30, 2014

## MEMBERS continued

HopeHouse OKC	Marie Detty Youth & Family Service Center, Inc.	Novo Ministries	Oklahoma Green Schools Program, Inc.	Orbra C. Hulsey Scholarship Foundation	Research Institute for Economic Development	Suited for Success	Therapeutic Recreation Association of Oklahoma	United Way of Stephens County
Hospice of Green Country, Inc.	Marland Children's Home	Oaks Indian Mission	Oklahoma Heart Hospital Research Foundation	Oscar B. Jacobson Foundation	Resonance Center for Women, Inc.	Sunbeam Family Services	Thunderbird Clubhouse	Unlock Freedom, Inc.
Hospitality House of Tulsa	Masonic Charity Foundation of Oklahoma	OCA Inter-Tribal Board	Oklahoma Heritage Association	OJ Hillel	Respect Diversity Foundation	Sunshine Industries, Inc.	Thunderbird Youth Academy	Up with Trees
i2E, Inc.	Mayflower Medical Outreach, Inc.	OCADVSA, Inc.	Oklahoma Historical Society	Pambe-Ghana, Inc.	Restore Hope Ministry	Super Summer Oklahoma	Thunderbird Youth Academy Foundation	Uptown 23rd Street Association
Impact Oklahoma	McAlester Regional Health Center Foundation	OK Literacy Coalition	Oklahoma Humanities Council	Panhandle Services for Children	Revive, Inc.	Supporters of Families with Sickle Cell	Timmons Tessera Concepts	Upward Transitions
Inca Community Services	McBride Foundation	OK Mozart International Festival	Oklahoma Indian Summer	Parent Child Center of Tulsa	Roadback, Inc.	Sustainable Oklahoma City	TJ's Spirithorse	Urban League of Greater Oklahoma City, Inc.
Indian Health Care Resource Center	Medical Equipment Assistance Program	OKC Carousel Corral	Oklahoma Institute for Child Advocacy	Parent Promise	Ronald McDonald House Charities of Oklahoma City, Inc.	Sweet Adelines International	Touchstone Youth Project	Veterans Corner, Inc.
Individual Artists of Oklahoma	Mental Health Association of Tulsa, Inc.	Oklahoma Afterschool Network	Oklahoma Interviewing Services, Inc.	Parkinson Foundation of Oklahoma	Ronald McDonald House Charities of Tulsa, Inc.	TARC	Traci R. Sykes Foundation	VFW Post 1719
Infant Crisis Services, Inc.	Mental Health Services of Southern Oklahoma	Oklahoma Alliance for Animals	Oklahoma Lawyers for Children	Partnering for Pets	RSVP of Central Oklahoma, Inc.	Team Tinker	Transition House	Visiting Nurses Association
Institute for Oklahoma Nursing Education	Metro Christian Academy	Oklahoma Alliance for Manufacturing Excellence	Oklahoma Lions Service Foundation	Paseo Arts Association	Rural Enterprises of Oklahoma	Teen Court, Inc.	Tri-City Youth & Family Center, Inc.	Volunteers for Animal Welfare
Iron Gate at Trinity, Inc.	Metro Technology Centers	Oklahoma Aquarrium Foundation	Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation	Paths to Independence	Rural Health Projects	Teen Recovery Solutions	Trinity Legal Clinic of Oklahoma, Inc.	Volunteers of America of Oklahoma, Inc.
ITN Central Oklahoma	Metropolitan Library System	Oklahoma Arts Council	Oklahoma Mothers' Milk Bank	Pathways to Healthy Stephens County	Safe Haven Animal Rescue	Telehealth Alliance of Oklahoma, Inc.	TSHA, Inc.	Water4, Inc.
It's My Community Initiative	Metropolitan School of Dance	Oklahoma Arts Institute	Oklahoma Museums Association	Payne County CASA Association	Safe Kids OK	The After School Spot	Tulsa Advocates for the Protection of Children	Wes Welker Foundation
Jedidiah Enterprises	Metropolitan Tulsa Urban League	Oklahoma Association for Infant Mental Health	Oklahoma One Call System, Inc.	Payne Education Center	Safe Kids OK	The Barthelmes Conservatory	Tulsa Air and Space Museum and Planetarium	Westview Boys' Home
Jenks Public Schools Foundation	Mid-Del Public Schools Foundation	Oklahoma Association on Problem and Compulsive Gambling	Oklahoma Parents Center	Peppers Ranch	SafeNet Services	The Bella Foundation	Tulsa Area United Way	White Horse Youth Ranch
Jewish Federation of Greater OKC	Miracle League of Edmond	Oklahoma Baptist Homes for Children, Inc.	Oklahoma Partnership for School Readiness Foundation	Pet Food Pantry of Oklahoma City, Inc.	Samaritan Counseling and Growth Center	The Bridges Foundation	Tulsa Ballet	WildCare
Jim Riley Outreach	Misfits, Mutts & Meows	Oklahoma Bar Foundation	Oklahoma Petroleum Marketers and Convenience Store Association	Pets and People Humane Society	San Miguel Middle School of Tulsa	The CART House	Tulsa Botanic Garden	Wilderness Matters, Inc.
John Hope Franklin Center for Reconciliation, Inc.	Monitor Oklahoma, Inc.	Oklahoma Blue Thumb	Oklahoma Philharmonic Society, Inc.	Phenomenal Women of God, Inc.	Sand Springs Education Foundation	The Children's Center	Tulsa C.A.R.E.S.	Will Rogers Heritage, Inc.
Junior Achievement of Oklahoma, Inc.	Mu Alpha Theta Educational Foundation	Oklahoma Brain Tumor Foundation	Oklahoma Policy Institute	Philbrook Museum of Art	Schools for Healthy Lifestyles	The Christmas Connection	Tulsa Camerata	Will Rogers High School Community Foundation
Junior League of Oklahoma City *	Muskogee Little Theatre	Oklahoma Caring Foundation, Inc.	Oklahoma Primary Care Association	Phillips Theological Seminary	Science Museum of Oklahoma	The Community Children's Shelter and Family Service Center	Tulsa Campaign to Prevent Teen Pregnancy	William W. Barnes Children's Advocacy Center, Inc
Junior League of Tulsa	Muskogee Nonprofit Resource Center	Oklahoma CASA Association, Inc.	Oklahoma Project Woman, Inc.	Phillips University Legacy Foundation	Second Chance and Reentry Services, Inc.	The Demand Project	Tulsa CASA, Inc.	Windsor Area Business Group
JustHope, Inc.	Muskogee War Memorial	Oklahoma Center for Community and Justice (OCCJ)	Oklahoma PTA	Pioneer Library System	Second Chance Animal Sanctuary	The Education and Employment Ministry	Tulsa Children's Museum	Wings of Hope Family Crises Services
Keep Oklahoma Beautiful	Mutual Girls Club of Bartlesville, Inc.	Oklahoma Children's Theatre	Oklahoma Public Employee Association	Plains Indians Pioneer Museum	Senior Citizens of Shawnee	The First Tee of Tulsa, Inc.	Tulsa Day Center for the Homeless	WINGS Special Needs Adult Community
Kendall Whittier, Inc.	My Heart's Appeal, Inc.	Oklahoma City AMBUCS	Oklahoma Public Health Association	Play and Learn Preschool, Inc.	Senior Law Resource Center	The Foundation for Oklahoma City Public Schools	Tulsa Dream Center	Women Empowering Nations
Latino Community Development Agency	Myriad Gardens Foundation	Oklahoma City Ballet	Oklahoma Public Schools Resource Center	Plaza District Association	Shawnee Family YMCA	The Friends of Multi Arts Center, Inc.	Tulsa Educare	Woodward Arts and Theatre Council, Inc.
Launch Outreach Tulsa	NAMI Oklahoma	Oklahoma City Beautiful	Oklahoma State Medical Association Alliance	Pocket Full of Hope	Sherwin Miller Museum of Jewish Art	The Griffin Promise	Tulsa Garden Center	Work Activity Center, Inc.
Leadership OKC	National Cowboy and Western Heritage Museum	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Pollard Theater	Single Parent Support Network	The Harbor Village Foundation	Tulsa Girls Art School Project	World Baseball Outreach
Leadership Oklahoma	National Society of Scabbard and Blade	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Positive Tomorrows	Skyline Urban Ministry	The Homeless Alliance, Inc.	Tulsa Global Alliance	World Neighbors
Legal Aid Services of Oklahoma, Inc.	National Women in Agriculture Association	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Possibilities, Inc.	Small Farm Preservation	The HUB Mission Ministry, Inc.	Tulsa Hub Syndicate	YMCA of Greater Oklahoma City
Leonardo's Discovery Warehouse	Native Alliance Against Violence, Inc.	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Potawatomi County Historical Society	Smart Start Central Oklahoma	The Little Light House	Tulsa Lawyers for Children, Inc.	Young Nonprofit Professionals
Life Change Academy	Neighborhood Alliance, Inc.	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Power Shop, Inc.	SOS: Serving our Service Members	The Newton Foundation	Tulsa Opera, Inc.	Youth & Family Services, Inc. --EI
Life Change Academy	Neighborhood Services Organization	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Prairie River Conservancy, Inc.	South Central Industries	The Oklahoma Academy	Tulsa Partners	Youth & Family Services, Inc. --EI
LIFE Senior Services	Neighbors Along The Line	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Pregnancy Center of Bryan County	Southern Nazarene University	The Project Management Institute	Tulsa Rotary	Youth & Family Services, Inc. --EI
Lindsey House	New Hope Camp, Inc.	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Prevent Blindness Oklahoma- OKC	Southern Oklahoma Addiction and Recovery Program, Inc.	The Referral Center for Alcohol and Drug Services of Central Oklahoma	Tulsa SPCA	Youth and Family Resource Center, Inc.
Little Dixie Community Action Agency, Inc.	New Life House, Inc.	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Pride in McAlester	Southwestern Youth Services, Inc.	The Rock of Hope, Inc.	Tulsa Zoo Management, Inc.	Youth At Heart, Inc.
Living Arts of Tulsa	NewView Oklahoma	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Professional Photographers of Oklahoma	Spay First	The Saville Center	Tulsans Operating in Unity Creating Hope, Inc.	Youth Cornerstone
Living Well Ministries	Norman Arts Council	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Project Enspire	Special Care, Inc.	The Silence Foundation, Inc.	Tulsa's Young, Gifted, and Talented	Youth Services of Oklahoma County
Longwalk Oklahoma	Norman Firehouse Art Center	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Project Hope Worldwide	St. Luke's United Methodist Foundation	The Sooner Theatre of Norman	Undercroft Montessori School	Youth Services of Tulsa
Loughridge Classic Camps	NorthCare	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Project Safe	St. Simeon's Episcopal Home	The State Chamber of Oklahoma	Union Schools Education Foundation	YW8
Love/Marshall County Big Five RSVP	North-eastern State University Foundation, Inc.	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Prosperitus Humus	STAND - Students Taking A New Direction	The Toby Keith Foundation	United Methodist Church Oklahoma Conference	YWCA Enid
Lovelink Ministries, Inc.	Novo Ministries	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Pryor Area Chamber of Commerce	Southern Oklahoma Addiction and Recovery Program, Inc.	The Tree Bank Foundation	United Way of Central Oklahoma	YWCA Oklahoma City
Lowe Family Young Scholarship Program	Novo Ministries	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Public Health Institute of Oklahoma	Southern Oklahoma Addiction and Recovery Program, Inc.	The Tristesse Grief Center	United Way Of Enid & NW Oklahoma, Inc.	YWCA Tulsa
Lupus Foundation of America, Oklahoma Chapter, Inc.	Novo Ministries	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Ray of Hope Advocacy Center	Southern Oklahoma Addiction and Recovery Program, Inc.	The Urban Mission, Inc.	United Way of Lawton-Ft. Sill Oklahoma	
Main Street Enid, Inc.	Novo Ministries	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Reaching Our City Incorporated	Southern Oklahoma Addiction and Recovery Program, Inc.	The Wave Project	United Way of Southeastern Oklahoma	
Maisha International Orphanage	Novo Ministries	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Rebuilding Together - OKC	Southern Oklahoma Addiction and Recovery Program, Inc.	The Winds House		
Make A Difference Foundation	Novo Ministries	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Rebuilding Together - Tulsa	Southern Oklahoma Addiction and Recovery Program, Inc.	Therapetics Service Dogs of Oklahoma		
Mama Know's, Inc.	Novo Ministries	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Rebuilding Together Kiamichi	Southern Oklahoma Addiction and Recovery Program, Inc.			
Margaret Hudson Program	Novo Ministries	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Redbud Classic	Southern Oklahoma Addiction and Recovery Program, Inc.			
	Novo Ministries	Oklahoma City Community College Foundation	Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council	Redeeming the Family	Southern Oklahoma Addiction and Recovery Program, Inc.			
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RECOGNITION | VISIONS

December 3, 2013 | Oklahoma City Golf & Country Club

Visions honors those who act as agents of change in the community, providing leadership to enrich and enliven those whom they serve. These men and women have been thoughtful, passionate, tenacious and creative to seek solutions to problems that effect tangible, impacting change. They inspire others with their conviction and drive, give a voice to those without, and act with the highest integrity to provide Oklahomans with resources otherwise not available. Visions recognizes these great men and women as passionate champions of service to Oklahoma.



**Bob Ross**  
Visionary Impact Award

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Special Recognition Award

**Lew Ward**  
Lifetime Achievement Award

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RECOGNITION | ONE AWARDS



In 2014, the Oklahoma Center for Nonprofits awarded its one-millionth dollar to nonprofits of excellence in its 7th Annual ONE Awards in Tulsa. Elder Care was the winner of the Charles Schusterman Award for Excellence.

Since 2008, dozens of nonprofits from across Oklahoma have received awards through the ONE program. Cash awards for the recognized organizations help fund everything from new initiatives to scholarships to capital projects.

The 2014 ONE Awards were underwritten, in part, by The Barnett Family Foundation; The H.A. and Mary K. Chapman Charitable Foundation; The Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma; Devon Energy Corporation; George Kaiser Family Foundation; Herman Kaiser Foundation; Inasmuch Foundation; Moran Family Foundation; Potts Family Foundation; Sarkeys Foundation; Charles and Lynn Schusterman Family Foundation; and the Anne and Henry Zarrow Foundation.



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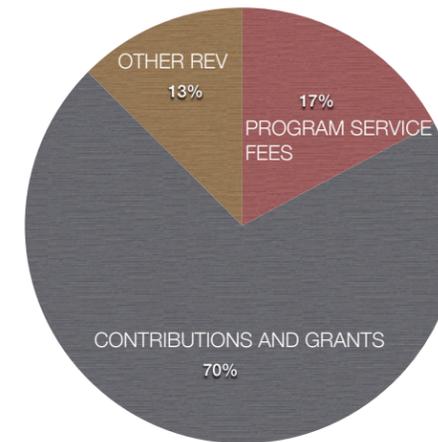
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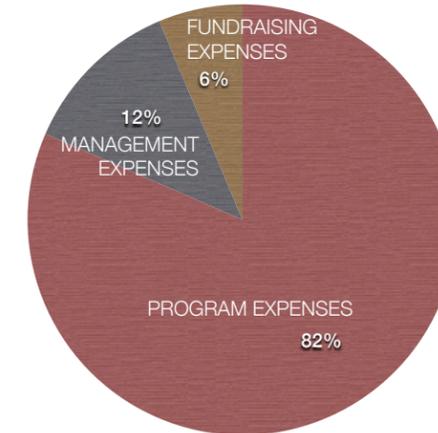
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REVENUES



EXPENSES



FINANCIAL STATEMENT 2013-2014

Cash & Cash Equivalents	333,343
Other Current Assets	60,833
Total Current Assets	394,176
Other Assets	134,051
Total Assets	528,227
Current Liabilities	90,901
Net Assets	437,326
Total Liabilities and Assets	528,227

Revenue

Program Service Fees	234,311
Contributions and Grants	955,269
Other Revenues	170,881
Total Operating Revenue	1,360,461

Expenses

Program Expenses	1,067,379
Management & General Expenses	158,941
Fundraising Expenses	82,778
Total Operating Expenses	1,309,098



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