

Forensic Audit: Findings Report

Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc.

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Cover Letter

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Prepared for: City of Portland Office of Community & Civic Life

RE: Forensic Audit: Findings Report of Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc.

Please accept the enclosed findings in response to the forensic audit of Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc. ("SWNI") which began on September 1, 2020 and completed November 9, 2020 with the issuance of this Findings Report on November 13, 2020. This Findings Report has been prepared for the City of Portland Office of Community & Civic Life ("Civic Life"), formerly Office of Neighborhood Involvement ("ONI").

The forensic audit was engaged by Civic Life due to concerns about a continuation of suspicious activity, abuse of power, conflicts of interest, lack of transparency and inequitable practices among SWNI and the Board of Directors.

The forensic audit scope period was fiscal years 2011/2012 to 2019/2020, and was expanded to the second quarter of fiscal year 2010/2011 and the first quarter of fiscal year 2020/2021 (October 1, 2010 through September 30, 2020).

The forensic audit findings start on page #12 for the Examination Findings and Results and page #77 for the Internal Control Findings. Findings were that there was evidence of financial mismanagement of \$179,332.24, including conflicts of interest and misrepresentation. This amount comparatively on average had represented 7.35% of SWNI's base funding grant from Civic Life per year.

The forensic audit was conducted by Marsh Minick, P.C. a financial crimes consulting firm. Examiners, Brandi Marsh and Melissa Frick Minick, have over 30 years of combined practice, and hold certifications as certified fraud examiners and financial crime investigators, with advanced degrees in financial forensic fraud. The report contains evidence-based findings, not a matter of opinion. Marsh Minick is an independent party free from conflicts of interest.

Sincerely,

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TO: City of Portland

Office of Community & Civic Life ("Civic Life")

FROM: Marsh Minick, P.C.

Financial Crime Consulting Services

RE: Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc. ("SWNI")

I. Background

The City of Portland has contracted with Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc. ("SWNI") for 41 years since 1979. SWNI is a district coalition that receives annual funding support from the City of Portland's Office of Community & Civic Life ("Civic Life") per City Code 3.96 "to provide such services by which the people of the City of Portland may effectively participate in civic affairs and work to improve the livability and character of their Neighborhoods and City." SWNI has held non-competitive, no-bid contracts with Civic Life, which invested \$3.174 million with SWNI during fiscal years 2010 to 2020.

On July 13, 2020, Civic Life requested a proposal of work from Marsh Minick, P.C. to perform a forensic audit on grant awardee, SWNI, due to concerns about the continued suspicious activity after a known fraud incident, abuse of power, conflicts of interest, lack of transparency and inequitable practices. Marsh Minick, P.C. proposed a forensic work plan on July 24, 2020 to fulfill the needed services. The forensic audit began September 1, 2020.

Due to the pandemic, Marsh Minick strategically performed interviews of SWNI staff, Board members, and the community, through password protected ZOOM meetings, and collected extensive records and data information from SWNI and individuals through a secure file sharing website and by email. Additionally, Marsh Minick used information gathered from publicly available records, and secure permissioned-based sites for court records and other needs to complete the forensic audit.

The totality of information gathered was assessed based on risk. Targeted forensic testing and analysis was performed during the examination and an internal control assessment. Results are detailed in this findings report that was issued November 13, 2020 after the conclusion of this forensic audit on November 9, 2020.



II. Executive Summary

The forensic audit began on September 1, 2020 and concluded on November 9, 2020. The forensic audit scope period was fiscal years 2011/2012 to 2019/2020, and was expanded to the second quarter of fiscal year 2010/2011 and the first quarter of fiscal year 2020/2021 (October 1, 2010 through September 30, 2020).

The forensic audit was predicated by concerns about a continuation of suspicious activity, abuse of power, conflicts of interest, lack of transparency and inequitable practices by SWNI and the Board of Directors ("Board"). The SWNI Board have irreconcilable disagreements on equitable practices, transparency of records, and rules, duties, and responsibilities of Board Officers and employees that are impeding SWNI and Civic Life's mission and values.

Financial Mismanagement

In total, four primary bank accounts were forensically analyzed with the SWNI's financial system records and supporting documentation, which resulted in \$179,332.24 of financial mismanagement for the scope period (*reference Scope*). Comparatively on average, SWNI mismanaged 7.35% of their base funding grant from Civic Life per year.

Separate of the financial mismanagement identified above, SWNI determined their financial loss was \$174,265.25, resulting from theft that was adjudicated in court. The loss included volunteer hours, professional services, and amounts stolen from Civic Life grant funding, Neighborhood and Business Associations restricted money, and Board money.

The findings are presented in two categories: Forensic Audit Examination and Internal Controls

Forensic Audit Examination Findings

Forensic audit findings are the result of fact-based evidence from information gathered provided from and about SWNI for the examination scope period (*reference Scope*).

There was evidence SWNI had mismanaged financials. There were occurrences of misapplied and unallocated money. SWNI's leadership demonstrated being willfully blind to noncompliance with governance documents, standards and ethics. There was a culture problem at SWNI that went unresolved.



The root cause of the financial mismanagement was the lack of accountability for financial duties, outdated financial policies and procedures, non-adherence with governing documents, providing incomplete and inadequate records to all Board members, a lack of transparency, unperformed financial statement audits and reviews, and irreconcilable difference among Board members.

Six examination areas and related findings are detailed in the Forensic Examination Findings section beginning on page 12.

	Examination Areas	Financial Impact and Explanation Summary
1	Where did the money come from that comprised the ~\$10,000 restricted Board fund (RS-Board)?	During October 2011, SWNI deposited insurance loss claim checks for \$20,154.44 that were not properly recorded to operational or restricted funds. SWNI had mismanaged the communication regarding the insurance loss claim checks with the Board. This resulted in SWNI being unable to trace the source of the "float" and referred to this money as "magic money". There was no evidence the insurance loss claim checks resulted in money being returned to Civic Life/ONI by SWNI.
2	Where was the money taken from during the fraud incident and did SWNI recover any money or receive restitution from the fraud incident?	The forensic examination found that the money recovered and received as restitution from theft by a former employee ranged from \$34,751.51 to \$35,044.51. The money was taken from ONI/Civic Life grant funds and Association Restricted funds, but restitution was not returned to ONI/Civic Life. The Executive Director's delay in notifying police or the Board of \$19,570.00 in unauthorized debt to a SWNI credit card exposed SWNI to continued embezzlement over a five-year period. The Executive Director continues to manage the organization.
3	How long did it take SWNI to close the Key Bank accounts after the Umpqua Bank accounts were opened and how was the money moved to Umpqua Bank?	The Umpqua Bank accounts were opened in October 25, 2011 and the Key Bank accounts were closed January 19, 2012. There was evidence that SWNI comingled \$16,789.26 without supporting documentation as to why the money was moved between restricted and operational. The lack of documentation to justify the comingling of the Key Bank account closures and Umpqua Bank account opening transactions was evidence of financial mismanagement.



	How was money being tracked	SWNI manages restricted money for Associations. SWNI was not
	for the Umpqua Restricted Bank	itemizing transactions occurring in the Associations funds and was
4	account with restricted	only tracking and reporting month end totals. This created a lack of
7	neighborhood and business	transparency with following the money deposited and withdrawn
	association and board funds?	from Association funds, and which impeded the Board's ability to
		oversee restricted money.
	What was SWNI's financial	SWNI was awarded a PPP loan for \$66,300.00. These monies were
	situation when they applied for	spent mid May 2020 to August 31, 2020 for payroll, rent, and utilities.
	and received a Paycheck	Civic Life's grant would have covered payroll for this period and
	Protection Program (PPP) Ioan,	therefore the PPP loan created a surplus of money for SWNI who had
	how was that loan spent, and	decided to establish a new grant program called CEAP.
5	what expenses were requested	
J	to be forgiven for the PPP loan?	SWNI mismanaged the decision making and oversight of the PPP
		money. There was inequitable employee (PTO) payouts that were
		not accurately disclosed to Board members. SWNI had not received
		approval from Civic Life to reallocate payroll expenses saved from the
		PPP loan toward the new CEAP grant. SWNI inflated their budget
		with CEAP to create the illusion of a shortfall as a result of COVID.
	Was money being spent	No. When comparing the budgets with the end of the year reporting
	according to SWNI's budget?	of actuals sent to Civic Life, there were line items in the budget that
		had considerable differences. There were unreasonable and
		excessive balances for Postage and Delivery. Professional Fees, such
		as for financial review, were never conducted by a certified
		accountant even though this expense was budgeted and SWNI had
6		previously experienced financial losses from embezzlement. There
		was Rent paid that had not been budgeted and was applicable for a
		different fiscal year.
		Critical financial controls were not followed as there was a 97% error
		rate for the month-end financial checklist used by Finance Committee
		Treasurer and Executive Officers (reference Internal Controls,
		Monitoring)



Internal Control Findings

There were identified deficiencies and dysfunction with internal controls at SWNI.

The Internal Control Integrated Framework ("Framework") is the definitive standard to evaluate the effectiveness of internal controls for organizations receiving public funds. Reference the *Appendix* for further information about the Framework. The Framework consists of five control components that were compared to SWNI.

Five control component examination areas and related findings are detailed in the Internal Control Findings section beginning on page 77, and a summary of results for SWNI using the Framework are:

	Control Component	<u>Finding</u>
1	Control Environment	Dysfunctional and Ineffective Controls
2	Risk Assessment	Absent and Deficient Controls
3	Control Activities	Dysfunctional and Ineffective Controls
4	Information & Communication	Dysfunctional and Ineffective Controls
5	Control Monitoring	Dysfunctional and Ineffective Controls

There were deficiencies, dysfunction and ineffective internal control measures and management controls at SWNI. Opportunities were present for errors, mismanagement, waste, abuse and fraud of financials due to a lack of oversight, willful blindness to risks, and a breakdown of transparency and communications at SWNI. There was inadequate functionality of internal control measures and management controls, which resulted in a limited ability to prevent and detect unusual or concerning activity, and hindered SWNI's ability to remediate problems.

Without a fully present, functional and effective internal control framework operating in an integrated manner, SWNI had unmitigated risks that were not properly managed and controlled. SWNI's control deficiency and dysfunctions caused heightened risk vulnerabilities that led to the occurrence of financial mismanagement, financial misapplication and financial losses.



Scope and Findings Summary

	Scope Areas	Findings
1	Forensic Examination	Evidence of financial mismanagement
2	Internal Controls	Mostly dysfunctional and ineffective controls

Evidence of financial mismanagement and internal control deficiencies included, in no particular order:

- Bank accounts not used for the intended purposes
- The unabated practice of "shifting" monies in line items deviating from the published budgets
- Financial statements not reviewed or audited by an independent accountant
- Stale dated financial policies and procedures with critical aspects not followed by SWNI and the Board
- Neighborhood and Business Association fund accounts and bank financial records not matching for Restricted money
- Unbalanced Restricted bank accounts with Restricted Fund Tracking Sheets and Balance Sheets
- Treasurer reports were not supportive enough for Board to determine compliance with governing documents, laws and standards
- Ineffective financial processes, including monthly financial review by Finance Committee
- Lack of assurance of the accuracy of financial reporting by the Finance committee
- Payment Protection Program money was planned to be used to offset for Civic Life grant monies
- Paid Time Off payouts not equitable and in accordance with the Personnel Policy
- Fiscal Tracking Sheets not filled out in compliance with Financial policy
- Transactions not recorded on Balance Sheet in the proper funding line items
- Lack of monitoring and oversight for internal control policies and procedures
- No written control program, risk assessment, or internal audit plan
- Willful blindness to risks
- Poor personal conduct observed that was inconsistent with Civic Life and SWNI's objectives
- Lack of commitment to develop, train, and retain competent individuals



III. Scope

Predicate

Concerns of repeat misconduct after a prior known embezzlement predicated this forensic audit of SWNI, specifically there were accusations about a continuation of suspicious activity, abuse of power, conflicts of interest, lack of transparency and inequitable practices.

Scope of Work – Agreed Upon Procedures

The forensic audit scope period was fiscal years 2011/2012 to 2019/2020, and was expanded to the second quarter of fiscal year 2010/2011 and the first quarter of fiscal year 2020/2021 (October 1, 2010 through September 30, 2020).

The forensic audit is designed to investigate concerns raised by the community about Southwest Neighborhood, Inc.'s (SWNI) financial management from 2010 to 2020 including but not limited to concerns about transparency, compliance with SWNI's bylaws and policies, and allegations of mismanagement, embezzlement and retaliatory actions against whistleblowers.

SECTION 2 SCOPE OF WORK

Contractor shall provide the following Services

Perform a forensic audit of Southwest Neighborhood, Inc.'s SWNI's financial handling for the period 2010 to 2020 with the objective of identifying whether there is evidence of instances and/or patterns of the following activity: abuse of authority and/or power; misrepresentation and omission; lack of transparency; mismanagement; waste of funding; and fraud or theft.

The forensic audit scope will be:

- Forensic audit of SWNI for scope period: Fiscal years 2011-2012 through 2019-2020, with priority for fiscal years 2015-2016 through 2019-2020
- Conduct interviews with current and former SWNI individuals and other that may have knowledge about major concerns that predicated the forensic audit
- Examine SWNI financial reports to Civic Life, SWNI financial, management and operational records, and other identified communications, information, data and documentation about SWNI mismanagement, embezzlement, waste and abuse
- 4. Consult with Civic Life in the investigation and provide status reports every two weeks

Deliverables will be a Red Flag report and documentation of preliminary evidence: a report of findings with recommendations for Civic Life and SWNI: a digitally recorded video of the report and recommendations: and analysis for legal proceedings, if warranted.



Standards

Examiners considered guidance published about fraud and controls in the Generally Acceptable Government Auditing Standards ("GAGAS") Yellow Book, the Association of Certified Fraud Examination ("ACFE") forensic audit methodology, and the Institute of Internal Auditors/Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission ("IIA"/"COSO") practices for integrated controls.

The examination efforts were risk-based and focused on the areas with perceived heightened risk of impropriety within the statement of work and scope period. The forensic audit entailed a comparative analysis using empirical scientific methods of observation and experimentation, and evidence from primary and secondary sources. The Forensic Auditors maintained independence before, during, and after the examination. The implementation of these standards ensured this findings report was based on accurate and reliable evidence.

The Forensic Auditors performed due diligence to acquire reasonable completeness and accuracy of information, records and data for examination. Due diligence entailed repeated probing, questioning, and scrutinizing of the same topics. This procedure allowed examiners to observe whether information matched, and if there were corroborated recollections and evidence. The forensic examiners also considered observational trends or patterns that emerged during the examination into the reliability of information, data, and records. Furthermore, examiners considered the context and source(s) of the information, including whether there was apparent bias, impartiality, motivations, politics, and other seemingly relevant factors or environmental happenings; all considerations were followed upon with an empirical examination of the evidence.

A forensic audit is an examination of fraud, waste, abuse, and mismanagement and is a matter of fact based evidence. The Forensic Audit of SWNI was not and should not be construed as a financial statement audit, as a financial statement audit is an examination of the financial statements for reasonable accuracy and is a matter of opinion by public accountant.

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IV. Forensic Examination Findings

Results Summary

Forensic audit findings are the result of fact-based evidence from information gathered provided from and about SWNI for the scope period (*reference* Scope). The forensic audit was risk-based and focused on areas where the greatest likelihood of problems seemed to exist that were affecting financials. Forensic auditors deemed the financial institution's account statements, such as checking accounts, credit card, and money transmission statements as the most reliable evidence regarding the money that was being managed by SWNI. The account statements and supporting documents were compared to the red flags and concerns outlined in the Red Flags Warranting Forensic Review section below and used to generate the findings for the forensic audit.

There was evidence SWNI had mismanaged financials, unmitigated risks, and dysfunctional internal controls which resulted in SWNI being vulnerable to losses. There were occurrences of misapplication and unallocated money. SWNI's leadership demonstrated being willfully blind to noncompliance with governance documents, standards and ethics. There was a culture problem at SWNI that went unresolved.

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Was money being spent according to SWNI's budget?

No. When comparing the budgets with the end of the year reporting of actuals sent to Civic Life, there were line items in the budget that had considerable differences. There were unreasonable and excessive balances for Postage and Delivery. Professional Fees, such as for financial review, were never conducted by a certified accountant even though this expense was budgeted and SWNI had previously experienced financial losses from embezzlement. There was Rent paid that had not been budgeted and was applicable for a different fiscal year.

Critical financial controls were not followed as there was a 97% error rate for the month-end financial checklist used by Finance Committee Treasurer and Executive Officers (*reference Internal Controls, Monitoring*)



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Forensic Examination & Results: Examination Areas 1-6

Examination #1	Where did the money come from that comprised the ~\$10,000 restricted board fund (RS-Board)?
Findings:	 The money allocated to the restricted board fund originated from the loss insurance claim checks that SWNI had received in October 2011. SWNI's Restricted Funds Tracking Sheet was out of balance with the respective bank account when the insurance checks were deposited. There was more money in the bank account than was being tracked as restricted. The out of balance (difference) between the Restricted Funds Tracking Sheet and bank account balance was leveraged as a "float" and "buffer" for misapplied restricted revenue and expenses. During July 2019 the difference between the Restricted Funds Tracking Sheet and bank account balance was used to create the RS-Board fund. SWNI applied insurance restitution into a bank account where Associations funds were being held as restricted for the Associations. SWNI has been unable to trace the source of the "float" and referred to this money as "magic money". There was no evidence the insurance loss claim checks resulted in money being returned to Civic Life/ONI by SWNI (reference Examination 2).
Impact:	\$14,082.19 in claim insurance checks deposited creating an over out-of-balance with Restricted Funds Tracking Sheet and Umpqua Restricted account

Results Summary

An analysis was completed on SWNI's *Balance Sheets and Cash Flow* documents, the *Restricted Funds Tracking Sheet*, and the Key Bank Restricted account ("Key Restricted") and Umpqua Bank Restricted account ("Umpqua Restricted") to determine the source of the money that was used to create the new RS-Board Fund in July 2019. This money was described by interviewees as "seed money", "magic money", "float money", and "buffer money" for the Neighborhood Associations and Business Associations ("Associations") projects, events and programs. They had described these monies as a buffer to ensure the bank account did not go negative while waiting for reimbursement money.

The forensic examination found that prior to the creation of the RS-Board Fund, the approximate \$10,000 +/- of restricted money was reflected in SWNI financials as an out-of-balance (difference) between the *Restricted Funds Tracking Sheet* and the bank statement. Essentially, since November 2011, the bank account had a higher balance than what was being tracked by SWNI for the Associations funds on the *Restricted Funds Tracking Sheet*. This was evidence of mismanagement of SWNI's restricted money.



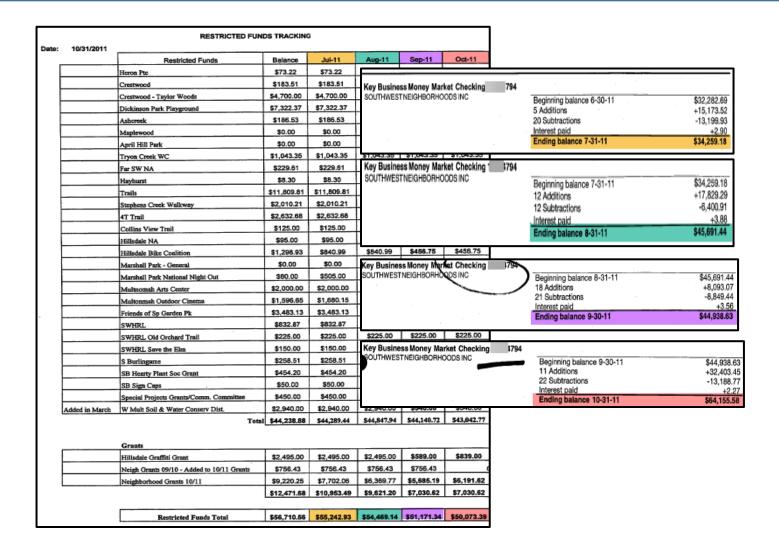
The Restricted Funds Tracking Sheets, financial system balances and bank account statements did not reflect the same outstanding balances. It was demonstrated the out of balance difference was from improperly recorded, unallocated and misapplied revenue and expenses of restricted funds. SWNI's financial reporting for the eight years from 2011 to 2019 was misleading as the balance sheet for the Associations funds showed there was less restricted money than was actually held in the bank account. The balance sheet was a critical financial statement document that Board members and others were reliant upon to be accurate with the activity transacted and balance contained in the bank account.

Forensic Examination

Tracking Sheets and Bank Accounts Out-of-Balance

The Key Restricted account was used to hold the restricted money for Associations and for the Board fundraising activities. The *Restricted Funds Tracking Sheet* maintained by SWNI to track funds for the Associations was out of balance with the Key Restricted account statements as far back as July, August, and September 2011. During those months SWNI had tracked they owed <u>more</u> money to the Associations *than was actually* being held in the Key Restricted account. This meant that SWNI did **not have enough money** on hand in this bank account for what was owed to the Associations, not even considering what funds were held on deposit specifically for the Board, which were not tracked properly on these records.





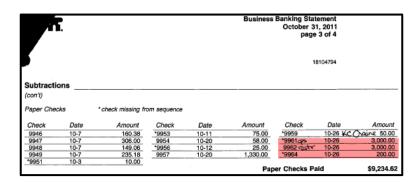
During October 2011, the out of balance activity between the *Restricted Funds Tracking Sheet* and Key Restricted account changed from not having enough funds in the bank account, to **having too much money** in the account. This was due to SWNI depositing two checks on October 21, 2011 that were not reported to any fund on the *Restricted Funds Tracking Sheet*. The two checks deposited totaled \$20,154.44 and were from an insurance company for loss claims made by SWNI (*reference Examination #2*). The claim checks were not reported in a restricted fund on the *Restricted Funds Tracking Sheet*, and resulted in an over-balance of \$14,082.19 in the Key Restricted account. As seen in the chart below, when this deposit occurred, the out of balance difference showed the bank account was holding more money than was being tracked by SWNI.



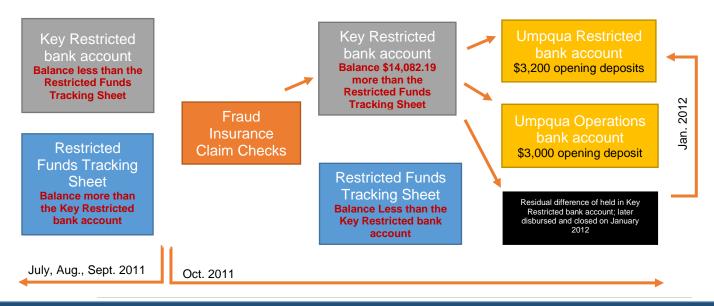
	July 2011 Balance	August 2011 Balance	September 2011 Balance	October 2011 Balance
Restricted Funds Tracking Sheet	\$55,242.93	\$54,469.14	\$51,717.34	\$50,073.39
Key Bank Restricted account ending 4797	\$34,259.18	\$45,691.44	\$44,938.63	\$64,155.58
Out of Balance	\$20,983.75	\$8,777.70	\$6,778.71	\$14,082.19
Difference	<u>Less</u> money in bank	Less money in bank	Less money in bank	More money in bank
	account than on	account than on	account than on	account than on
	Restricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Restricted Funds Tracking	Restricted Funds
	Tracking Sheet	Tracking Sheet	Sheet	Tracking Sheet

Float Balance Lifecycle

Immediately following the insurance claim checks deposited on October 21, 2011, SWNI issued three checks that cleared on October 26, 2011 to open the two new bank accounts at Umpqua Bank. A check for \$3,000.00 was used to open the Umpqua Bank Operations account ("Umpqua Operations") and \$3,200 was used to open the Umpqua Restricted account.

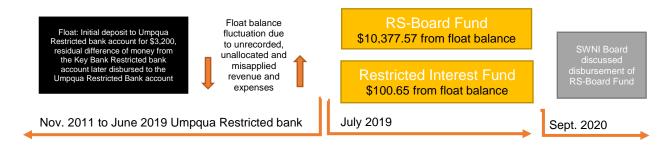


The original source of money for the "float" balance originated from the loss insurance claim checks that SWNI had received in October 2011.





The insurance claim checks deposit were the beginning of the "float" in the Umpqua Restricted account, which was not tracked to an Association on the *Restricted Funds Tracking Sheet* and was underreported on the balance sheet for the restricted funds. The float amount fluctuated each month based on a continuation of unrecorded, unallocated and misapplied revenue and expenses that was out of balance with the Umpqua Restricted account (*reference Examination #4*). Forensic auditors observed the float amount fluctuated from about \$6,000 to \$12,000 over the sampled months in the eight-year period. Then in July 2019, there were two new financial system funds created, "RS-Board" Fund for \$10,377.57 and an "RS-Restricted Interest" Fund for \$100.65, which was then reported on the balance sheet and *Restricted Funds Tracking Sheet*.



Force Balancing of Tracking Sheets and Bank Account

It appeared SWNI had force balanced the *Restricted Funds Tracking Sheet* to the Umpqua Restricted account, as all monies needed to be tracked and managed. The two new funds in July 2019 did not track the amounts dollar-for-dollar between the two records when the RS-Board fund was created. The difference between the two records was less than a 1% difference, which demonstrated that SWNI was mismanaging the tracking of the Association funds. During the October 2020 Board Meeting there was discussion about disbursing the restricted RS-Board fund to the Umpqua Operations account. Given the Board fund was a restricted fund, and was created by SWNI to be restricted, it seemed inappropriate that the money would be moved to operations. This demonstrated that SWNI was mishandling restricted funds.



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Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc. (SWNI) Balance Sheet Prev Year End Comparison As of July 31, 2019

	Jul 31, 19	Jun 30, 19	\$ Change	% Change		
p Ratd Net Assets						
RS-Restricted Interest	100.65	0.00	100.65	100.0%		
RS-Board	10,377.57	0.00	10,377.57	100.0%		
RS-ACNA Community Events	1,905.85	2,105.85	-200.00	-9.5%		
RS-ANA General	1,403.12	1,403.12	0.00	0.0%		
RS-ANA Community Bldg. & Safety	1,598.89	861,44	737.45	85.61%		
RS-ANA AshCrest CEP	1,778.26	1,778.26	0.00	0.0%		
RS-SWNI Patty Lee Project	3,177.16	3,177.16	0.00	0.0%		
RS-BNA Community Events	2,347.93	3,167.93	-820.00	-25.88%		
RS-CNA Community Events	0.45	0.45	0.00	0.0%		
RS-CNA Dickinson Park Playgrad	7,377.37	7,377.37	0.00	0.0%		
RS-CNA Friends of Woods Park	9,154.94	9,154.94	0.00	0.0%		
RS-CNA Taylor Woods	4,700.00	4,700.00	0.00	0.0%	1	
De Cials Conomi		0.000	0.00	0.076		
Last st	atement: June 30, 20					
RS-HANA General	tatement: July 31, 20	119				
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RS-HONA General	Account nur	mher	09730	934383 Beginning	halance	\$76
RS-HONA Sign Caps	Low balance			730.67 Additions		\$14
RS-MANA General	Average bal	lance	\$79,		als/Subtractions	\$14
RS-MANA Community Eve		d year to date		\$4.61 Ending ba	ilance	\$76
RS-April Hill Park	Interest ear	ned		\$0.68		
RS-MKNA Community Events	1,053.61	1,053.61	0.00	0.0%		
RS-MPNA Nat'l Night Out	346.09	346.09	0.00	0.0%		
	882.94	736.54	146.40	19.88%		
RS-MPNA Sign Caps RS-MPNA Marshall Park Playgrad	5,552.68	5,562.68	0.00	0.0%		
RS-MUNA General	97.63	97.63	0.00	0.0%		
	362.28	362.28	0.00	0.0%		
RS-MUNA Community Events	-96.89	304.23	-401.12	-131,85%		
RS-MUNA Land Use RS-MUNA NA Study Guide	1,000.00	1,000.00	0.00	0.0%		
RS-Friends Spring Garden Park	2,532.55	2,532.55	0.00	0.0%	1	
RS-SBNA General	747.86	2,332.35 647.86	100.00	15,44%	1	
RS-SBNA Land Use Review Fund	1,286.06	1,286.08	0.00	0.0%	1	
RS-SPNA Community Events	950.18	950.18	0.00	0.0%	1	
RS-SWHRL Community Events	1,639.43	1,639.43	0.00	0.0%	1	
RS-SWHRL Cld Orchard Trail	225.00	225.00	0.00	0.0%		
RS-SWHRL Save Our Elms	1,050.00	1,050.00	0.00	0.0%	1	
RS-SWHRL Council Crest	559.73	559.73	0.00	0.0%		
	441.00	441.00	0.00	0.0%		
RS-SWHRL Vista-Spring Project			0.00	0.0%		
RS-WPPNA General	365.71	365.71				
I Temp Ratd Net Assets	76,256.02	66,288.09	9,987.93	15.04%		
estricted Net Assets	82,541.58	92,176.59	-9,635.01	-10.45%		
Income	3,798.27	842.53	2,955.74	350.82%		



Examination #2	Where was the money taken from during the fraud incident and did SWNI recover any money or receive restitution from the fraud incident?
Findings:	 The theft of money (fraud incident) was reported to police by SWNI in October 2010. Records from fiscal year 2011 and 2012 reflected there was – Multiple fraud schemes (theft) by former employee Financial losses from 2003 to 2010 were due to theft SWNI received limited professional services to investigate the theft The former employee was criminally convicted of 11 counts of theft during fiscal year 2012. The Executive Director's delay (5 years) in notifying authorities or the Board of \$19,570.00 in unauthorized debt to a SWNI credit card allowed the former employee who was convicted of theft additional opportunity to embezzle, and there was no accountability for the Executive Director who had converted SWNI debt to personal debt. Other individuals that were responsible for financials were not held accountable and continue to manage the organization.
Impact:	 SWNI determined their losses were \$174,265.25 resulting from the theft. City of Portland grant funding was over expensed by SWNI during the years when the theft was being conducted from 2003 to 2010; SWNI acknowledged that 90% of their budget comes from grants from the City of Portland. The court ordered the former employee to pay restitution in the amount of \$170,888.23 to SWNI. SWNI recovered and received restitution totaling from \$34,751.51 to \$35,044.51, when considering payroll and vacation recovered, restitution received through the Oregon Judicial Department and insurance claim payouts SWNI did not communicate or provide to Civic Life (ONI) information regarding the extent from the theft, including the financial losses calculated by the professional service providers, the money recovered and the restitution awarded, and the possibility or amount of over expensing grant reimbursements during these periods.



Results Summary

An analysis was completed on the following SWNI bank statements: Key Restricted account, Umpqua Restricted account, and Umpqua Operations account. An analysis was also performed on the financial system bank account *Reconciliation Detail and Summary Reports, Profit and Loss Performance Reports,* along with supporting information about bank account transactions and activity that was provided by SWNI. Other records utilized for analysis included the Portland Police Bureau report ("police report") from October 2010 and criminal court case details from the Oregon Judicial Case Information Network/Oregon eCourt Case Information (OJCIN/OECI) system. It was determined that fraudulent activity had occurred at SWNI that resulted in financial losses to the Key Restricted account and the Key Bank Operations bank account ("Key City"). A former employee responsible for SWNI bookkeeping was criminally convicted of felonious theft in 2012.

The forensic examination found total money recovered and received as restitution ranged between a total of \$34,751.51 to \$35,044.51. This amount included the loss insurance claim checks (*reference Examination #1*), restitution payments summed between \$11,220.00 to \$11,513.00, and payroll and vacation checks totaling \$3,377.07 not negotiated by the former employee. The total amount recovered and received was less than the amount of total financial loss to SWNI, estimated at \$174,265.25.

Forensic Examination

In January 2012, SWNI documentation showed there was \$130,000.00 stolen by a former employee "through mismanagement of our accounting systems..." and that the former employee had "...stolen funds going back to 2003" until the time when SWNI "...discovered the theft on Oct. 9, 2010." Additionally, SWNI documentation showed that there was \$18,833.25 in direct costs for professional services to "help SWNI prepare its insurance claim and rebuild its accounting system." In total, considering volunteer hours, SWNI determined their losses were \$174,265.25.





Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc.

7688 SW Capitol Highway, Portland, OR 97219 (503) 823-4592

January 5, 2012

Multnomah County Adult Community Justice District Office 421 SW Fifth Avenue Portland, OR 97204

Re: ' Pre-Sentencing Report

Dear

Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc. (SWNI) is small public benefit nonprofit serving 17 neighborhood associations (approximately 65,000 residents) and three business associations (approximately 39,000 jobs) in Southwest Portland. SWNI's mission is to "empower citizen action to improve and maintain the livability of Southwest neighborhoods." SWNI has a staff of 4.5 FTE and a budget of approximately \$369,000; 90% of our budget is from grants from the City of Portland.

was employed as SWNI's office manager for over 15 years, and during that time built the trust of our community. has admitted that stole approximately \$130,000 by deceiving us, primarily through mismanagement of our accounting systems. SWNI relies on volunteer time, talent and energies to accomplish our mission, and put all of that at risk. We believe that I runderstood that we are a volunteer-driven organization and that actions would negatively impact our community.

Since the discovery of the theft in October 2010, we have had to rebuild trust within the community. We spent approximately 3000 hours of volunteer time making sure that our member associations and citizens were not negatively impacted, fixing the accounting systems that used to deceive us, and putting policies in place to prevent this from happening again.

SWNI was not able to hire new staff to fill her position due to the lack of funds. The only way we were able to recover the stolen funds over the past year was to use the salary savings to replenish the SWNI accounts that stole from. A significant amount of volunteer hours were needed to make up for this loss of staff resources.

SWNI requests \$175,000 in restitution to make up for the impact of the time we discovered the theft on Oct. 9, 2010 through December 31, 2011. The table below

details how we arrived at that amount. Volunteer time is calculated at \$8.50/hour (2011 Oregon minimum wage).

\$130,000	Amount of funds stolen by I deception			
\$18,833.25	Direct costs for professional services needed to help SWNI prepare its			
	insurance claim and rebuild its accounting system, including:			
-	(legal counsel, including forensic accountant and copying charges)			
	Key Bank (copies of missing bank statements) (QuickBooks)			
	• (policy counsel)			
\$6,052 Extra SWNI volunteer hours needed to prepare and negotiate the insuran claim, and manage SWNI affairs to address the theft and prevent it from				
	happening again in the future, including rebuilding its accounting system (712 hours @ \$8.50/hour)			
\$25,432	Extra SWNI volunteer hours needed to conduct SWNI business due to			
	insufficient funds to replace office manager position (2280 hours @8.50/hour)			
\$174,265.25	Total			

SWNI documented that has stolen funds going back to 2003, but we believe that may have victimized SWNI by stealing from our accounts from the day was hired, based on an informal conversation with a previous employer. Was known to give people lavish gifts as a way to build trust. We are concerned that, given the nature of 1... theft by deception, that was may seek out another victim and commit a similar crime in the future. We are not certain that community service or counseling will prevent this from happening again, and believe jail time may be necessary to help an understand the seriousness of crimes against the people within the SWNI community.



On October 9, 2010, SWNI filed a police report for the theft by the former employee. Subsequent to the police report, SWNI had received professional services to prepare the loss insurance claims. The professional service provider disclosed to the police detective there was at least six methods of theft that had occurred at SWNI, and the police detective captured those schemes in the police report as:

- 1. Additional payroll checks to the former employee that were off-cycle and unearned
- 2. Checks written to the former employee but the financial system would show SWNI as the payee
- 3. Checks written to the former employee that were unrecorded in the financial system
- 4. Checks written to the former employee but the financial system would show a vendor as the payee
- 5. Payments to the former employee's personal credit cards, including American Express
- 6. Stolen cash donations by the former employee from fundraising functions and never deposited

The methods of theft, one through five, described in the police report appeared to directly affect expenses that SWNI would have passed along for reimbursement to the Civic Life (ONI) for grant money during the years when the theft was occurring, from at least 2003 to 2010. SWNI had demonstrated that Civic Life (ONI) grant money was expensed for payroll and operations, and acknowledged that "90% of our budget is from grants from the City of Portland." The sixth method of theft as described in the police report was stolen cash donations and would have affected the board and restricted funds for Associations project, events and programs.



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wrote checks out to l that did not record in QuickBooks. ITEM CODE told me this method, as in the method described above, was revealed by going through the QuickBooks records, looking at the SWNI bank statements, and looking at the cancelled checks that show as the payee. used was that again wrote out said the fourth method checks to but recorded them into QuickBooks as being payable to a legitimate vendor of SWNI's. paid personal said she was also able to confirm that American Express credit card bill with SWNI funds from their Key Bank said they confirmed all of these checks, and e-checks, with the spreadsheet I had given to earlier, after I had obtained personal American Express credit card account. told me also stole cash from SWNI. said oftentimes at functions people would donate cash to SWNI. said was responsible for receiving these cash donations and depositing said an example, see Exhibit # 6, has documents showing them. the amount of donations received by SWNI at one event. The amount of cash received and the amount of the checks received is also listed on this documentation. When looked at the SWNI Key Bank accounts, found a deposit for the exact dollar amount of the checks from this function, but none of the cash was deposited. EPORTING OFFICERS PREC/DIV RLF/SHF1 SUPERVISOR 18164 DET WCC M



SWNI's documentation reflected that theft losses affected both the Key City and the Key Restricted accounts; SWNI described to forensic auditors that their grants from Civic Life (ONI) were contained in the Key City account, and the Key Restricted account was for the Board and Associations monies. However, SWNI did not appear to have the professional service providers determine the full extent of the theft and financial losses within each of the accounts to determine the specific financial impact to grant funds or the restricted monies held for the Associations. A professional service provider informed the detective that the extent of the investigation into the theft was limited by insurance policy thresholds, as SWNI had a limited amount of funds to use for the professional services.

The police investigation led to the former employee being convicted of 11 counts of felonious theft in the first degree. On January 5, 2012, SWNI had requested \$175,000.00 in restitution, and on January 20, 2012 the court ordered a sentence of \$170,888.23 in restitution.

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01/20/2012 Disposition (Judicial Officer: Unassigned, Judge)

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    Convicted

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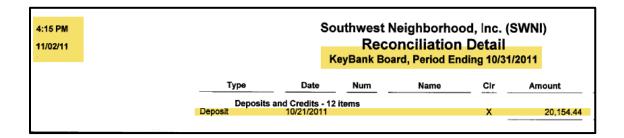
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Probation Cond..... All General Conditions Apply Guidelines: Severity 5 History I Departure: Durational(UP) Special
                   Condition: DNA Blood Draw Probation to Community Corrections - Month(s): 80.00 11 No Contact w/Nictim 14 No Trespassing 46 Advise Nature of Crime 47 Employment Info to PO 48 No Employment w/Money 49 Provide Financial Rods 50 No Trans Over $200 51 No Credit Cd/Checks/ID 02 Judicial Supervision

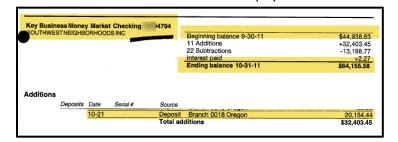
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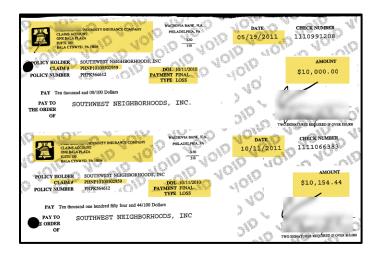
Evidence reflected SWNI had not communicated or provided to Civic Life (ONI) information regarding the extent from the theft, including the financial losses calculated by the professional service providers, the money recovered and the restitution awarded, and the possibility or amount of over expensing grant reimbursements during these periods. The monies recovered and received as restitution were reflected in Board financial reporting as other income on SWNI's *Profit and Loss Performance* reports and on the monthly *Reconciliation Detail and Summary*.

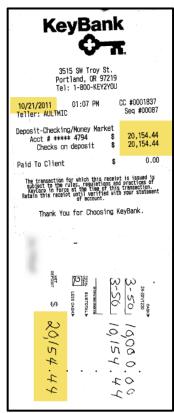




SWNI's Key Restricted account statement from October 2011 reflected a deposit for \$20,154.44. This deposit was also recorded in the financial system on the reconciliation detail on October 21, 2010. The deposit ticket and receipt from Key Bank showed that there were two checks in this deposit. Those checks were for loss insurance claim payments.

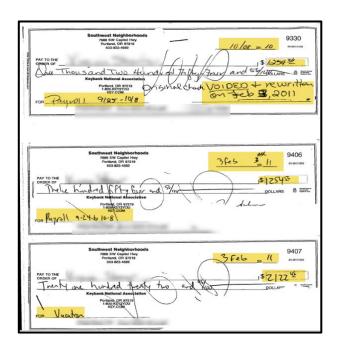


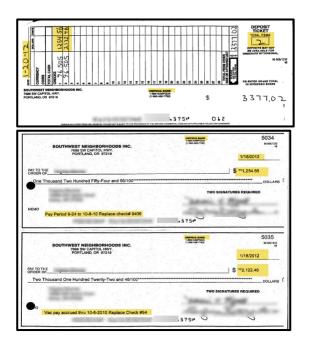




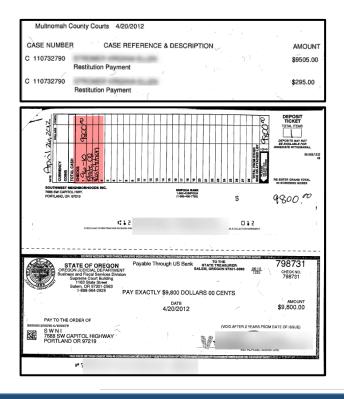
SWNI also recovered \$3,377.07 from the former employee's payroll and vacation checks that were outstanding. The payroll check from pay period ending October 8, 2010 for \$1,254.56, was voided and reissued on February 3, 2011, along with a vacation check for \$2,122.46 issued on February 3, 2011, both drawn from the Key City account. From February 2011 to January 2012 the two checks remained outstanding, until the checks were again voided and reissued on January 18, 2012, now from the new Umpqua Operations account. These checks were deposited by SWNI on January 20, 2012 into the same Umpqua Operations account. These financial transactions effectively allowed SWNI to recover \$3,377.07 that was owed to the former employee but was never actually expended.



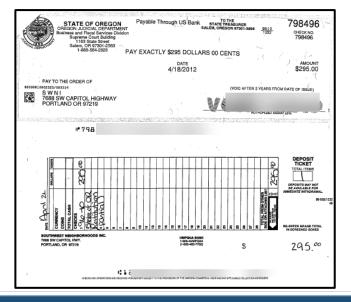




SWNI received initial restitution from the former employee through the Oregon Judicial Department as a check for \$9,800.00, which was deposited into the Umpqua Operations account on April 26, 2012. Shortly before the \$9,800.00, SWNI received a restitution payment for \$295.00 that was deposited into the same Umpqua Operations account on April 18, 2012.









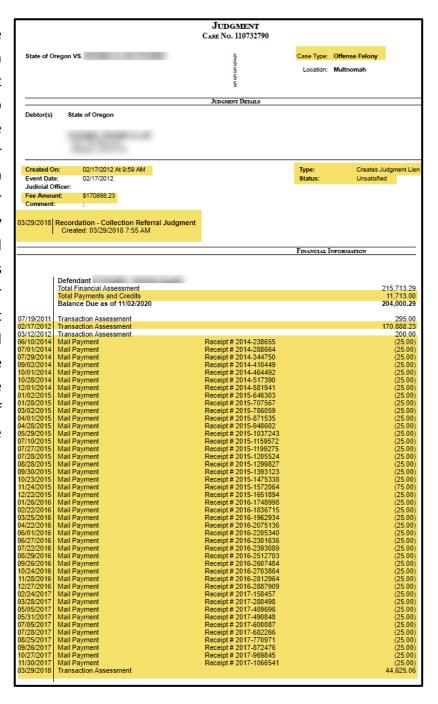
During the period of the forensic audit, SWNI had received ongoing restitution payments from the Oregon Judicial Department. The Oregon Judicial and Court Case Information (OJCIN/OECI) system reflected restitution payments to SWNI totaling \$1,125.00 during the period of June 2014 to November 2017. Additionally, SWNI provided a financial system report for all transactions of other income that showed restitution money and payments from the State of Oregon was recorded from September 2013 to December 2017 as \$1,418.00. The court record and financial system report totals did not match, but demonstrated there was restitution that was received by SWNI on an ongoing basis for about \$25 per month over the four year period.

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	All Transaction	ons Split	Amount	Туре	All Transac	tions Num	Name
Other Income							
	Restitution Payment	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	09/13/2013	836198	
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	Restitution Payment	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	11/01/2013	840609	
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	Restitution	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	12/04/2013	842615	State of Oregon
	Restitution	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	01/06/2014	844676	State of Oregon
	Restitution	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	01/27/2014	846723	State of Oregon
	Restitution Payment	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	02/25/2014	848497	State of Oregon
	Restitution Payment	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	04/07/2014	851759	State of Oregon
	Restitution	Umpqua Operations	18.00	Deposit	04/14/2014	852297	State of Oregon
	Restitution	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	04/30/2014	853320	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	05/12/2014	855432	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	07/03/2014	11688	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	150.00	Deposit	01/06/2015	31053	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	01/20/2015	31588	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	02/24/2015	35256	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	03/25/2015	41304	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	04/20/2015	45369	State of Oregon
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	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	06/18/2015	55585	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	07/29/2015	66613	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	08/04/2015	68126	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	08/18/2015	69763	State of Oregon OR Judici
	Restitution Payment	Undeposited Funds	25.00	Sales Receipt	09/15/2015	26	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	10/21/2015	78033	State of Oregon OR Judicia
	Restitution Payment	Undeposited Funds	25.00	Sales Receipt	11/09/2015	96	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	75.00	Deposit	12/16/2015	86705	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	01/13/2016	89506	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	02/16/2016	31588	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	03/15/2016	31588	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	04/13/2016	101299	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	05/10/2016	105478	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	06/21/2016	111182	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	07/19/2016	116462	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	08/08/2016	118368	State of Oregon
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	-		25.00 25.00	Deposit	05/22/2017	138534	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations		Deposit	06/20/2017	166875	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	07/24/2017	173848	State of Oregon
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	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit Deposit	11/29/2017 12/18/2017	186938 191551	State of Oregon
	Restitution Money	Umpqua Operations	25.00	Deposit	12/10/2017	191301	
Total Other Income			1,418.00				
AL			1,418.00				



From December 2017 to October 2020 there appeared to have been no restitution paid by the former employee through the Oregon State Judicial Department to SWNI, and court records show that in March 2018 a collection referral judgment¹ was created. The collection referral judgment is an indication that a payment plan established with the court was assigned to a collection agency. Additionally, along with the collection referral judgment, it appeared the court assessed a fee on the restitution balance owed, as a result of having to engage a collection agency in March 2018.

Although SWNI did not demonstrate having attempted active collection efforts on the restitution, the court appeared to have been attempting to collect on SWNI behalf. It was notable that the former employee filed for bankruptcy protection twice, which would make it difficult for the court or SWNI to collect, as the first bankruptcy was while employed at SWNI and second was after the restitution was ordered. The original restitution for \$170,888.23 established a judgment lien that remains active and unsatisfied according to the court records. official court record reflected the former employee paid a total of \$11,713.00 in restitution towards the outstanding balance due.



¹ https://www.courts.oregon.gov/courts/multnomah/payments/Pages/collections.aspx



Examination #3	How long did it take SWNI to close the Key Bank accounts		
	after the Umpqua Bank accounts were opened and how was		
	the money moved to Umpqua Bank?		
Findings:	 The Umpqua Bank accounts were opened on October 25, 2011. The Key Bank accounts were closed January 19, 2012. There was about a three month transition of financials from when the Umpqua Bank accounts were opened until the Key Bank accounts were closed. There was comingling of the Key Restricted and Key City bank account money at the time of closure. SWNI did not demonstrate to have disbursed the comingled money from the Key Bank accounts proportionally between the Umpqua Restricted and 		
	Umpqua Operations accounts.		
Impact:	 There was \$16,789.26 from the Key Restricted account that were not disbursed to the Umpqua Restricted bank account following the Key Bank account closure. The lack of documentation to justify the comingling of the Key Bank account closures and Umpqua Bank account opening transactions was indicative of financial mismanagement (reference Examination #1). 		

Results Summary

An analysis was completed on the following SWNI bank statements: Key Restricted account, Key City account, Umpqua Restricted account, and Umpqua Operations account. An analysis was also performed for supporting financial documents provided by SWNI such as the financial system *Balance Sheet* and *Reconciliation Detail and Summary* reports, and images of deposits and withdrawal activity from the bank accounts.

Forensic examination findings are that the Key Restricted and Key City accounts were closed about three months after the Umpqua Restricted and Operations accounts were opened (*reference Internal Controls, Control Activity*). The final closure of the Key Bank accounts was with a single official check that combined the residual balances from the Key Restricted and Key City accounts.

This official check was deposited into the Umpqua Operations account, and it appeared that following the official check deposit, there was not a similar disbursement of money to the Umpqua Restricted account. This was problematic as the majority of the money for the official check came from the Key Restricted account, and seemed to rightfully belong to the Umpqua Restricted account. SWNI lacked supporting documentation with the bank account statements, and accompanying financial system



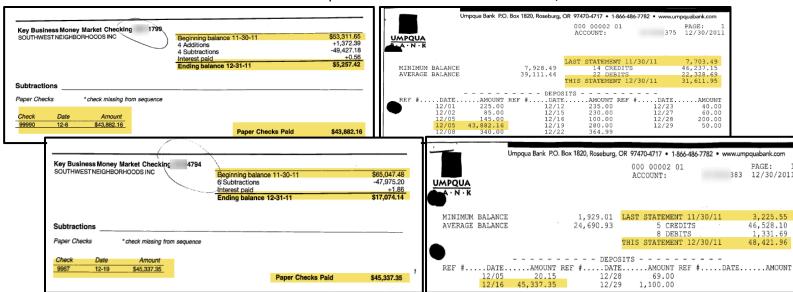
Reconciliation Detail and Summary reports, to justify the reason why the \$16,789.26 was comingled between Umpqua Restricted account and Umpqua Operations account. The lack of documentation to explain the handling of the Key Bank account closures and Umpqua Bank account opening transactions was evidence of financial mismanagement.

Restricted Fund Checking Accounts Used to hold the neighborhood and business associations, and board money	Operations/City Checking Accounts Used to for SWNI operational expenses, and is the account that receives the deposits from Civic Life	
Key Bank – account ending 4797 "Key Restricted"	Key Bank – account ending 1799 "Key City"	
Umpqua Bank – account ending 383 "Umpqua Restricted"	Umpqua Bank – account ending 375 "Umpqua Operations"	
Umpqua Bank accounts opened October 2011, and the Key Bank accounts were closed January 2012.		

Forensic Examination

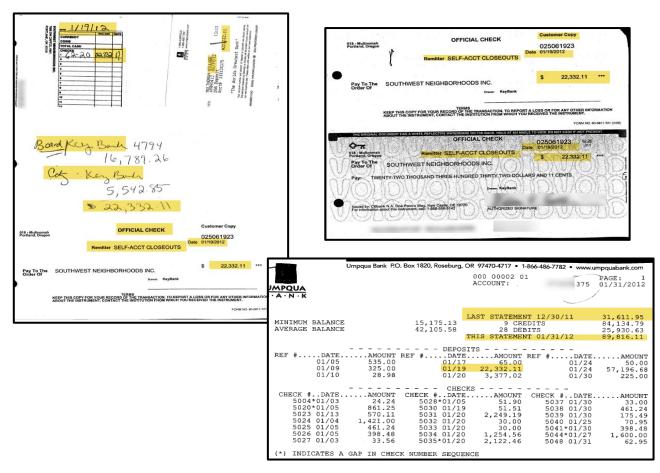
On October 25, 2011 the Umpqua Restricted and Operations accounts were opened consisting of three checks from the Key Restricted account, of which \$3,000.00 was used to open the Umpqua Restricted bank account and \$3,200.00 was used to open the Umpqua Operations bank account. The funding for the opening deposits originated with money received by SWNI for the loss insurance claims (*reference Examination #1*).

Then in the December 2011 bank statements showed the beginning of the transition from the Key Bank accounts to the Umpqua Bank accounts. On December 6, 2011 there was a check #99990 that cleared the Key City account for \$43,882.16 and was deposited to Umpqua Operations account. This liquidated the majority of the balance from the Key City account. On December 19, 2011 there was a check #9967 that cleared the Key Restricted account for \$45,337.35 and was deposited to the Umpqua Restricted account. This liquidated a portion of the balance from the Key Restricted account. These transactions are commensurate with what would be expected to transition from one bank/account to another.





Then on January 19, 2012 there was an official check issued from Key Bank for \$22,332.11 that said "self-account-closeouts," and reflected closure of both the Restricted and City Key Bank accounts. The balance documented by SWNI at the time of closure was \$16,789.26 from the Key Restricted account, and \$5,542.85 from the Key City account. These funds were comingled on the single official check. The official check was deposited into the Umpqua Operations account on January 19, 2012. The January, February and March 2012 Umpqua Operations account statements never reflected that SWNI had distributed any portion of the \$22,332.11 official check to the Umpqua Restricted account; this seemed problematic as the majority of the money \$16,789.26 that comprised the official check was liquidated from the Key Restricted account. This was evidence of financial mismanagement.



The January 31, 2012 and February 28, 2012 *Balance Sheets* for the "Restricted Accounts – Agent" and "Restricted Accounts- Sponsorship" do not reveal any restricted account for the "Board", further indicating that the \$16,789.26 was misappropriated from the Umpqua Restricted account. There appeared to be no logical reason or justification documented for why the money was not moved into the Umpqua Restricted account where it rightfully belonged prior to being comingled. A lack of justification for comingling the \$16,789.26 was evidence of financial mismanagement (*reference Examination #3*).



Accrual Basis	Accrual Basis Southwest Neighborhood, Inc. (SWNI) Balance Sheet			
			Jan 31, 12	
ASSETS				
Current Asser				
	y/Savings		85.833.00	
	pqua Operations Account		67,894.37	
	ecking/Savings		153,727.37	
, idea cir	acking/Gavilliga		100,7 117 100	
Account	s Receivable			
	ounts Receivable		19,637.95	
Total Ac	counts Receivable		19,637.95	
Total Current	Assets		173,365.32	
TOTAL ASSETS			173,365.32	
LIABILITIES & EQ	JITY			
	Liabilities			
	ounts Payable			
	Accounts payable		7,113.76	
Tot	al Accounts Payable		7,113.76	
Cre	dit Cards			
	SWNI Credit Card		4,942.89	
Tot	al Credit Cards		4,942.89	
Ceb	er Current Liabilities			
-	Restricted Accounts - Agent			
	Ashcreek		230.53	
	Far SW		229.61	
	Hayhurst		8.30	
	Coilins View Trail		125.00	
	Hilisdale SWHRL - Old Orchard Trail		95,00 225,00	
	South Burlingame - General		225.00 603.51	
	South Burlingame - Hardy Plant		454.20	
	Marshall Park - General		20.00	
	Marshall Park Nat'l Night Out		537.00	
	Total Restricted Accounts - Agent		2,528.15	
	Restricted Accounts-Sponsorship 2012 ARNOLD CREEK 100 Hearts		576.65	
	2012 CRESTWOOD Dickinson Par		2,000.00	
	2012 CRIME PREV AND PUBLIC S	BAFE	1,436.37	
	2012 FAR SOUTHWEST NA		500.00	
	2012 HAYHURST		1,518.00	
	2012 HILLSDALE NA 2012 HOMESTEAD Neighbor Sma	n	1,500.00 997.56	
	2012 MAPLEWOOD NA Grand Cente	nn	1,850.00	
	2012 MULT Arts Center Assoc		1,500.00	
	2012 MULTN Spring Garden Park		1,524.00	
	2012 NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSE		2,000.00	
	2012 ROBERT GRAY MIDDLE SCHO	OL	2,000.00	
	2012 SOUTH BURLINGAME NA		625.00	
	2012 SO PORTLAND Neighborhood		1,000.00	
	2012 TRYON CREEK WC 2012 SWHRL - General		1,996.50 882.87	
	2012 SWHRL - General 2012 Hillsdale Comm Foundation		1,000.00	
	Homestead Sign Caps		90.00	
	Friends of Woods Park		2,100.00	
	2011 Hayhurst School		1,000.00	
	2011 Hayhurst - Cedar Sinal		565.00	
	West Multnomah Soil & Water		315.00	
	SWNI Communications		174.00	
	South Burlingame - Sign Caps		1,112.00 150.00	
	SWHRL - Save the Elm Friends of Spring Garden Park		150.00 3,320.36	
	Multnomah Outdoor Cinema		1,411.84	
	Hillsdale Bike Coalition		456.75	
	4T Trail		2,532.68	
	Stephens Creek Walkway		2,010.21	
	Tralls		11,580.81	
	Dickinson Park Playground		7,822.37	
	Crestwood Taylor Woods		4,700.00	
	Heron Pte		14.98	
	Restricted Accounts-Sponsorship -	Other	-755,68	
т	otal Restricted Accounts-Sponsorship		61,107.29	

Southwest Neighborhood, Inc. (SWNI) Balance Sheet As of February 29, 2012

	As of February 29	, 2012
		Feb 29, 12
ASSETS		
Curren	nt Assets	
	ecking/Savings Jmpqua Operations Account	69,818.43
1	Jmpqua Restricted Account	66,720.78
Tot	al Checking/Savings	136,539.21
	ounts Receivable	
	Accounts Receivable	18,418,03
Tot	al Accounts Receivable	18,418.03
Total (Current Assets	154,967.24
TOTAL A	SSETS	154,967.24
	ES & EQUITY	
Liabili	rent Liabilities	
	Accounts Payable	0.450.00
	Accounts payable	9,158.90
	Total Accounts Payable	9,198.90
•	Credit Cards SWNI Credit Card	755.66
	Fotal Credit Cards	755.66
	Other Current Liabilities	
	Restricted Accounts - Agent	
	Ashcreek Far SW	233.53 229.61
	Hayhurst	8.30
	Collins View Trail Hillsdale	125.00 95.00
	SWHRL - Old Orchard Trail	225.00
	South Burlingame - General	603,51
	South Burlingame - Hardy Plant Marshall Park - General	454.20 20.00
	Total Restricted Accounts - Agent	1,994.16
	Restricted Accounts-Sponsorship	
	2012 ARNOLD CREEK 100 Hearts	ave 576.65
	2012 CRESTWOOD Dickinson Pa 2012 CRIME PREV AND PUBLIC 8	
	2012 FAR SOUTHWEST NA Mailli	ngs 500,00
	2012 HAYHURST Natl Night Out	1,518.00 1,000.00
	2012 HILLSDALE CF 3rd Thurs St 2012 HILLSDALE NA Red Elec	1,500.00
	2012 HOMESTEAD NA Outreach	997.56
	2012 MAPLEWOOD NA Grand Ce 2012 MULTN NA People in Park	ntenn 1,550.00 1,524.00
	2012 NEIGH HOUSE Transpo	2,000.00
	2012 ROBERT GRAY Ethnic Pride 2012 SOUTH BURLINGAME NA	2,000.00
	2012 SO PORTLAND NA Web Dev	
	2012 TRYON CREEK WC Event	1,996.50
	SWHRL - General 4T Trail	882.87 2,532.68
	2011 Hayhurst School	1,000.00
	2011 Hayhurst - Cedar Sinal Crestwood Taylor Woods	565.00 4,700.00
	Dickinson Park Playground	7,622.37
	Friends of Spring Garden Park	3,320.36
	Friends of Woods Park Heron Pte	2,100.00 14.98
	Hillsdale Bike Coalition	456.75
	Homestead Sign Caps	90,00
	Marshall Park Nat'l Night Out	462.01
	Multinomah Outdoor Cinema	1,411.84 1,112.00
	South Burlingame - Sign Caps Stephens Creek Walkway	2,010.21
	SWNI Communications	94.00
	SWHRL - Save the Elm Trails	150.00 11,580.81
	West Multnomah Soll & Water	315.00
	Total Restricted Accounts-Sponso	orship 60,384.96
	Accrued payroll	8,751.86
	Payroll Liabilities	-2,227.10
7	Total Other Current Liabilities	68,903.67
Tat	of Current ! lebilities	78 858 43



Examination #4	How is money being tracked for the Umpqua Restricted Bank account with restricted neighborhood and business association and board funds?
Findings:	 There was not sufficient itemization on the Restricted Fund Tracking Sheets and Balance Sheet Previous Year End Comparisons When the beginning and ending balance did not change, the tracking did not include deposit and withdrawal activity that occurred during the month The Umpqua Restricted and the Key Restricted accounts had repeated occurrences of out-of-balanced activity for the monies owed to the Associations. The inadequate itemization and tracking caused lack of transparency for Board reporting and could have resulted in financial losses due to employee theft. 47% of the total deposits for the fiscal year were unreported for the Umpqua Restricted account and 72% of the withdrawals for the fiscal year not disclosed to the Board. The Board was reliant on the Restricted Fund Tracking Sheets and Balance Sheet Previous Year End Comparisons to oversee proper financial handling Previously discovered Restricted Accounts are used for financial activity that are not allocated to an Association fund (reference Examination #1 and #3).
Impact:	 No direct financial impact observed; however opportunity existed for financial losses and mismanagement that would not have been reported to the Board, as previously experienced in the embezzlement. SWNI was not in compliance with the Financial Management Policy and Procedures (reference Internal Controls, Monitoring section).

Results Summary

An analysis was completed on the Umpqua Restricted account statements and corresponding SWNI Restricted Funds Tracking Sheets, Balance Sheet Previous Year End Comparison, and Financial Disbursement Forms, the financial system Reconciliation Detail and Summary reports, and images of deposits and withdrawal activity from the bank account. A comparative analysis was performed on all of the restricted funds in SWNI custody and the monthly change of balances between the different restricted funds.

Forensic examination findings are that money in the Umpqua Restricted account was not being adequately reported to the Board during the sample period of July 30, 2019 to June 30, 2020 when comparing the *Restricted Funds Tracking Sheets* and *Balance Sheet Previous Year End Comparison*. This was evidence of financial mismanagement as SWNI did not demonstrate having proper reporting and monitoring controls in place to timely identify and report discrepancies in Associations funds.



Forensic Examination

Forensic auditors tracked deposit and withdrawal activity from fiscal year 2015 to 2020. To demonstrate the variances between the *Restricted Funds Tracking Sheets* and the Umpqua Restricted account, forensic auditors charted a sample period from July 31, 2019 to June 30, 2020. *Reference Appendix Association Restricted Funds Chart*.

In the sampled period, there were 184 deposits, including the monthly interest, for a total of \$65,500.56 made to the Umpqua Restricted account. During the same period, there were 38 withdrawals consisting of checks and electronic transactions that totaled \$47,883.75. However, when comparing the documentation provided to the board on a monthly basis, the Associations funds balance changes month-over-month identified that there were only \$30,852.85 in fund deposits and \$13,235.77 in fund withdrawals. Inadequate itemization of the *Restricted Funds Tracking Sheet* does not allow the Board to properly oversee the money moving through the Associations Funds. This was problematic as it created an opportunity for someone to conduct transactions that would not have been reported to the Board, which SWNI had previously experienced with the criminal embezzlement.

The cadence of the Treasurer's reporting to the Board was not consistent month to month and Treasurer to Treasurer for the Associations funds and money. The difference between the deposits into the Umpqua Restricted account was \$34,647.71 that was not disclosed to the Board, resulting in 47% of the total deposits for the fiscal year being unreported. Similarly with the withdrawals from the Umpqua Restricted account there were \$34,647.98 of withdrawals not disclosed to the Board, resulting in 72% of the withdrawals for the fiscal year being unreported.

The Association Restricted Funds Chart showed the month-by-month individual fund balance changes over the fiscal year 2019-2020 as reported to the Board. The information provided to the Board in this manner described was found to be incomplete, not meaningful, and did not reflect what transaction activity was occurring in the Association's funds. According to the Fiscal Administration Service Policy and Procedures, the Board has the ultimate responsibility to safeguard assets and was hindered at completing this task due to the lack of itemization on the Restricted Funds Tracking Sheet for the Associations.

POLICY

1. The SWNI Board of Directors is the governing body that is ultimately responsible for the policies and practices that assure compliance with federal, state, and local laws/rules/code and SWNI grants and contracts, and safeguards its assets. The Board may delegate administration of the policies and procedures to the Executive Director. The Board must periodically review financial statements as well as operations and activities to ensure SWNI is serving its mission and complying with applicable state and federal laws.



As an example of how the *Restricted Funds Tracking Sheet* was not meaningful information to the Board to determine if there was any irregular activities, there were a few large dollar checks written from the Multnomah Land Use fund ("MUNA Land Use") that the Board did not have an opportunity to review. As seen in the chart, the MUNA Land Use fund month-over-month in 2020 resulted in differences ranging from -\$153.64 to \$5,321.65 due to those large dollar checks not being itemized.



When reviewing the deposits recorded on the *Fiscal Tracking Sheets* to the MUNA Land Use fund, the two large checks deposited to the Umpqua Restricted account were for "Multnomah Land Use," but were not disclosed on the *Balance Sheet Previous Year End Comparison* that was reported to the Board for the Association funds. One deposit was for \$12,950.00 and the other for \$10,000.00, and these deposits were followed by two large checks disbursements to a law firm for a MUNA appeal process in the amounts of \$13,050.00 and \$5,000.00. Although these payments to the law firm appear legitimate, they were problematic as these transactions were not reflected on the *Balance Sheet Previous Year End Comparison* that was provided to the Board. The Board would not have seen the two deposits or the two checks which inhibited their ability to oversee financials.

Fund Name	Date of Transaction	ı	Amount	Description	Check#	Payee	Memo From Check or Financial Disbursement Form
							Multnomah NA Land Use
Multnomah Land Use	2/10/2020	\$	12,950.00	Deposit			Donor Identified
							Payment of Feb. 7, 2020 Invoice, Client ID 19-1
Multnomah Land Use	2/21/2020	\$	13,050.00	Check	check 1442	LAW FIRM	Multnomah NA Land Use
							Multnomah NA Land Use
Multnomah Land Use	4/3/2020	\$	10,000.00	Deposit			Unknown Donor
							Inv. 271, from <fund authorized="" person=""></fund>
Multnomah Land Use	5/1/2020	\$	5,000.00	Check	check 995001	LAW FIRM	MUNA Land Use-Professional Services

It was problematic that the transaction activity occurring in the individual Association funds and the Umpqua Restricted account was not adequately disclosed to the Board on a monthly basis, and could have resulted in financial losses due to employee theft. The Umpqua Restricted and the Key Restricted accounts had repeated occurrences of out-of-balanced activity for the monies owed to the Associations. In addition, it was evaluated that SWNI was not in compliance with their *Financial Management Policy and Procedures (reference Internal Controls, Monitoring section)*.



Examination #5	What was SWNI's financial situation when they applied for and received a Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) loan, how was that loan spent, and what expenses were requested to be forgiven for the PPP loan?
Findings:	 SWNI received \$66,300.00 in PPP funding citing "CVID impact to budget & services" There was approximately two to three months of money available to cover paychecks when the PPP loan was received Civic Life base grant funding remained the same between 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 fiscal year and was not impacted by COVID and would have paid for payroll expenses The PPP loan created a surplus of money at SWNI so the Board repurposed Civic Life money for funding of the CEAP grants to the community The CEAP line item on the budget as the third highest expense other than payroll and falsely inflated SWNI's expenses pertaining to COVID PPP loan was used for payroll expenses, rent, utilities PPP loan forgiveness included paid time off payouts that were not equitably distributed amongst SWNI employees and violated SWNI's Personnel Policy SWNI made misrepresentations regarding the CEAP grants to Board members and Civic Life. The CEAP grant inflated SWNI's budget to reflect a shortfall that created the illusion of COVID financial impact. SWNI mismanaged the oversight and decision making of the PPP money.
Impact:	 \$25,000.00 committed to CEAP \$60,952.99 in payroll expenses that normally would have been submitted for reimbursement to the Civic Life grant but instead were covered by PPP loan \$5,223.31 in rent and lease payments; of which \$432.10 normally would have been submitted for reimbursement to the Civic Life grant \$292.78 for telephone utility payment expenses that normal would have been submitted for reimbursement to the Civic Life grant \$5,136.08 in paid time off payout for a current employee that was not in compliance with the Personnel Policy \$169.06 in paid time off payout for a former employee that was not in compliance with the Personnel Policy SWNI mismanagement caused an indeterminate dollar amount of accrued liability due to current employee now accumulating additional paid time off that otherwise would have been capped at a maximum had the payout not occurred; this would have inflated payroll costs that would have been covered by the Civic Life grant in a future period.



Results Summary

An analysis was completed on the *PPP Borrower Application*, *Disbursement Request and Authorization*, and *PPP Loan Forgiveness Application*, along with supporting information provided by SWNI, including: Umpqua Operations account, Umpqua Restricted account, payroll records, bills and invoices for expenses, *Restricted Funds Tracking Sheets* and *Fiscal Tracking Sheets*, and financial system reports including *Sales by Customer Detail*, *PPP Transaction Detail by Account*, *Balance Sheet Previous Year End Comparisons*, and *Profit & Loss*. There was a review of Board and Committee meeting minutes, meeting materials such as projection sheets, and digital videos of meetings, which were all considered in the analysis. Additionally considered during the analysis was communications, such as the emails about the Community Engagement Allocation Program ("CEAP") grants. SWNI governing documents were considered during the analysis as well, such as the *Personnel Policy*.

Forensic examination findings were that SWNI had marginal direct impact from COVID and that SWNI's employee's job security and paycheck funding was not in jeopardy due to COVID. Although Civic Life informed SWNI to plan for potential COVID impacts to the funding, the Civic Life grant for fiscal years 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 had the same base amount to cover payroll costs. SWNI had declared the purpose for the PPP loan was for COVID impacts to budgets and services; however, SWNI sought to expand services by creating new CEAP grants that ultimately appeared to be designed to create the illusion of a budget shortfall. The CEAP grants would have been made possible by the surplus of Civic Life money resulting from having received the PPP money, and both funding sources would have covered payroll costs in the same period.

Additionally problematic was that SWNI had decided to bulk payout paid time off ("PTO") time to two employees, which didn't appear to have occurred in a fair or equitable manner for all employees. The bulk payout of PTO was conducted as a mechanism to inflate eligible PPP costs as a result of not being able to claim expenses for SWNI's portion of employer's social security and Medicare tax for employees. The bulk payouts of PTO did not adhere with SWNI's *Personnel Policy*. There were misrepresentations regarding the CEAP grants from SWNI to Board members and Civic Life. The SWNI special committee created for the PPP had not appeared to provide functional oversight.

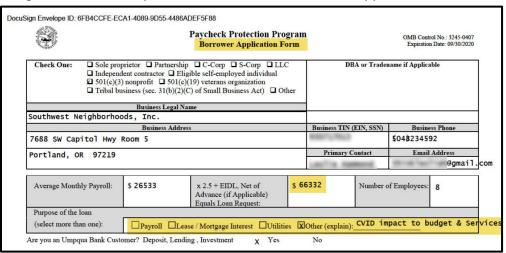
Forensic Examination

On April 30, 2020 the *PPP Borrower Application* for the loan was signed by the acting SWNI Treasurer, and the primary contact listed on the application was SWNI's President. The President's email address on the *PPP Borrower Application* was their personal *@gmail.com* email address and not the official SWNI email address *@swni.org* for the President. It seemed abnormal and inappropriate that a personal email address was used on the SWNI formal PPP loan application for \$66,332.00. Using a personal email



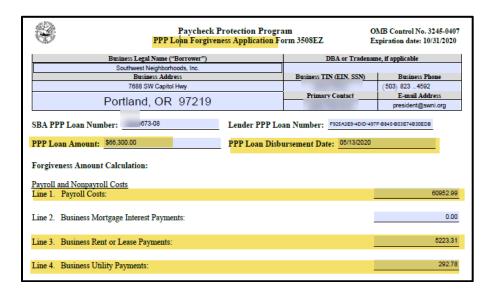
address circumvented the SWNI email domain and would have disallowed SWNI from being able to archive communication related to this loan. This was problematic as the bank and federal agency that issued the loan would have been directed to correspond to a personal email instead of the official email address for SWNI business, and would have resulted in a lack of transparency for the Board.

The purpose of the loan as stated on the *PPP Borrower Application* was for "Other (explanation): CVID impact to budget & services." The *PPP Borrower Application* had allowed for SWNI to select more than one reason for the purpose of the loan, yet SWNI did not mark the application boxes provided for the purposes of payroll, lease, or utilities. This indicated that SWNI had not planned on or was unsure about spending the PPP money on payroll, lease or utility expenses. SWNI did not specify what the COVID budget and service impacts were on the *PPP Borrower Application*.

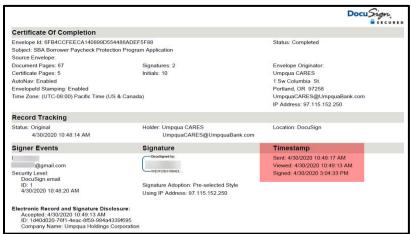


SWNI's supporting documentation indicated they had planned for COVID impact pertaining to the ability to pay for rent/lease, as the donation and contribution amounts were overall down because events were not able to be held in person. However, SWNI's biggest expense was payroll and SWNI did not appear to have internally documented what specific COVID impacts there were to payroll to justify the application. In April and May 2020, SWNI was expecting to receive, and would have received, Civic Life grant funding that would have covered the majority if not all of payroll expenses for the remainder of fiscal year 2020 and the upcoming fiscal year 2021. SWNI did not demonstrate there was direct impact to payroll due to COVID to justify having received 2.5 times the average monthly payroll costs as stated on the *PPP Borrower Application*.



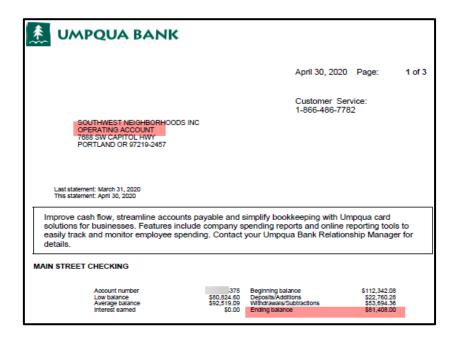


The *PPP Loan Forgiveness Application* reflected SWNI had spent the majority of PPP money on payroll costs totaling \$60,952.99, and spent the remainder of the PPP money on rent/lease payments \$5,223.31 and utilities \$292.78. Those payroll costs covered by PPP in July and August 2020 would have caused a surplus of Civic Life money not spent on payroll during that same period. SWNI demonstrated it intended to repurpose that surplus of money created by the PPP in other ways, such as the CEAP.



In considering the financial situation of SWNI on the day that SWNI signed the *PPP Borrower Application*, April 30, 2020, the Umpqua Operations account had an ending monthly balance as \$81,408.00. Based on SWNI's PPP application, there was an average monthly payroll of \$26,553, which meant that the Umpqua Operations account had over three months of cash on hand that would have covered payroll expenses. The SWNI payroll and other operational expenses were still being covered in April, May and June 2020 by the Civic Life grant which was not impacted by COVID. Additionally, SWNI was planning on receiving the next grant from Civic Life beginning July 1, 2020 when they signed the *PPP Borrower Application*.





On or about May 8-10, 2020, meeting materials were distributed to the Board for the Emergency Board Meeting regarding the PPP loan, where it was discussed that SWNI had intended to repurpose Civic Life grant money. This meeting was recorded and the discussion observed was that the PPP money would allow SWNI to repurpose Civic Life money that was supposed to be used for payroll. During that emergency meeting, the SWNI President made verbal statements about what that meant:

"That means we'll have Civic Life money left over. There is nothing that we've seen in our contract... that says we cant use our Civic Life money for other purposes..."

The Executive Director explained how SWNI would repurpose the Civic Life grant money as:

"There are line items we can expend... after the Civic Life grant received, there was \$53,000.00 left the Board had to use [spend]... if we use the money for full time employee expenses... frees up some of that money that we can use towards paying for the printing and postage of our newsletters, paying for the rent that the Board usually pays for... we have to spend within the line items... we shift the funds for some of the full time payroll expenses... to pay for those other responsibilities."

There was also discussion during the Emergency Board Meeting that indicated SWNI had estimated the COVID financial impact. The impact that was documented showed there were reduced contributions from donations and events not being held, additional expenses from equipment and technology purchased for telecommuting, COVID signage and flyers (mailers) for the community, and cost of living increases for SWNI employees. With the exception of the cost of living increases, that were to be paid for by the Board fundraising activities, there appeared to be minimal impact on payroll expenses from



COVID to justify needing paycheck protection. Additionally, there was evidence that reflected a \$16,000 direct impact to SWNI for flyers and mailing, office functions, and reduced revenue from donations; all of which was not an COVID impact to payroll funding.

П	conversation. direct question	ons, Q and Answers, A				
	Q1] What is the amount of direct financial impact to SWNI as a result of pandemic shutdown? Does that direct financial impact influence or limit the basis of the PPP loan amount?					
	A1] \$16,000 direct impact, and no, the loan amount is b	pased upon avg monthly salaries				
	Direct financial impact: increased expenses –	COVID 19 flyer, production and mailing				
		Moving office function to employee home office				
	: reduced revenue -	donations decline and cancellation of Clean Up				

On May 13, 2020, which was three days after the PPP Disbursement Request and Authorization was signed by SWNI's President, the PPP money was awarded for \$66,300.00 and deposited into the Umpqua Bank PPP account ("Umpqua PPP"). On May 14, 2020, the acting Treasurer emailed the Board indicating that the PPP was "another source of revenue to SWNI which would help free up Civic Life money to pay for some of the COVID related costs and other expenses that we have," and which demonstrated that SWNI's motivation to obtain the PPP was not to cover payroll impacts due to COVID, but to repurpose Civic Life grant money that was for payroll for other purposes.

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Thu, May 14 at 5:33 PM

To: board@swni.org

Hi Everyone,

I have attached a copy of the motion you passed last Saturday afternoon along with a blank copy of the loan documents that Leslie signed on behalf of SWNI on Tuesday. The signed document has sensitive financial information in it so I am not sharing that. But it is the same document that Leslie signed.

As you remember, the loan document was not available to us on Saturday afternoon. On Monday and Tuesday we worked with the bank to receive and get the document signed. We set up a separate bank account so we could easily track what money flowed into and out of the account and for reporting purposes to the SBA. The banker told us today that the money as been deposited into that account.

The loan's duration is for two years at a 1% interest rate. Although interest is accruing no payment is due fpr the first 6 months. If the PPP money is used for payroll, rent and utilities, it is forgivable under the SBA rules. The forgivable portion of the money must be used in the eight weeks after its receipt. For us that means it must be used by mid July. When the eight weeks expires, SWNI will provide a report to the bank and the SBA that shows what the money was spent on and ask for the loan to be forgiven. The SBA must certify what loan amounts are forgiven within 60 days of our report. That means we will know by September, before the six months is up what portion of the loan is forgiven. We may have to pay a small amount of interest for the use of the money until it is forgiven.

There are some unusual terms in the note. As we discussed Saturday night, when one takes money from the government, one cannot change the loan terms but must take the money as they offer it. The note says the government has the authority to change the terms of the use of the money at any time that we retain and use it. We think that means there may be guidelines from the SBA which are developed after we receive the money. Our goal is to check regularly with the SBA for updated regulations. If there are any changes we may need to change our use of the money going forward. The goal is to have the loan forgiven.

This is a another source of revenue to SWNI which will help free up Civic Life money to pay for some of the COVID related costs and other expenses that we have. Civic Life's grant does not cover our operating expenses entirely. We are not required to use the Civic Life money for payroll under our contract. The Finance committee will be working on offering reasonable choices about the use of Civic Life and PPP funds as we go forward.

There will be some PPP money left in our account after the eight weeks. The Board will have the choice to keep the money as a low cost loan to offset reductions in our Civic Life grant, or other revenue like donations, or to return the money. Part of the reason we qualified for this money, is because of the genuine uncertainty about funding for ourselves in the future. We will report on the use of the PPP money at the May, June and July meetings.

We are just beginning to count the costs of the COVID virus on our organization. We must plan for the change in how we operate. There will be costs which we must anticipate. The use of Google Hangouts and Zoom for the neighborhoods to stay in contact is essential and yet most neighborhoods don't have their own subscriptions. There will be training costs for SWNI staff and for the neighborhoods related to COVID. Those are just two examples that the organization faces and must anticipate along with the costs. Please think about the specific COVID impacts in your neighborhood and costs so that we can address as many as possible.



On May 18, 2020, 18-days after the *PPP Borrower Application* was signed and five-days after receipt of the PPP money in the Umpqua PPP account, SWNI received notice from Civic Life regarding the COVID impacts to the upcoming grant period. In the notification from Civic Life it said "FY 20-21 Budget Memo: Planning for Uncertainty and Reduced Income...bigger cuts are likely coming in the fall...we need to prepare for significant reductions as a possibility". This memo appeared to be when SWNI received formal notification from Civic Life that grant money planned for the upcoming fiscal year beginning in July 2020 may be impacted due to COVID.



FY 20-21 Budget Memo: Planning for Uncertainty and Reduced Revenue 5/18/2020

Background:

The impact of COVID-19 on the City's resources are unprecedented, unpredictable and long lasting. This is what we know as of 5/15/20 and it is subject to change.

On May 7, bureaus learned about the Mayor's proposed budget at the same time that the public did. This is not a typical process and reflects these unprecedented times.

Civic Life's budget situation is unique. We commit 31.63% of the total bureau budget at the beginning of the year through 12 contracts (25.03%) to 5 DCOs, 6 DCLs and 1 graffiti vendor, and 6.59% of the budget in City-staffed district coalition offices to maintain parity with the non-profit DCOs.

This puts Civic Life in a precarious position because we know that bigger cuts are likely coming in the Fall. If we commit such a large portion of our budget at the beginning of the year, and we are required to take larger cuts in the Fall BMP, this creates the problem of having the rest of the bureau carry all the consequences. The impact to the rest of the bureau—which would have already taken cuts in the adopted budget—would be to take all the additional required cuts while DCOs, DCLs and graffiti would not. This is inequitable and it disproportionately harms the burgeau's smaller programs. For reference, the smallest FY 19-20 DCO award is more than the budgets for the bureau's Disability, Immigrant and Refugee, Youth, and Mental Health

As of today, we know that the Mayor's proposed FY 20-21 budget for Civic Life includes a 5.6% general fund reduction of \$540,843. Of this amount \$421,541 has already been identified through these cuts:

- Eliminating COLA, merit increases and requiring up to 10 furlough days for nonrepresented employees
- Savings that are still being negotiated with labor unions to take a similar level of
- Eliminating all inflationary measures for external materials and services.
- And some initial cuts to programs.

We still need to find an additional \$119,000 in cuts before the Fall BMP.

If the labor negotiations do not result in the same level of savings as built into the Mayor's proposed budget, then we would have to make up that amount somewhere else in the budget to get to the \$540,843 number. We do not know if the labor agreements will need to be made by May 20 when Council votes to approve the budget or by June 10 when Council adopts the budget.



What we know today is going to change. We anticipate needing to take additional reductions as a result of adjusted revenue forecasts in the FY 20-21 Fall BMP.

We need to prepare for significant reductions as a possibility; and we cannot get ahead of the potential budget guidance we will receive from the Mayor and Council in the Fall.

We are also working with other bureaus that do grantmaking and contracting to develop a unified approach to the next fiscal year.

Budget approval/adoption process:

- May 20: Council convenes as the Budget Committee to approve the budget
- The budget then goes to the Tax Supervising & Conservation Commission
- . If approved by the TSCC, it comes back to Council June 10 for budget adoption
- July 1 is start of fiscal year FY 20-21

As of today, we think we will know more after May 20 but may not know everything until June 10 due to the impact of labor negotiations.

We can schedule a call for early June to provide an update if we have more information.

Fall Budget Monitoring Process

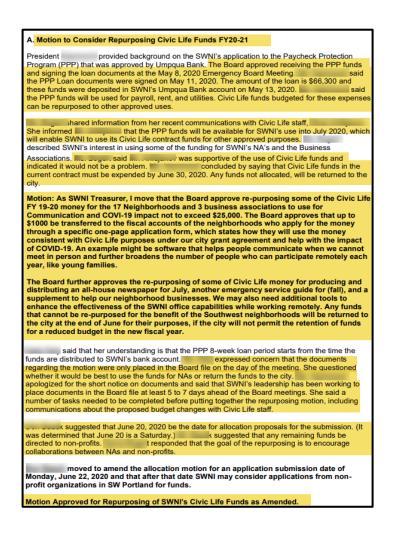
We will get updated revenue forecasts in late July/August to reflect tax filings extension to July 15.

Typically, the Fall BMP deadline is late September with a Council vote in November. This year, this might be moved up so that there are decisions in October.

We expect additional budget guidance reflecting Mayor/Council priorities. We already see inequities in the impact of COVID-19 and state of emergency on communities, and the City acknowledges that inequities in society and the budget are amplified in a COVID-19 world. To begin to address funding inequities, FY 20-21 decisions will prioritize the City's commitments to racial equity and climate action (see this draft resolution https://www.portlandoregon.gov/auditor/article/761037)

The May 27, 2020 SWNI Board meeting minutes described that SWNI had made contact with Civic Life about repurposing the surplus of fiscal year 2020-2021 grant funds that was created due to the PPP money SWNI had received. In the meeting, there was a "Motion to Consider Repurposing Civic Life Funds FY 20-21" for COVID impact not to exceed \$25,000.00. A Board Member questioned whether repurposing would be the best use of funds or return the funds to the City and "expressed concern that the documents regarding the motion were only placed in the Board file on the day of the meeting." The Board overwhelmingly approved the motion to repurpose SWNI's Civic Life funds. This evidence demonstrated that the Board had limited time to consider the materials to repurpose \$25,000.00 of Civic Life grant funding, had been motivated to allocate the surplus of Civic Life funding towards the CEAP, and had limited engagement with Civic Life regarding these plans.



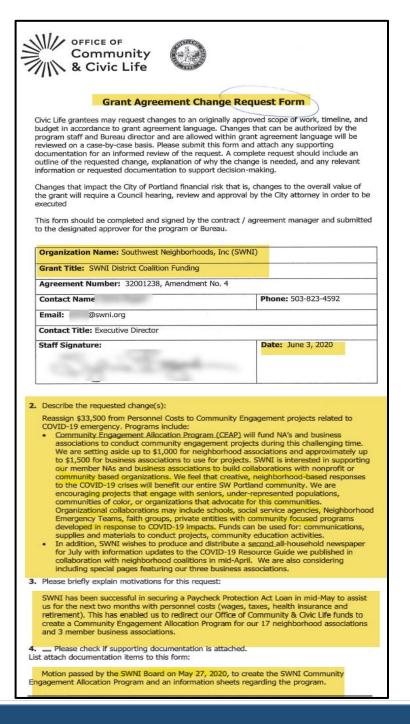


On June 1st, five-days after the SWNI decision to repurpose Civic Life funds, SWNI received the 3rd quarter grant reimbursement for \$65,495.02, which was deposited into the Umpqua Operations account. This resulted in the SWNI Umpqua Operations account having a balance of \$87,202.78 at the end of fiscal year 2020 on June 30th. Upon receipt of the last quarter Civic Life grant distribution, SWNI had enough cash on hand in the Umpqua Operations account to cover three months of payroll expenses, and also had cash on hand from the PPP of \$66,300.00 that was enough to cover two months of payroll expenses.

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A Civic Life *Grant Agreement Change Request Form* dated June 3, 2020 by the SWNI Executive Director sought to reassign \$33,500.00 from "Personnel Costs to Community Engagement projects related to COVID-19 emergency...," as "SWNI has been successful in securing a Paycheck Protection Act Loan in mid-May to assist us for the next two months with personnel costs (wages, taxes, health insurance and retirement). This has enabled us to redirect our Office of Community & Civic Life funds to create a Community Engagement Allocation Program". Although this *Grant Agreement Change Request Form* was drafted, it was not yet submitted to Civic Life.





Then on June 4, 2020, the CEAP was announced to the Board and Associations in an email that said "to plan and conduct community engagement projects in response to the COVID-19 crisis... We feel that creative, neighborhood-based response to COVID-19 impacts will benefit our entire SW Portland community". This demonstrated that SWNI appeared not in need of the COVID Paycheck Protection Program loan, as they subsequently created a new grant program (CEAP) to pass-along the surplus money to the Associations, and not use or save the money on direct COVID impacts to SWNI payroll. It appeared that the CEAP was a mechanism for SWNI to claim they had COVID impact to their budget and services to comply with the purpose they had stated on the *PPP Borrower Application*. The CEAP would have been a new line item on the budget and new service to the community for others that had COVID impact, and was not a direct COVID impact to SWNI budget and service that would have put paychecks to SWNI employees in jeopardy.

Subject: [SWNI Board] Community Engagement Allocation Program (CEAP), Date: June 4, 2020 at 2:49:17 PM PDT Fo: "board@swni.org" <boord@swni.org>, "neighborhood-chairs@swni.org" <neighborhood-chairs@swni.org>, nfo@southportlandba.com, MVBA Members <info@multnomahvillage.org> Reply-To: board@swni.org To: SWNI Board, Neighborhood Chairs & Business Associations, NI and the Office of Community & Civic Life have created the Community Engagement Allocation Program CEAP), which will allow the seventeen Neighborhood Associations (NAs) and three Business Associations (BAs) in southwest Portland to plan and conduct community engagement projects in response to the COVID-19 crisis. We are setting aside up to \$1,000 for each of our NAs/BAs to build collaborations with non-profit or ommunity-based organizations. We encourage projects that engage with seniors, under-represented populations, communities of color, or organizations that advocate for these communities. We feel that creative eighborhood-based responses to COVID-19 impacts will benefit our entire SW Portland community now and long after the crisis has passed. We encourage all SWNI's Neighborhood/Business Associations to apply for the Community Engagement Allocation Program. Contact SWNI staff members: @swni.org), 503-877-4574 with any questions. Completed applications will be due at 5:00 pm, Monday, June 22, 2020. for more information and the forms required to apply for these funds, please click on the following document inks or visit SWNI's website home page at <u>SWNI.OF</u>g. I have also attached Word documents for the application forms for both NAs and Business Associations EAP Information Sheet (NAs/BAs) EAP Application for Neighborhood Associations EAP Agreement for Neighborhood Associations

Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc.

SWNI Community Engagement Allocation Program (CEAP)

Information Sheet

June 2020

The SWNI Board of Directors has taken a number of actions to address the COVID-19 crisis in SW Portland this spring. SWNI's Multnomah Art Center office closed as a result of the crisis in mid-March, but our operations have continued as our staff telework and are available to the community during regular business hours. We also produced and distributed the COVID-19 Resource Guide in April, which was a print publication mailed to all households and businesses in southwest Portland. Our goal was to reach all under-represented individuals and households who lack or have limited access to electronic communications about health and safety information.

SWNI has also been successful in securing a Paycheck Protection Act Loan in mid-May to assist us for the next two months with additional program and operations costs caused by the COVID-19 Crisis. This has enabled us to redirect our Office of Community & Civic Life funds to create the Community Engagement Allocation Program for the seventeen Neighborhood Associations (NAs) and three Business Associations (BAs) within SWNI boundaries. The CEAP will fund our NAs/BAs to plan and conduct community engagement projects during this challenging time. We are setting aside up to \$1,000 for each of our associations to use for projects of their choosing.



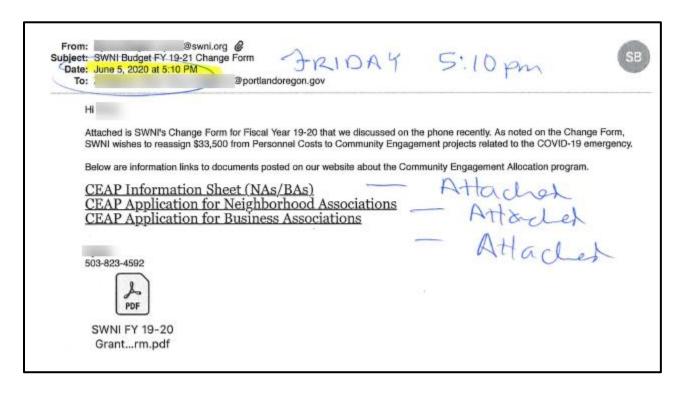
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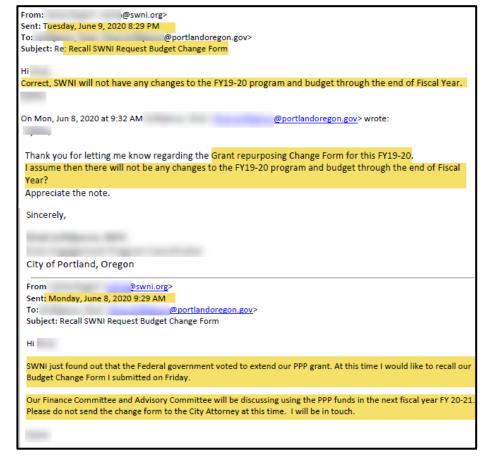
The *Grant Agreement Change Request Form* that was drafted on Friday June 3rd was emailed to Civic Life on Friday June 5, 2020, after normal business hours at 5:10pm. Although the Board motioned to repurpose funds for fiscal year 2020-2021, the subject line of the email sent to Civic Life said "SWNI Budget FY 19-21" indicating two fiscal years, and the body of the email had one fiscal year of "Fiscal Year 19-20". There was conflict at that point in the records as to which fiscal year SWNI was requesting the change to the grant, whether it was pertaining to fiscal year 2019-2020 or 2020-2021, or both fiscal years.



The following Monday morning, June 8, 2020 at 9:29am, SWNI had emailed Civic Life back to "recall our Budget Change Form I submitted on Friday... Our Finance Committee and Advisory Committee will be discussing using the PPP funds in the next FY 20-21." SWNI cited the reason for the recall was that they had found out the federal government would allow an extension of the PPP timeframe to spend the money. Civic Life had requested clarification on June 8th that there would be no changes to the fiscal year 2019-2020, and SWNI replied that was correct. It appeared that SWNI had decided to repurpose Civic Life funding for payroll in the fiscal year 2020-2021, and not fiscal year 2019-2020. SWNI had not engaged in a substantive dialogue with Civic Life about their plan to repurpose payroll funding for the 2020-2021 fiscal year grant for CEAP.



	@swni.org @ Recall SWNI Request Budget Change Form June 8, 2020 at 9:29 AM @portlandoregon.gov	30 Am
	ound out that the Federal government voted to extend our PPP grant. At this time I would like to recall our Budget Change Form I submitted on Friday. Committee and Advisory Committee will be discussing using the PPP funds in the next fiscal year FY 20-21. Please do not send the change form to the City Attorney at this time. I will be in touch.	
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	Thank you for Change of Form submission and for describing process of \$33,500 SWNI funds. I understand it, I have to run it by our Business office, Leadership and City Attorney and then respond to you via email. Sincerely,	
¥	City of Portland, Oregon @portlandoregon.gov	





On the same day as the recall of the *Grant Agreement Change Request Form* on June 8th, SWNI emailed the Board regarding the Civic Life grant agreement for the 2020-2021 fiscal year, and informed the Board "we were given the same 'base' amount as this year (2019-2020) \$297,414.00," and that the Board would see a draft budget soon. SWNI's documentation reflected there was no impact to Civic Life funding from COVID, and no impact to payroll funding, as Civic Life funding was to remain the same base amount going into the new fiscal year.

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To: board@swni.org, neighborhood-chairs@swni.org,

SWNI Staff

To: SWNI Board and Neighborhood Chairs

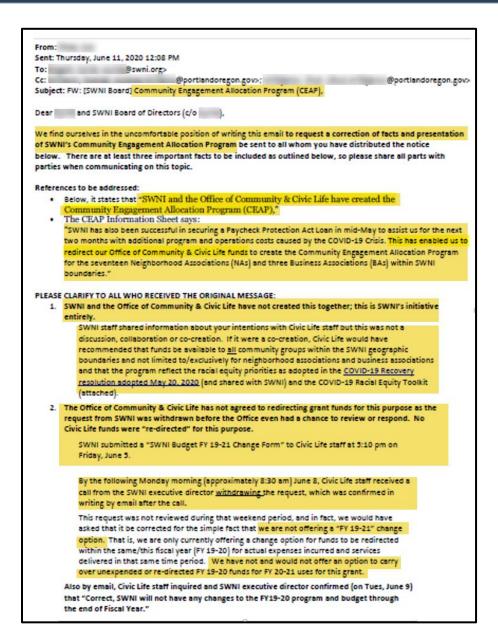
Please note that the Neighborhood Coalition Grant Agreements are listed on Portland's City Council agenda for Thursday, June 11, 2020 at a 2:00 pm time certain.

The grant agreement is for one-year. I have attached the document the SWNI Board will be asked to approve at our June 24, 2020 meeting. We were given the same "base" amount as this year \$297,414.00 (but no funds for the Neighborhood Small Grant program). We will also present a "Draft" Budget for the board to approve at our June 24, 2020 meeting.

That same week on Thursday, June 11th, SWNI received an email from Civic Life requesting "a correction of facts and presentation of SWNI's Community Engagement Allocation Program," which said that "SWNI and the Office of Community & Civic Life have not created this together; this is SWNI's initiative entirely." This communication from Civic Life demonstrated that SWNI had misrepresented Civic Life's involvement to the Board in the May 27th Board meeting, and again misrepresented to the Board and Associations in the June 4th announcement that SWNI had been allowed to repurpose Civic Life money.

The communication from Civic Life also stated that there was misrepresentation by SWNI in the June 4th announcement that the CEAP had been created in consort with Civic Life. SWNI had not engaged Civic Life in a substantive way related to CEAP prior to SWNI's Board meeting on May 27th or the email announcement of the CEAP on June 4th. Particularly as the *Grant Agreement Change Request Form* about repurposing funds and the CEAP had not been reviewed or approved by Civic Life.





In the June 11th communication from Civic Life to SWNI about the repurposing of payroll funding and the CEAP, Civic Life informed SWNI that "we are not offering a 'FY 19-21' change option... we have not and would not offer any option to carry over unexpended or re-directed FY 19-20 funds for FY 20-21 uses for this grant." Despite receiving a clear message that Civic Life would not allow repurposing of funding that was budgeted for payroll towards the CEAP, SWNI's Executive Committee meeting materials on June 17th showed that SWNI had still intended to move forward with the CEAP grants.

During the June 17th committee meeting, SWNI Officers had reviewed the Civic Life grant agreement for fiscal year 2020-2021 and compared the 2019-2020 budget with a 2020-2021 draft budget. The budget



comparison showed that SWNI's base funding from Civic Life remained the same. The budget comparison had a line item for the CEAP grant expense, at \$25,000.00, which was the third highest expense planned other than payroll, and payroll was normally covered by Civic Life grant funding. The budget did not show that SWNI had received the PPP money as other income during the 2019-2020 or 2020-2021 fiscal year. Due to the absence of other income and the added expense of the CEAP on the budget, SWNI's need for board funding was considerably over inflated on the budget.

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Category	2019-2020 Budget	2020-2021 Draft Budget	Proposed Capital Needs		Notes FY 2020-2021
INCOME					
Grant - BES	-				
Grants - Civic Life	297,414.00	297,414.00			Base Budget
		,			-
Grants - Civic Life Small Grants	9,443.00	-			Civic Life Small Grants \$0
					BPS Grant for fall/spring Cleanups
Grant BPS (Cleanup)	3,236.00	-			discontinued
Fundraising Appeal	9,000.00	4,000.00			Estimate
Advertising Sales	12,000.00	10,000.00			Estimate
	-				
Fiscal Management	8,825.00	6,000.00			BES 3000, WM 3000 BPS 0
Fees & Services (Cleanup)	8,000.00	-			Cleanup participant fees
Subtotal	347,918.00	317,414.00	-	-	
Board Funding	9,452.18	75,059.42			
TOTAL INCOME	\$357,370.18	\$ 392,473.42	\$ -	\$ -	
EXPENSE					
Bank Service Charges	175.00	50.00			ACH Fees
	275.00	30.00			
					Annual Inc fees= (18*50)=\$900, CT12's = (17*20)=\$340, SWNI CT12 - \$370
Corporate Filing Fees	1,548.00	1,610.00			
Cleanup Expenses	3,236.00	-			Cleanup: Porta-Potties ?, Tent, Supplies
Education/Training	-	800.00		-	\$100 per employee
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Equipment Rental/Lease	5.071.00	5,172.96			mos.)+(\$185 property tax) + (\$40 overage
Equipment Kentaly Lease	5,071.00	5,172.96			Domain Registrations \$200.00; 200M 17
					licenses at \$149.90/yr; Cloud Storage
Electronic Communication	729.72	3,228.30			\$480.00
Food & Entertainment	1,700.00	1,700.00			SWNI Events, Retreat, Open House
Human Resources	100.00	100.00			Employment ads, background checks
Insurance - Office	11,000.00	10,307.00			May 2020 quote
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Insurance - Workers Comp	600.00	645.00			million/occurrence)
Payroll - Gross Wages	213,155.04	224,250.24			Includes 40 hours for
Payroll - Tax Expense	21,742.00	22,873.52			10.2% of Gross Wages
Payroll - Benefits	12,350.00	12,350.00			Nov. 2020 Renewal 2
Payroll - Retirement	4,263.10	4,485.00			2% of Payroll
Payroll Services	1,600.00	1,660.00			Prime Pay
Postage & Delivery	19,200.00	19,200.00			Newspaper: \$1,600 x12
					\$775 for fundraising envelopes
Printing Fundraising Envelopes	775.00	775.00			• .
Printing - Newspaper Monthly	25,800.00	25,800.00		_	2,200 x 12 mos (Does not include 2020 al household)
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Professional Fees	4,000.00	4,000.00			Review
Office Rent	14,092.32	11,480.40			Office Rent \$956.70 per month
Room Rentals	-	5,500.00			Regular meeting space rentals
Small Equipment/Software	-	3,000.00			New Server; Ipad card reader; Monitor \$600; Ca \$80; Web Camera \$100
Construction Control Control	2 222 22	3 346 65			Extra Space Storage Unit \$191/mo (5%
Storage for SWNI Equipment	2,250.00	2,346.00			increase in Jan 2021) NAO \$225, Costco \$85, MVBA \$100, NTEN 70.00
Subscriptions/Memberships	540.00	540.00			Intertwine 90.00
Supplies	2,000.00	2,000.00			Office Supplies
Telephone	1,500.00	1,500.00			\$125/month
Teleworking	-	1,600.00			\$200 x 8 employees
Travel	500.00	500.00			
NA Small Grants/CEAP	9,443.00	25,000.00			CEAP Grants
TOTAL Expenses	\$357,370.18	\$ 392,473.42	\$	\$ -	
Total Income - Total Exp.	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	6/17/202



SWNI emailed the Board, Associations, and Civic Life a "Clarification regarding use of PPP funds and Civic Life funds" on June 12, 2020. In the email it said that SWNI "did not need to repurpose any Civic Life grant funds during this final quarter, which ends June 30, 2020," and that "SWNI still faces economic uncertainty coming into our new Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2020". SWNI cited that the reason for the economic uncertainty was due to a decline in donation and event income.

In considering the budget comparison for 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 that the SWNI Executive Committee had reviewed on June 17th, there was revenue reduction budgeted for the line items of cleanup, fundraising and advertising sales, which seemed to be due to COVID. It also appeared the Civic Life small grants program was defunded in the new fiscal year. The total revenue reduction was \$30,504.00 on SWNI's budget comparison between fiscal years 2019-2020 and 2020-2021.

However, there was also expense savings of about \$27,541.92 that was budgeted. SWNI's revenue reduction from COVID was mostly offset

Sent: Friday, June 12, 2020 5:13 PM To: board@swni.org; neighborhood-chairs@swni.org; SBNA-board@swni.org @portlandoregon.gov>; /@portlandoregon.gov> Subject: Clarification regarding use of PPP funds and Civic Life funds Friday, June 12, 2020 Dear Board and Neighborhood Chairs. It is our sense that there may be some confusion about SWNI's application and use of federal Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) funds. We applied for the PPP money on April 28, 2020 while SWNI was waiting for firm information on our 2020-21 Civic Life grant agreement. The proposed budget figure for our new grant agreement was in question, based on the financial crisis facing the City of Portland. It was made clear to SWNI that any proposed grant budget would potentially be reduced by budget revisions the city may enact based on their revenue forecasts for fall 2020. We were also aware that SWNI's revenues for the Fiscal Year 4th Quarter were significantly under budget based on a decline in donation and event income. SWNI's financial uncertainty led us to apply for PPP fund. We felt it was the prudent action to take to keep SWNI's programs and services in place in the upcoming fiscal year. We also place a priority on keeping our employees paid and employed during the Covid-19 crisis The Board approved the PPP application on May 9, 2020. We signed the loan document on May 12, 2020 and received the PPP funds on May 13, 2020. PPP's original rules stated that we would have eight weeks to spend the funds on payroll, rent, and utility costs from date of receipt (5/13/20). The PPP loan will be forgivable only if it is used for payroll, utilities, and rent. At the May 27th SWNI Board meeting a motion passed to approve repurposing some of the Civic Life FY 19-20 money for the 17 neighborhoods and 3 business associations to use for communication and COVID-19 impact not to exceed \$25,000. Funds are to be used consistent with Civic Life purposes under our city grant agreement and help with the impact of COVID-19. We called this effort the Community Engagement Allocation Program (CEAP). SWNI is encouraging projects that engage with seniors, under-represented populations, communities of color, or organizations that advocate for these communities. Organizational collaborations may include schools social service agencies, Neighborhood Emergency Teams, faith groups, private entities with community focused programs developed in response to COVID-19 impacts. Things are changing quickly during the COVID-19 crisis. Last week congress changed the deadline for using the PPP monies so that it could be used for 24 weeks from the date we received it. That means the PPP monies can be used well into the 1st Quarter of SWNI's new Fiscal Year for its intended purpose. This means that we did not need to repurpose any Civic Life grant funds during this final quarter, which ends June 30, 2020. Civic Life has asked us to update this language change in our CEAP documents, which we will do. of the Civic Life memo to you two weeks ago that detailed the city's projected budget shortfall and the steps that Civic Life may take to balance its budget. As a first step, Civic Life has de-funded its Small Grant Program for FY 2020-21. The potential for reduced District Coalition grant funds is also on the table in the fall. Finally, SWNI is also facing other budget reductions as financial donations have declined as givers shift priorities to basic needs giving. We have had to cancel events in the upcoming months that have provided needed revenue in the past. The PPP money ensures that we will be able to retain our employees in the new Fiscal Year. COVID-19 has already reduced our revenue and is likely to continue to have a negative impact in the new fiscal year. Our intent is to use our PPP funds to supplement SWNI's Civic Life contract to ensure that SWNI can meet its payroll, rent and utilities expenses in the upcoming fiscal year. This will provide substantial support to our FY 2020-21 budget and will enable us to keep our employee resources stable, so we can continue to serve the residents of SW Portland. We hope this clarifies any questions you might have. But please feel free to call or write with any questions that you might still have. Respectfully President 1st Vice President Secretary Treasurer

by not having to pay expenses due to COVID. There was a net impact to SWNI's budget that could be attributed to COVID of only -\$2,962.08. Additionally, SWNI appeared to repurpose the line item that was for discontinued Civic Life small grants as the line item for CEAP. The CEAP expense of \$25,000.00 was the only line item budgeted that would have affected the Board Funding line, as Civic Life had not permitted repurposing of the grant for CEAP. Civic Life's base funding had not changed, and the payroll expense differences reflected in the budget would have been covered by Civic Life's grant as well. The only line item that appeared to cause considerable COVID impact on SWNI's budget was the CEAP.



SWNI had spent the PPP money during the period of May 13, 2020 to August 31, 2020, according to the *PPP Loan Forgiveness Application Form*, dated August 31, 2020, and the *PPP Transaction Detail by Account* report that corresponds with the forgiveness application. SWNI's Civic Life grant would have covered 93% of the expenses that were offset to the PPP money, which included payroll, telephone utility, and a portion of the rent/lease payments. The PPP was used to pay for the following expenses applicable to fiscal years 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 totaling \$66,469.08 (*reference Appendix PPP Transactions Corresponding to the Debt Forgiveness Application*):

- Line 1 on the debt forgiveness application: \$60,952.99 encompasses July and August payroll including gross wages, healthcare, retirement and a portion of payroll taxes.
 - Civic Life grant would have covered all of the payroll expenses offset by the PPP money
- Line 3 on the debt forgiveness application: \$5,223.31 encompasses May, June, July and August rent/lease payments for the office, copier, extra storage and cabinet spaces
 - Civic Life grant would have covered \$432.10 of the extra storage and cabinet space rent/lease payments offset by the PPP money
 - SWNI would have covered \$4,791.21 of the office and copier rent/lease payments offset by the PPP money
- Line 4 on the debt forgiveness application: \$292.78 encompasses July and August telephone utility payments
 - Civic Life grant would have covered all of the telephone utility payments offset by the PPP money





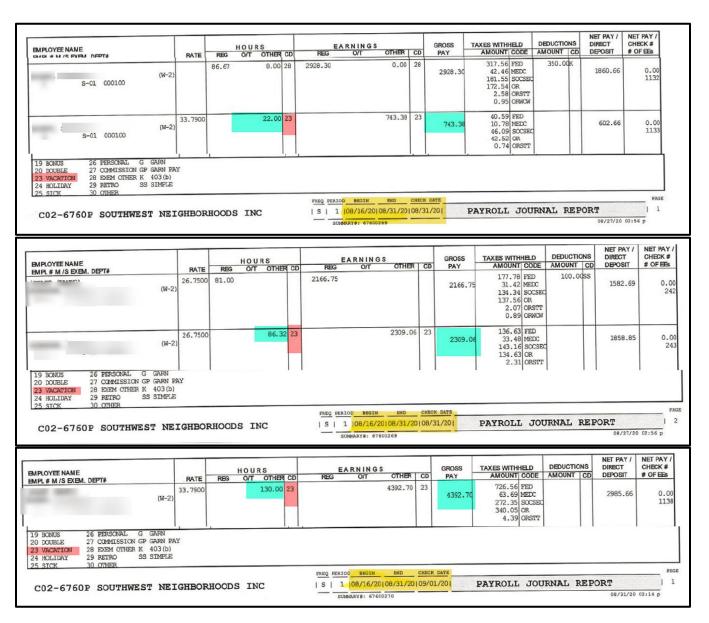
Paycheck Protection Program PPP Loan Forgiveness Application Form 3508EZ

OMB Control No. 3245-0407 Expiration date: 10/31/2020

PPP Loan Forgiven	ess Application Fo	orm 3508EZ	Expiration date: 10/31/2020	
Business Legal Name ("Borrower")		DBA or Tradename, if applicable		
Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc.			,	
Business Address		Business TIN (EIN, SSN)	Business Phone	
7688 SW Capitol Hwy			(503) 823 _4592	
Portland, OR 97219		Prunary Contact	E-mail Address	
Tordana, Ort 37213			president@swni.org	
SBA PPP Loan Number: 73-08	Lender PPP Lo	an Number: F925A3E9-4DID-45	47F-B845-B03E74B30EOB	
PPP Loan Amount: \$866,300.00	PPP Loan Disbu	ursement Date: 05/13/2020		
Employees at Time of Loan Application: 8	Employees at Ti	ime of Forgiveness Applica	ation: 8	
EIDL Advance Amount:	EIDL Application	on Number:		
Payroll Schedule: The frequency with which payroll is payroll	aid to employees is	:		
☐ Weekly ☐ Biweekly (every other week)	Twice a mon	th Monthly	Other	
Covered Period: 05/13/2020 to 08/31/2	2020			
Alternative Payroll Covered Period, if applicable:		to		
If Borrower (together with affiliates, if applicable) rece	ived PPP loans in	excess of \$2 million, check	here:	
Forgiveness Amount Calculation:				
Payroll and Nonpayroll Costs				
Line 1. Payroll Costs:			60952.99	
Elic I. Taylor costs.				
Line 2. Business Mortgage Interest Payments:			0.00	
Line 3. Business Rent or Lease Payments:			5223.31	
Line 4. Business Utility Payments:			292.78	
Potential Forgiveness Amounts				
Line 5. Add the amounts on lines 1, 2, 3, and 4:			66469.08	
Line 6. PPP Loan Amount:			66300.00	
Line 7. Payroll Cost 60% Requirement (divide Line 1 by 0.60): 101588.3				
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Forgiveness Amount				
Line 8. Forgiveness Amount (enter the smallest of Lines	5, 6, and 7):		66300.00	



PPP money was expended on payroll costs for eight SWNI employees during July and August 2020, applicable to fiscal year 2020-2021. Two of the employees had received PTO payouts ("buyouts") in their payroll that totaled \$7,445.14 which was expensed to the PPP. One of the employee's that received PTO payouts received two disbursements totaling \$5,136.08 and remained employed at SWNI after August 2020. The other employee that received a PTO payout disbursement, was for \$2,309.06, and did not remain employed at SWNI after August 2020.





Although PTO appeared to have been eligible for debt forgiveness as part of the the *PPP Loan Forgiveness Application Form,* the PTO payouts were problematic with the SWNI *Personnel Policy* for the following reasons:

8. Question: Do PPP loans cover paid sick leave?

Answer: Yes. PPP loans covers payroll costs, including costs for employee vacation, parental, family, medical, and sick leave. However, the CARES Act excludes qualified sick and family leave wages for which a credit is allowed under sections 7001 and 7003 of the Families First Coronavirus Response Act (Public Law 116–127). Learn more about the Paid Sick Leave Refundable Credit here.

- For employees not terminated, the *Personnel Policy* did not permit a payout of PTO. The *Personnel Policy* indicated that for SWNI employees not terminated, employees were unallowed to accrue more than the annual Paid Time Off ("PTO") accrual limit; and once an employee reached the PTO accrual limit, they would not accrue more PTO, until the employee had actually taken the PTO to reduce the balance below the accrual limit.
 - SWNI violated the *Personnel Policy* when paying out \$5,136.08 of PTO vacation time to a single employee on two different pay periods, and they had remained employed after the PTO payouts.
- For terminated employees, the *Personnel Policy* had permitted that they receive the equivalent amount of pay up to a certain maximum based on whether the employee had been part-time or full-time and the years of service.
 - SWNI violated the *Personnel Policy* when paying out 86.32 hours of PTO to a single employee who should only have been permitted to be paid out a maximum of 80 hours.
 SWNI appeared to have overpaid 6.32 hours of PTO totaling \$169.06.
 - SWNI violated the *Personnel Policy* when they paid out PTO in excess of the employee's annual PTO limit based on the employee's employment time at SWNI.

Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc. (SWNI) Personnel Policy

- Regular part-time employees who work less than 20 hours a week and temporary employees are not eligible for Paid Time Off.
- · Paid Time Off must be used in increments of 1 hour or more.
- An employee may not accrue more than the annual Paid Time Off accrual limit.
 If an employee's accrual balance reaches this limit, the employee does not
 accrue additional Paid Time Off until he or she has taken Paid Time Off and
 reduced the balance below the accrual limit.
- If a SWNI-paid holiday occurs during a period of Paid Time Off, holiday pay applies to that date, and the employee's Paid Time Off accrual is not be debited for that date.
- If a regular employee terminates employment with a Paid Time Off balance remaining, the employee shall receive the equivalent amount of pay up to a maximum of 160 hours for regular full-time employees (80 hours for regular parttime employees).

Regular Full Time Employees (36 or more hours per week)	Paid Time Off accruals per year	Sick leave accruals per year
0 - 5 years	80 hours (3.34 hours per pay period)	104 hours (4.34 hours per pay period)
More than 5 years and less than 10 years	120 hours (5 hours per pay period)	104 hours (4.34 hours per pay period)
10 or more years	160 hours (6.67 hours per pay period)	104 hours (4.34 hours per pay period)

Regular Part Time Employees (20 or more hours per week and less than 36 hours per week)	Paid Time Off accruals per year	Sick leave accruals per year
0 - 5 years	40 hours (1.67 hours per pay period)	52 (2.17 hours per pay period)
More than 5 years and less than 10 years	60 hours (2.5 hours per pay period)	52 (2.17 hours per pay period)
10 or more years	80 hours (3.34 hours per pay period)	52 (2.17 hours per pay period)



The payout of PTO was the result of SWNI not realizing that the employer's share of the Federal Insurance Contributions Act (FICA) tax for social security and Medicare was unallowed on the *PPP Loan Forgiveness Application Form*. In the September 23, 2020 Board Meeting, the PTO payouts were explained as a "buyback for additional vacation pay, so when we found out we couldn't do the federal employer tax, we wanted to reduce the liability of that... as I reported last month that there was about \$13,000 in accrued vacation liability, so we reduced that significantly by included it in the PPP." It seemed problematic that the bulk PTO payout was only paid to one of the five employees that remained working for SWNI, and only one of the two employees that were terminated by SWNI.

SWNI's solution to being ineligible to claim the employer's portion of FICA tax on the *PPP Loan Forgiveness Application Form*, was to inflate payroll expenses through the payout of PTO. SWNI demonstrated they had intended to seek forgiveness for the entirety of the PPP loan to avoid the 1% interest rate. SWNI had reported on the *PPP Loan Forgiveness Application Form* that there was more expense \$66,469.08 than had been received as a loan \$66,300.00. However, the \$66,469.08 included the PTO payouts for employees. Had those PTO payouts not occurred, SWNI would have had less expenses for PPP, and the remainder would have begun to accrue a 1% interest rate.

16. Question: How should a borrower account for federal taxes when determining its payroll costs for purposes of the maximum loan amount, allowable uses of a PPP loan, and the amount of a loan that may be forgiven?

Answer: Under the Act, payroll costs are calculated on a gross basis without regard to (i.e., not including subtractions or additions based on) federal taxes imposed or withheld, such as the employee's and employer's share of Federal Insurance Contributions Act (FICA) and income taxes required to be withheld from employees. As a result, payroll costs are not reduced by taxes imposed on an employee and required to be withheld by the employer, but payroll costs do not include the employer's share of payroll tax. For example, an employee who earned \$4,000 per month in gross wages, from which \$500 in federal taxes was withheld, would count as \$4,000 in payroll costs. The employee would receive \$3,500, and \$500 would be paid to the federal government. However, the employer-side federal payroll taxes imposed on the \$4,000 in wages are excluded from payroll costs under the statute.³

As of June 25, 2020



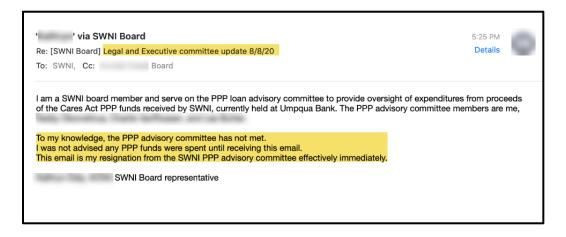
³ The definition of "payroll costs" in the CARES Act, 15 U.S.C. 636(a)(36)(A)(viii), excludes "taxes imposed or withheld under chapters 21, 22, or 24 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 during the covered period," defined as February 15, 2020, to June 30, 2020. As described above, the SBA interprets this statutory exclusion to mean that payroll costs are calculated on a gross basis, without subtracting federal taxes that are imposed on the employee or

Also problematic regarding the bulk PTO payout is that SWNI had created additional FICA tax liability for the employer's share. Since PTO is paid out as gross wages, SWNI would have been subjected to pay the employer's share of FICA tax on those gross wages. SWNI's employer share of the FICA tax that was generated as a result of the bulk PTO vacation time payouts that also would not have been covered by PPP money was:

- Social Security cost to SWNI (6.2%) = \$461.60
- Medicare cost to SWNI (1.45%) = \$107.95

Additionally, what was problematic about the bulk PTO payouts, was that one employee is still working for SWNI. According to the *Personnel Policy*, "An employee may not accrue more time than the annual Paid Time Off accrual limit. If an employee's accrued balance reaches this limit, the employee does not accrue additional Paid time Off until he or she has taken Paid Time Off and reduces the balance below the accrual limit." When SWNI paid down the PTO liability, that would have caused the employee to accrue new PTO, creating a new additional liability. This was observed to circumvent the *Personnel Policy* that required a limit of PTO accrual. This PTO limit worked in SWNI's favor to limit expenses on PTO. SWNI appeared to financially mismanage the PTO payouts and it caused an indeterminate amount of accrued liability based on noncompliance with the policy.

SWNI had established a PPP loan special committee to oversee the expenditures and handling of the PPP money. It was problematic that there was evidence the special PPP committee had not regularly met. This was evidence that SWNI had mismanaged the oversight of the PPP money, and that decision making regarding CEAP, engagement with Civic Life regarding handling of expenses, and the PTO payouts were not adequately disclosed to Board members.





Examination #6	Was money being spent according to SWNI's budget?
Findings:	 SWNI "shifted" money between budget line items that deviated from the published budget and the actuals reported to Civic Life. In a Board meeting, the Executive Director stated that the shifting of money between line items was to ensure grant money is completely used. SWNI carried an excessive pre-paid balance "slush" fund on the USPS account consisting of ONI/Civic Life grant funds. Evidence showed an increase in expenses being paid at the end of the fiscal year that deviated from the original budget that could not be attributed to actual increase or decreases of operational costs. The financials reported to Civic Life revealed the differences of the budgeted items with actuals; for at least 3 fiscal years, these variances lacked reasonable justification or documentation. Professional Fees had funds budgeted for a "Financial Review" although no financial review or audit has ever been completed. The three main budget line items that incurred the most notable changes were the Postage and Delivery, Professional Fees, and Rent. There were considerable percentage changes for line item amounts over the fiscal year periods of 2013 to 2019 that could not be attributed to actual increase or decreases of operational costs.
Impact:	 There was a "slush" fund held at the post office that had a pre-paid balance of \$31,461.57; the source of which is ONI/Civic Life grant funds There was \$9,225.00 in Civic Life grant reimbursements for rent that were not budgeted There was \$11,000 budgeted from Board and Civic Life funds for financial reviews that were not performed

Results Summary

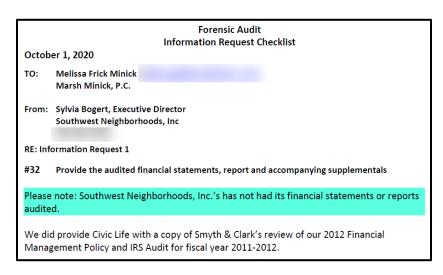
An analysis was completed on SWNI's annual budgets and was compared to spending on the Umpqua Bank Operations account, and financial system *Profit & Loss Detail* and *Transaction Detail by Account*. SWNI's financial system transaction activity was determined to be too unreliable prior to 2013 for meaningful analysis of the budget, and the budget record from 2019-2020 provided by SWNI was incomplete. SWNI's budgets and actuals reported to Civic Life were compared for fiscal years 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 and 2019. Board meeting minutes, materials and videos were also considered, as well as communications and grant agreements with Civic Life.

Forensic examination findings are that SWNI shifted money between line items on their budget so that they could use most or all of the money in their Civic Life grant. When SWNI was under budget at the end of a fiscal year, SWNI would expend funds in excess of their budget line items, often in a pre-paid



manner for postal services. There was an unreasonable and excessive balance carried with the United States Postal Service ("USPS") for SWNI, as a result of the excessive payments at the end of fiscal years.

Additionally, there were professional services that SWNI had budgeted for from Board and Civic Life funding, specifically for "Financial Review," however SWNI had not expended any money for an audit or financial review by an accountant when that was budgeted. SWNI had admitted there was not any financial statement or reports audited during fiscal years 2011 to 2020. The forensic auditors charted actual line item amounts reported to Civic Life by SWNI and the year-over-year increases/decreases, reference Appendix Contract Actuals. There were considerable percentage changes over the fiscal year periods of 2013 to 2019 that could not be attributed to actual increase or decreases of operational costs.



Forensic Examination

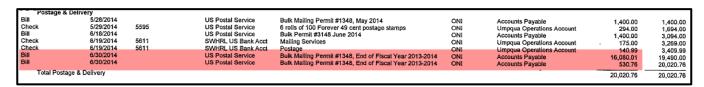
The forensic examination was performed on SWNI's published fiscal year budget line items with the actuals reported to Civic Life. In the May 9, 2020 SWNI Emergency Board Meeting, a discussion between a Board member and the Executive Director identified that for many years SWNI had practiced "shift the funding" to "spend within line items" in order to "always spent down Civic Life funds to the penny." While there is evidence that SWNI had shifted money between the budgeted line items, the yearly budgets, actual expenses and the itemized expenses were disclosed to Civic Life on a quarterly basis.



Fiscal Year 2013-2014

During the 2013-2014 fiscal year, SWNI spent 100% of the Civic Life grant of \$268,139.00. There was a variance with the budget versus actuals that lacked reasonable justification or documentation.

• The *Postage and Delivery* line item showed \$22,400.00 on the budget for Civic Life funds; however actual spending to the USPS was \$30,614.02. This represented a 36.7% difference where the actuals were over budget. Had the *Postage and Delivery* line item been within the budgeted amount, SWNI would have underspent their Civic Life grant by \$8,214.02. SWNI issued two checks for "bulk mailing" on the last day of the fiscal year June 30th 2014 that was \$16,610.77. Evidence showed that the Executive Director explained in a Board meeting that SWNI was using line items in the budget to "shift the funding" to maximize Civic Life grant funds; the postal checks on the last day of the fiscal year was indicative that SWNI had inflated the expense to the USPS because they had underspent their overall budget and needed a line item to charge in order to spend the entirety of the Civic Life grant.



• The *Prof. Fees – Bookkeeping & Accounting* line item reflected a budget of \$2,000.00 for a "Financial Review" at end of year. However, SWNI had not expended any money from this line item that was allocated to SWNI Board funding.

ONI/Civic Life Comparison	SWNI Budget 2013-2014			Civic Life tuals 2013-2014	Difference	
Gross Wages	\$	169,921.53	\$	169,156.70	-0.450%	
Payroll Tax Expenses	\$	18,691.37	\$	15,777.29	-15.591%	
Benefits	\$	6,120.36	\$	6,241.96	1.987%	
Retirement	\$	3,398.43	\$	3,398.43	0.000%	
Total Employees	5	198,131.69	5	194,574.38	-1.795%	
Electronic Communication	\$	1,246.00	\$	2,159.56	73.319%	
Ins. D&O, Liab, Theft, Vol	\$	10,200.00	\$	9,901.00	-2.931%	
Ins. Worker's Comp	\$	600.00	\$	572.59	-4.568%	
Payroll Services	\$	1,500.00	\$	1,259.60	-16.027%	
Postage & Delivery	\$	22,440.00	\$	30,614.02	36.426%	
Printing- All	\$	4,121.31			-100.000%	
Printing- Neighborhood	\$	5,100.00	\$	3,897.98	-23.569%	
Printing - Newspaper	\$	24,000.00	\$	24,359.87	1.499%	
Prof Fees- Other	\$	800.00	\$	800.00	0.000%	
Total Materials & Svcs.	5	70,007.31	5	73,564.62	5.081%	
TotalMain Grant	\$	268,139.00	\$	268,139.00	0.000%	
ONI/Civic Life Grant Amount						
(from Budget)	\$	268,139.00	\$	268,139.00		



	Budget 12-13	Budget 13-14	ONI	SWNI Board	Notes
ncome		out get and			
Grant - BES	12,000.00	12,000.00		12,000.00	Prog Mgmt \$7K, Superv. \$5
Grants - ONI	278,016.00	-	268,139.00	anyout	Based on Feb. ON Budget Submission
Grants - ON	7,811.00		200,135.00	7.811.00	-
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Other Program Service Fees	5,018.00	5,000.00	-	5,000.00	
Contributions Income	4,000.00	4,000.00		4,000.00	Estimate . SWNI rovd \$8000 contribs PY12/
Advertising Sales	1,500.00	1,500.00		1,500.00	Newspaper a
SWNI Sales	500.00	250.00		250.00	Signs, ink cartridge recycl
BES Admin	5,047.00	5,000.00		5,000.00	BES grant administrati
Miscellaneous Income	3,000.00	3,000.00		3,000.00	Cleanup participant fe
OTAL Income		\$ 306,700.00	\$ 268,139.00	\$ 38,561.00	
xpense					
Bank Service Charge	500.00	300.00		300.00	Checks, misc. fees. Reduced \$2
Corporate Filing Fees	1,500.00			1,500.00	Annual Instance 5000 (771 2% - 51)
Education/Training	500.00	500.00	—	500.00	
Educational Stipends		1,000.00		1,000.00	
Equipment Rental	5,030.00			5,000.00	
Electronic Communication	0.00	-,	1,246,00	-,	Constant Contact, SpiritOne, Quest, Cloud off-site
Food Entertainment	400.00	, , , , ,	2/5-1010	1,000.00	Backup/Storage, With Hosting Retreat \$200, Police \$340, Mult Days \$60, Vol 5
Insurance - D&O, Liab, Theft, Vol	9,300.00	-,	10,200.00	1,000.00	9 - 10% increase expec
Insurance - Workers Comp	600.00	_	600.00		g - Aerenne case onp
Payroll - Wages	171,077.00		169,921.53		Estimated wages + 1.
Payroll - Taxes	18,819.00		18,691.37		11% total wa
Payroll - Benefits	5,220.00		6,120.36		Medical Bene
Payroll - Retirement	3,350.00		3,398.43		IRA Employer Match 2% of wa
Payroll Services	1,500.00	-,	1,500.00		Prime
Postage & Delivery	24,783.00		22,440.00		Newspaper - \$1400 p/mo, Office \$45 e/b mo-\$27
,	0.00	/	4,121.31	1.007.00	NA's - \$800 x 17 = \$5100 Contingency -All Household (need \$6,300)
Postage/Printing - All Household		-,		1,097.00	
Printing - Neighborhood Assoc.	5,100.00	-,	5,100.00		\$300 x 17 N
Printing - Newspaper	30,000.00	-1,000.00	24,000.00	2 000 00	\$2,000 p/r
Prof Fees - Tax Accounting	1,500.00	-,		2,000.00	
Prof Fees - Bookkeeping/Accounting	2,500.00		200.00	2,000.00	
Prof Fees - Other Rent	800.00 12,000.00		800.00	12,000.00	Board Retreat, Professional Train Office - \$9000, Rentals - \$3
Small Equip/Software	218.00			1,375.00	
Special Projects Expense	4,800.00	-,		4,800.00	Fees for haulers, supplies,
Storage for SWNI Equipment	1,200.00	.,		1,200.00	
Subscriptions/Memberships	1,200.00			1,200.00	
Supplies	2,500.00			2,000.00	Note: Quest DSL & SpiritOne Internet SS86 moved
Telephone	3,000.00		\longrightarrow	2,414.00	electronic communication
Travel	150.00			150.00	
NA Small Grants	10,020.00			0.00	
OTAL Expenses	\$ 316,892.00	\$ 306,700.00	\$ 268,139.00	\$ 38,561.00	



Fiscal Year 2014-2015

During the 2014-2015 fiscal year, SWNI spent 100% of the Civic Life base funding of \$280,111.00. There was a variance with the budget versus actuals that lacked reasonable justification or documentation.

• The *Postage and Delivery* line item showed \$23,000.00 on the budget for Civic Life funds; however actual spending to the USPS was \$28,551.28. This represented a 24.14% difference where the actuals were over budget. Had the *Postage and Delivery* line item been within the budgeted amount, SWNI would have underspent their Civic Life grant by another \$5,551.28. SWNI issued two checks for "bulk mailing" at the end of the fiscal year from June 23 to June 30th 2015 that was in excess of \$14,102.28. This was indicative that SWNI had inflated the expense to the USPS because they had underspent their overall budget and needed a line item to charge in order to spend the entirety of the Civic Life grant.



1,700	Date	ream	Hame	 memo	Ciass	эрпі	Amount	Dalance
Postage & Delivery								
Bill	07/23/2014		US Postal Service	Bulk Permit #1348, July 2014	ONI	Accounts Payable	1,500.00	1,500.00
Bill	08/21/2014		US Postal Service	Bulk Permit #1348, August 2014	ONI	Accounts Payable	1,500.00	3,000.00
Bill	09/22/2014		US Postal Service	September 2014 Postage	ONI	Accounts Payable	1,500.00	4,500.00
Deposit	10/09/2014		Adams, Stefanie	purchase of postage stamp	ONI	Umpqua Operations Account	-0.50	4,499.50
Bill	10/28/2014		US Postal Service	Bulk Mailing Permit #1348, October 2014	ONI	Accounts Payable	1,500.00	5,999,50
Bill	10/28/2014		U.S. Postal Service	Standard Mail, PI, Permit #1348 Renewal	ONI	Accounts Payable	220.00	6,219.50
Bill	11/12/2014		SWHRL US Bank Acct	Mailing Services	ONI	Accounts Payable	175.00	6,394.50
Bill	11/12/2014		SWHRL US Bank Acct	Postage	ONI	Accounts Payable	134.51	6,529.01
Bill	11/24/2014		US Postal Service	Bulk Mailing Permit #1348, November 2014	ONI	Accounts Payable	1,500.00	8,029.01
Bill	12/23/2014		US Postal Service	Bulk Mailing Permit #1348, December 2014	ONI	Accounts Payable	1,500.00	9,529.01
Bill	01/26/2015		US Postal Service	Bulk Mailing Permit #1348	ONI	Accounts Payable	1,500.00	11,029.01
Bill	02/24/2015		US Postal Service	Bulk Mailing Permit #1348, February 2015	ONI	Accounts Payable	200.00	11,229.01
Bill	03/24/2015		US Postal Service	Bulk Mailing Permit #1348, March 2015	ONI	Accounts Payable	200.00	11,429.01
Bill	04/22/2015		US Postal Service	Bulk Mailing Permit #1348, April 2015	ONI	Accounts Payable	1,500.00	12,929.01
Bill	05/27/2015		US Postal Service	Bulk Mailing Permit #1348, May 2015	ONI	Accounts Payable	1,500.00	14,429.01
Bill	05/27/2015		Sylvia Bogert (V)	Overnight Postage for CIT Bill	ONI	Accounts Payable	19.99	14,449.00
Bill	06/23/2015		US Postal Service	Bulk Mailing Permit #1348, June 2015	ONI	Accounts Payable	2,749.88	17,198.88
Check	06/29/2015 5831	1	US Postal Service	6 rolls of 100 Forever 49 cent postage stamps	ONI	Umpqua Operations Account	294.00	17,492.88
Bill	06/30/2015		US Postal Service	Bulk Mailing Permit #1348, June 2015 Final	ONI	Accounts Payable	11,058.40	28,551.28
Total Postage & Delivery	,						28,551.28	28,551.28

• The *Professional Fees* line item reflected a budget of \$5,000.00 for Civic Life funds, of which \$2,000.00 was for a "Financial Review". However, SWNI had not expended any money for a professional financial review during this period, and had underspent this line item by 59.14%. It appears that had SWNI not overspent on *Postage and Delivery* line item then there would have been enough Civic Life funding for a professional financial review.



ONI/Civic Life Comparison Fund Account	Bud	SWNI get 2014-2015	Ac	Civic Life tuals 2014-2015	Difference
Gross Wages	\$	173,956.55	\$	173,218.63	-0.424%
Payroll Tax Expenses	\$	17,395.66	\$	16,436.23	-5.515%
Benefits	\$	6,302.76	\$	6,279.18	-0.374%
Retirement	\$	3,479.12	\$	3,479.12	0.000%
Total Employees	\$	201,134.09	5	199,413.16	-0.856%
Bank Service Charge	\$	146.91	\$	167.22	13.825%
Electronic Communication	\$	2,000.00	\$	2,109.12	5.456%
Ins. D&O, Liab, Theft, Vol	\$	10,700.00	\$	11,564.00	8.075%
Ins. Worker's Comp	\$	600.00	\$	309.34	-48.443%
Payroll Services	\$	1,500.00	\$	1,420.74	-5.284%
Postage & Delivery	\$	23,000.00	\$	28,551.28	24.136%
Printing- Neighborhood	\$	5,100.00	\$	3,127.41	-38.678%
Printing - Newspaper	\$	24,000.00	\$	24,744.23	3.101%
Prof Fees- Other	\$	5,000.00	\$	2,043.00	-59.140%
Subscription/Memberships	\$	280.00	\$	355.00	26.786%
Telephone	\$	1,500.00	\$	1,270.18	-15.321%
Travel	\$	150.00	\$	36.32	-75.787%
NA Small Grants	\$	10,676.00	\$	5,000.00	-53.166%
Total Materials & Svcs.	\$	84,652.91	5	80,697.84	-4.672%
TotalMain Grant	\$	285,787.00	\$	280,111.00	-1.986%
ONI/Civic Life Grant Amount				-	\$5,676 difference carried
(from Budget)	\$	280,111.00	\$	280,111.00	over in Small Grants

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	Budget 13-14	Budget 14-15	ONI	WNI Board	Notes FY 2014-2015
Income					
Grant - BES	12,000.00	2,500.00		2,500.00	BES Grant ED supervision, grant management, coordination of open
Grants - ONI	268,139.00	285,787.00	285,787.00		Based 2.6% COLA/\$10,676 Sm Grants
Grants - Other	7,811.00	7,811.00		7,811.00	Plann & Sust. 5 yr Cleanup Grant
Other Program Service Fees	5,000.00	0.00		0.00	Corrected and moved to BES Budget (\$4,800 newspaper)
Contributions Income	4,000.00	5,000.00		5,000.00	Estimate. SWNi rcvd \$6,781 contribs in FY13/14
Advertising Sales	1,500.00	3,000.00		3,000.00	Other FY 13-14 3,500
SWNI Sales	250.00	150.00		150.00	Signs, ink cartridge recycling
Fiscal Administration	5,000.00	12,148.00		12,148.00	BES 5,000, WINSWCD 624.00, METRO 6,524
Miscellaneous Income	3,000.00	3,500.00		3,500.00	Cleanup participant fees
TOTAL Income	\$ 306,700.00	\$ 319,896.00	\$ 285,787.00	\$ 34,109.00	
Bank Service Charge	300.00	146.91	146.91		Checks, misc. fees. Reduced \$200
Corporate Filing Fees	1,500.00	1,500.00		1,500.00	Annual Inc fee= \$900, CT12's = \$170, SWNI CT12 - \$100 + misc.
Education/Training	500.00	500.00		500.00	100 per employee
Educational Stipends	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	Internship Stipends
Equipment Rental	5,000.00	5,286.00		5,286.00	Copy machine-3% increase-\$420 mo.
Electronic Communication	1,246.00	2,000.00	2,000.00		Constant Contact, CyberLynk (includes cloud storage & web hostine)
Food Entertainment	1,000.00	1,500.00		1,500.00	& web hosting) Retreat \$2.00, Police \$300, Vol \$300, Orientation Trainings 100, SWNI Events 200
Insurance - D&O, Liab, Theft, Vol	10,200.00	10,700.00	10,700.00		5% increase expected
Insurance - Workers Comp	600.00	600.00	600.00		
Payroll - Wages	169,921.53	173,956.55	173,956.55		Estimated wages + 2.6% COLA
Payroll - Taxes	18,691.37	17,395.66	17,395.66		Reduced from 11% to 10% of total wages
Payroll - Benefits	6,120.36	6,302.76	6,302.76		Medical Benefits 525.23 mo
Payroll - Retirement	3,398.43	3,479.12	3,479.12		IRA Employer Match 2% of wages
Payroll Services	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00		Prime Pay
Postage & Delivery	22,440.00	23,000.00	23,000.00		Newspaper - \$1500 p/10 mos-BES 2 mos, Office \$49 e/o mo=\$294 NA's - \$300 x 17 = \$5100
Postage/Printing - All Household	5,218.31	2,348.00		2,348.00	All Household mailing in June 2015 (corrected to reflect change in BES newspaper income)
Printing - Neighborhood Assoc.	5,100.00	5,100.00	5,100.00		\$300 x 17 NA's
Printing - Newspaper	24,000.00	24,000.00	24,000.00		\$2000 p/mo.
Professional Fees	4,800.00	5,000.00	5,000.00		\$1,500 CPA 990 Annual Tax Reports. \$2,000 Financial Review, \$1,500 Facilitation, Legal Consultant
Rent	12,000.00	12,315.00		12,315.00	Office Rent \$913 per mo, \$3000 extra meeting space rentals for events, etc.
Small Equip/Software	1,375.00	1,000.00		1,000.00	Flemaker Pro, MS Office, Norton, Adobe, Macmin storage serve:
Special Projects Expense	4,800.00	6,100.00		6,100.00	Fees for haulers, Tents, Port Pottys, supplies
Storage for SWNI Equipment	1,200.00	1,560.00		1,560.00	Barbur Storage Unit 130 mo
Subscriptions/Memberships	225.00	280.00	280.00	2 000	NAO \$225, Cost co \$55
Supplies	2,000.00	2,000.00	4 500 00	2,000.00	Reduced to 125 mo based on FY 13-14 fees
Telephone Travel	2,414.00 150.00	1,500.00 150.00	1,500.00 150.00		Reduced to 125 mo based on FY 13-14 fees
NA Small Grants	0.00	10,676.00	10,676.00	0.00	New NA Small Grant funds added to
TOTAL Expenses	\$ 306,700.00		\$ 285,787.00	\$ 34,109.00	ongoing funds for ONI Budget
Net Income	\$ 300,700.00	\$ 315,650.00	\$ 263,767.00	\$ 34,103.00	
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Fiscal Year 2015-2016

During the 2015-2016 fiscal year, SWNI spent 96% of the Civic Life grant, which was spending of \$281,163.00, and the grant was for \$291,839.00. There was a variance with the budget versus actuals where the funding for Civic Life had been spent differently than how it

was budgeted.

• The *Postage and Delivery* line item showed a 79% decrease in the budget for Civic Life funds. The actual spending to USPS was \$2,825.09 during 2015-2016 fiscal year, which was under the \$13,000.00 budget for Civic Life funds for the *Postage and Delivery* line items. It appeared that SWNI had been under budget in the *Postage and Delivery* line item as a result of an increase of the line items for *Payroll Wages* of \$12,400.00 and *Payroll Taxes* of \$1,252.00 during the same period. Also the decrease in budget to the *Postage and Delivery* line item seemed to be the result of having a surplus balance of money on file with the USPS from prior periods. By the June 3, 2015, SWNI had a credit with the USPS of \$12,758.52.



- The *Professional Fees* line item reflected SWNI had budgeted \$5,000.00 for Civic Life funds during 2015-2016 fiscal year, which
 - was a 148.439% increase from the prior fiscal year 2014-2015. SWNI had spent the entirety of the \$5,000.00 that was budgeted. SWNI had budgeted for \$2,000.00 to an accounting consultant, \$2,680.00 for the tax return, and \$1,500.00 for facilitation and legal consultants. However, SWNI had not appeared to expend any money for an accounting consultant during this period, even though it was budgeted. SWNI had overspent on the tax return preparation by 78%; the tax return preparation was budgeted as \$1,500.00 and SWNI paid \$2,680.00. SWNI spent the remainder of the *Professional Fees* line item budget on the Board Retreat in April 2015.
- The *Rent* line item reflected in the SWNI budget did not have an amount allocated to Civic Life; however on June 30, 2016, SWNI used grant funds for fiscal year 2016-2017 on room rentals totaled \$2,527.50. The room rental payments were not in the Civic Life budget, but were expend to Civic Life for reimbursement. The room rentals were issued on the last day of the fiscal year, June 30, and based on the memo, was a pre-payment for rent during the next fiscal year.

Rent					75.77	11000.00
Bill Bill	06/30/2016 06/30/2016	Neighborhood House Senior Center Portland Parks & Recreation	Room Rentals for 2016-2017 2016-2017 Room Rentals at Multnomah Arts Center	Neighborhood Svcs:ONI 15-16 Neighborhood Svcs:ONI 15-16	1,490.50 1,037.00	1,490.50 2,527.50
Total Rent					2,527.50	2,527.50



ONI/Civic Life Comparison	В	SWNI udget 2015-2016	Ac	Civic Life tuals 2015-2016	Difference
Gross Wages	\$	182,143.86	\$	192,327.57	5.591%
Payroll Tax Expenses	\$	18,214.39	\$	19,090.92	4.812%
Benefits	\$	6,302.76	\$	6,500.46	3.137%
Retirement	\$	3,642.88	\$	3,841.44	5.451%
Total Employees	5	210,303.89	5	221,760.39	5.448%
Electronic Communication	\$	2,000.00	\$	1,955.58	-2.221%
Ins. D&O, Liab, Theft, Vol	\$	11,235.00	\$	10,305.00	-8.278%
Ins. Worker's Comp	\$	600.00	\$	369.02	-38.497%
Payroll Services	\$	1,500.00	\$	1,577.98	5.199%
Postage & Delivery	\$	13,000.00	\$	2,825.09	-78.269%
Printing- All	\$	5,000.00			-100.000%
Printing- Neighborhood	\$	8,500.00	\$	4,996.87	-41.213%
Printing - Newspaper	\$	20,300.00	\$	27,472.86	35.334%
Prof Fees- Other	\$	5,000.00	\$	4,667.00	-6.660%
Rent	\$		\$	2,527.50	100.000%
Subscription/Memberships	\$	224.11	\$	325.00	45.018%
Supplies	\$	2,000.00	\$	2,380.71	19.036%
Telephone	\$	1,500.00			-100.000%
Total Materials & Svcs.	5	70,859.11	5	59,402.61	-16.168%

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	Budget 15-16	Revised 15-16	Difference	ONI	SWNI Board	Notes FY 2015-2016				
Income										
Grant - BES	1,489.00	1,489.00	0.00		1,489.00	BES Grant ED supervision, grant management, coordination of open				
Grants - ONI	291,839.00	291,839.00	0.00	291,839.00		Based 2.2% COLA/\$10,676 Sm Grants				
Grants - Other	7,811.00	7,811.00			7,811.00					
Fundraising Appeal	6,000.00	6,000.00	0.00		6,000.00	Estimate. SWNI rcvd \$8,551.22 contribs				
Advertising Sales	3,500.00	3,500.00	0.00		3,500.00	To-date FY 14-15; 4,040				
Merchandise Sales	150.00	150.00	0.00		150.00	Please Drive Slowly Signs				
Fiscal Management	12,872.50	12,872.50	0.00		12,872.50	BESS,000, WMSWCD 920.00, WMSWCD-P 428.5, METRO 6.524				
Fees & Services	3,500.00	3,500.00	0.00		3,500.00	Spring/Fall Cleanup participant fees				
Board Reserve Funds		1,500.00			1,500.00					
TOTAL Income	327,161.50	328,661.50	1,500.00	291,839.00	36,822.50					
Bank Service Charge	150.00	150.00	0.00		150.00	Checks and deposit slips, misc. fees.				
Corporate Filing Fees	1,500.00	1,500.00	0.00		1,500.00	Annual Inc fees= \$900, CT12's = \$170,				
Corporate Filing Fees	1,500.00	1,500.00	0.00		1,500.00	SWNI CT12 - \$100 + misc. Equity:Translation, Interpretation,				
Contracted Services	2,000.00	7,400.00	5,400.00		7,400.00	Childcare, Surveys - Clean up: Haulers, Port-Potties. Tent. Supplies				
Education/Training	500.00	500.00	0.00		500.00	100 per employee				
Equipment Rental/Lease	5,300.00	5,300.00	0.00		5,300.00	Copy machine—\$440 mo.				
Electronic Communication	2,000.00	2,000.00	0.00	2,000.00		Constant Contact 546 yr , CyberLynk 560 mo., Century Link 540 mo., Spiritone 5210 yr.				
Food & Entertainment	2,000.00	2,700.00	700.00		2,700.00	Retreat \$2.00, Police \$500, Vol \$600, Orientation Trainings 100, SWNI Events 600				
Insurance	11,235.00	11,235.00	0.00	11,235.00		5% increase expected				
Insurance - Workers Comp	600.00	600.00	0.00	600.00						
Payroll - Wages	182,143.86	194,543.86	12,400.00	194,543.86		Estimated wages + 2.2% COLA				
Payroll - Taxes	18,214.39	19,466.39	1,252.00	19,466.39		10% of total wages				
Payroll - Benefits	6,302.76	6,302.76	0.00	6,302.76		Medical Benefits 525.23 mo				
Payroll - Retirement	3,642.88	3,890.88	248.00	3,890.88	_	IRA Employer Match 2% of wages				
Payroll Services	1,500.00	1,500.00	0.00	1,500.00	_	Prime Pay Newspaper Beg Bal 12, 128:- \$1600 p/10 mos-BES 1				
Postage & Delivery	13,000.00	1,500.00	11,500.00	1,500.00		mos, Office \$50 e/o mo=\$300 NA's -\$300 x17 = \$5100				
Printing -NAs.	8,500.00	8,500.00	0.00	8,500.00		\$500 x 17 NA's				
Printing - Newspaper+All House	25,300.00	24,400.00	900.00	24,400.00		2,100 x 9 mo.+ All Household 5,500				
Professional Fees	5,000.00	5,000.00	0.00	5,000.00		\$1,500 CPA 990 Annual Tax Reports. \$2,000 Acct Consultant., \$1,500 Facilitation, Legal Consultant				
Rent	13,460.00	13,460.00	0.00		13,460.00	Office Post \$930 per mo \$3500 outro				
Small Equip/Software	2,400.00	2,400.00	0.00		2,400.00	Norton, Adobe, Screen, Office Furniture (Chairs)				
Special Projects Expense	6,100.00	0.00	6,100.00			Fees for haulers, Tents, Port Politys, supplies				
Storage for SWNI Equipment	1,620.00	1,620.00	0.00		1,620.00	Barbur Storage Unit 135 mo				
Subscriptions/Memberships	366.61	366.61	0.00	224.11	142.50	NAO \$225, Cost co \$55, MVBA \$50.				
Supplies	2,000.00	2,000.00	0.00	2,000.00		office supplies				
Telephone Travel	1,500.00	1,500.00	0.00			\$125 per month				
NA Small Grants	150.00 10,676.00	150.00 10,676.00	0.00	10,676.00	150.00 0.00	ONI NA Small Grants				
TOTAL Expenses	327,161.50	328,661.50	1,500.00	291,839.00	36,822.50					
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	Approved Revised FY 15-16 Operating Budget: 9-23-15									



Fiscal Year 2016-2017

During the 2016-2017 fiscal year, SWNI spent 100% of the Civic Life grant for \$289,598.00. There was a variance with the budget versus actuals where the funding for Civic Life had been spent differently than how it was budgeted.

The Postage and Delivery line item budget showed SWNI would split the expense between Board funds and Civic Life funds. SWNI had spent \$4,255.22 of the Civic Life grant funding, and SWNI had spent \$11,944.78 of the Board funding toward the Postage and Delivery line item. The financial system showed that SWNI had spent a total of \$15,263.85 to USPS during the 2016-2017 fiscal year, of the \$16,000.00 total budget from Civic Life funding and Board funding. The budget appeared misleading as SWNI had carried a pre-paid balance at the USPS of \$31,461.57, as they had made an excessive payment at the end of the prior fiscal year. Individuals at SWNI had referred to the pre-paid balance on file at the USPS as a "slush fund," which was substantiated based upon the amassed balance at the USPS. SWNI's actual need for spending on postage based upon supporting documentation such as invoices for printing costs, reflected that the balance at the USPS appeared unreasonable and excessive.



- The *Professional Fees* line item reflected SWNI had budgeted \$2,000.00 less in fiscal year 2016-2017 than the prior fiscal year. SWNI had budgeted for professional services for the tax return, facilitation and legal consultants. SWNI had budgeted \$1,500.00 of Civic Life funding for the tax return, but had overspent \$2,450.00 on the tax return. The other actual spending for the *Professional Fees* line item was for the Board Retreat in April 2016. SWNI had not budgeted or spent any Civic Life or Board funding on a financial review during this fiscal year.
- The Rent line item reflected in the SWNI budget did not have an amount allocated to Civic Life; however on June 30, 2017, SWNI used grant funds on room rentals totaled \$1,724.24. The room rental payments were not in the Civic Life budget, but were expend to Civic Life for reimbursement. The room rentals were issued on the last day of the fiscal year, June 30.



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Туре	Date	Num	·	lame	Memo	Class	Amount	Balance			
Professional & Acctg Fees Credit Card Charge Bill Credit Card Charge Credit Card Charge Credit Card Charge Bill Credit Card Charge	08/24/2016 12/20/2016 03/06/2017 03/13/2017 05/02/2017 05/11/2017 06/23/2017	240816A14 18426 812213			Open Records Background Check—Tappero Preparation of 2015 SWN 890 & Schedules Job Description for Communications Assistant Open Records Background Check—Shalton Job Description for Visitarched Center Manager Board Retreat Consulting Facilitation Open Records Background Check—thirt	Northd Svos:ONI 16-17 Northd Svos:ONI 16-17	-10.00 -2,450.00 -89.00 -10.00 -99.00 -2,500.00 -10.00	-10.00 -2,460.00 -2,529.00 -2,539.00 -2,688.00 -5,108.00 -5,118.00			
Total Professional & Acctg Fee	s						-5,118.00	-5,118.00			
Rent Bill Total Rent	06/30/2017		City of Portland		Room Rentals at Multinomah Arts Center	Nbrhd Sves:ONI 16-17	-1,742.24 -1,742.24	-1,742 24 -1,742 24			

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							Payroll Tax Exp	oenses
							Benefits	
							Retirement	
							Total Employee	es
	SWNI	Adopted Oper	ating Budget J	ulv 1. 2016- J	une 30. 2017		Education/Train	ning
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	Revised 15-16	Budget 16-17	Difference	ONI	311111 20010	Notes F1 201	Ins. Worker's C	omp
Income							Payroll Service	
Grant - BES	1,489.00	1,489.00	0.00		1,489.00	management, coordinati	Postage & Deli Printing - News	
	291,839.00	300,594.00	8,755.00	300,594.00		Base budget + 3% COLA/\$	Prof Fees- Othe	
Grants - ONI			8,733.00	300,394.00			Rent	
Grants - Other	7,811.00	7,811.00			7,811.00	BPS Grant for fal	Small Equipme	
Fundraising Appeal	6,000.00	7,000.00	1,000.00		7,000.00		SWNI Equipme	
Advertising Sales	3,500.00	8,500.00	5,000.00		8,500.00		Subscription/M Supplies	iemberships
Merchandise Sales	150.00	150.00	0.00		150.00	Please I	Telephone	
Fiscal Management	12,872.50	13,072.50	200.00		13,072.50	BES'S,000, WINSWCD-19920.	Travel	
Fees & Services	3,500.00	3,500.00	0.00		3,500.00	Spring/Fall Cleanu	Total Materials	& Svcs.
Board Reserve Funds	1,500.00				4,632.28			
TOTAL Income	328,661.50	342,116.50	13,455.00	300,594.00	46,154.78		TotalMain Gr	
	150.00	170.00					ONI/Civic Life ((from Budget)	Graiit Amoun
Bank Service Charge	150.00	150.00	0.00		150.00	Checks and deposi Annual Inc fees= \$90		
Corporate Filing Fees	1,500.00	1,500.00	0.00		1,500.00	SWNI C	12 - \$100 + misc.	
Contracted Services	7,400.00	6,000.00	1,400.00		6,000.00		up: Haulers, Port- es, Tent, Supplies	
Education/Training	500.00	600.00	100.00	600.00		1	.00 per employee	
Equipment Rental/Lease	5,300.00	5,300.00	0.00		5,300.00	Copy m	achine\$440 mo.	
Electronic Communication	2,000.00	920.00	1,080.00	920.00		Constant Contact 560 y		
Food & Entertainment	2,700.00	2,700.00	0.00		2,700.00		100, SWNI Eyents 600	
Insurance	11,235.00	10,305.00	930.00	10,305.00		5-17 Quote - Pendi	ng further review	
Insurance - Workers Comp Payroll - Wages	600.00 194,543.86	600.00 197,121.24	0.00 2,577.38	600.00 197,121.24		Estimated	wages + 3% COLA	
Payroll - Taxes	19,466.39	19,712.12	245.73	19,712.12		Estillated	10% of total wages	
Payroll - Benefits	6,302.76	14,592.00	8,289.24	14,592.00		Medical Benefits 60		
Payroll - Retirement	3,890.88	3,942.42	51.54	3,942.42	·	IRA Employer M		
Payroll Services	1,500.00	1,500.00	0.00	1,500.00			Prime Pay	
D	1,500.00	16,200.00	14,700.00	4,255.22	11,944.78	Newspaper \$1,650 x 12 m		
Postage & Delivery						postage) = \$24,900	- \$8,700 bal = \$16,200	
Printing -NAs.	8,500.00	5,100.00	3,400.00	26 400 65	5,100.00	2,200 x 12 mo (Does r	\$300 x 17 NA's not include 2017 all-	
Printing - Newspaper	24,400.00	26,400.00	2,000.00	26,400.00			household)	
Professional Fees	5,000.00	3,000.00	2,000.00	3,000.00		\$1,500 CPA 990 Anr \$1,500 Facilitation, Office Rent \$875 per	Legal Consultant	
Rent	13,460.00	13,460.00	0.00		13,460.00	meeting space renta		
Small Equip/Software	2,400.00	1,000.00	1,400.00	1,000.00		N	orton, Adobe, PC	1
Equipment	1,620.00	1,620.00	0.00	1,620.00		BarburSto	rage Unit 135 mo	
Subscriptions/Membershi	366.61	380.00	13.39	380.00		NAO \$225, Costco		1
Supplies	2,000.00	2,000.00	0.00	2,000.00	ļ		office supplies \$125 per month	
Telephone Travel	1,500.00 150.00	1,500.00 150.00	0.00	1,500.00 150.00			⇒⊥25 per month	
NA Small Grants	10,676.00	10,996.00	320.00	10,996.00	0.00	Unknown = ON	NA Small Grants	
TOTAL Expenses	328,661.50	346,748.78	18,087.28	300,594.00	46,154.78			
	Total ONI+ SWNI Board	Total ONI+ SWI			346,748.78			
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SWNI Budget 2016-2017

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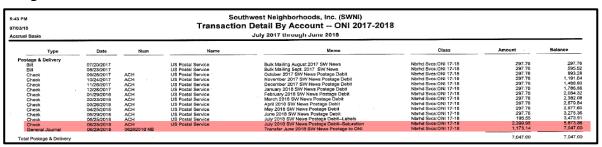
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Fiscal Year 2017-2018

During the 2017-2018 fiscal year, SWNI spent 96% of the Civic Life grant. SWNI had spent \$299,155.00 and the grant was for \$310,514.00. There was a variance with the budget versus actuals that lacked reasonable justification or documentation.

• The *Postage and Delivery* line item showed an increase in spending of Civic Life funds during fiscal year 2017-2018, up 65% from the prior fiscal year 2016-2017, and totaled \$7,047.00. The charges to the *Postage and Delivery* line item showed that there was a spike at end-of-year spending for postage from June 25th to 29th 2018.



- The *Professional Fees* line item reflected a budget of \$4,000.00 for Board funds, of which \$2,500.00 was for a "Financial Review" that was never performed, even though SWNI reflected actual spending as \$4,000.00.
- The *Rent* line item reflected in the SWNI budget did not have an amount allocated to Civic Life; however on June 29, 2018, SWNI used grant funds for fiscal year 2018-2019 on room rentals totaled \$3,009.50. The room rental payments were not in the Civic Life budget, but were expend to Civic Life for reimbursement. The room rentals were issued on the last day of the fiscal year, June 30, and based on the memo, was a pre-payment for rent during the next fiscal year. SWNI paid a future expense of room rentals which seemed problematic with the grant agreement.

Rent					•	
	06/29/2018	Multnomah Arts Center	Room Rentals for SWNI 2018-2019	Northd Svcs:ONI 17-18	3,009.50	3,009.50
Total Rent					3,009.50	3,009.50



ONI/Civic Life Comparison Fund Account		SWNI dget 2017-2018	Act	Civic Life uals 2017-2018	Difference	
Gross Wages	\$	208,981.60	\$	206,888.87	-1.001%	
Payroll Tax Expenses	\$	22,152.05	\$	18,646.59	-15.825%	
Benefits	\$	16,628.56	\$	13,183.16	-20.720%	
Retirement	\$	4,179.64	\$	4,137.63	-1.005%	
Total Employees	5	251,941.85	5	242,856.25	-3.606%	
Electronic Communication	\$	920.00	\$	988.80	7.478%	
Ins. D&O, Liab, Theft, Vol	\$	10,820.00	\$	10,517.00	-2.800%	
Ins. Worker's Comp	\$	600.00	\$	408.31	-31.948%	
Payroll Services	\$	1,600.00	\$	1,750.04	9.378%	
Postage & Delivery	\$	3,573.15	\$	7,047.00	97.221%	
Printing - Newspaper	\$	26,400.00	\$	29,288.56	10.942%	
Rent	\$	-	\$	3,009.50	100.000%	
SWNI Equipment Storage	\$	1,920.00	\$	2,007.00	4.531%	
Telephone	\$	1,380.00	\$	1,282.54	-7.062%	
Total Materials & Svcs.	5	47,213.15	5	56,298.75	19.244%	
TotalMain Grant	\$	310,514.00	\$	299,155.00	-3.658%	
ONI/Civic Life Grant Amount						
(from Budget)	\$	299,155.00	\$	299,155.00		

2017-2018 Final Approved SWNI Budget with Notes 6-28-2017							
	Proposed Budget 17-18	ONI	SWNI Fundraising	SWNI Cleanup	SWNI	SWNI Board	Notes FY 2017-2018
Income							
Grant - BES	1,489.00				1,489.00	1,489.00	BES Grant ED staff supervision, coordination of open house event
Grants - ONI	310,514.00	310,514.00				0.00	Base budget + 3.3% COLA/11,359 Small Grants
Grants - Other	12,311.00			12,311.00		12,311.00	BPS Grant for fall/spring Cleanups w/waiver adj.
Fundraising Appeal	6,400.00		6,400.00			6,400.00	Est imate
Advertising Sales	11.000.00				11,000,00	11.000.00	
Merchandise Sales	150.00				150.00	,	Please Drive Slowly Signs
Fiscal Management	7,000.00				7,000.00		BES 5,000.00; WMSWCD-Ptnr. 2,000.00
Fees & Services	5.000.00	-			5,000.00		Spring/Fall Cleanup participant fees
r day or services	353,864.00	310,514.00	6,400.00	12,311.00	24,639.00	43,350.00	
Board Reserve Funds	14,222.42	310,314.00	0,400.00	12,511.00	24,033.00	14,222.42	
TOTAL Income	368,086.42	310,514.00	6.400.00	12,311.00	24,639.00	57,572.42	
		,	5,155.55	,	- 1,000100	,	
Expense							
Bank Service Charges	150.00	-	_		150.00		Checks and deposit slips, misc. fees. Annual Inc fees= (18*50)=\$900, CT12's =
Corporate Filing Fees	1,400.00				1,400.00	1,400.00	(17*20)=\$340, SWNI CT12 - \$160
Contracted Services	11,000.00			11,000.00		11,000.00	Cleanup: Haulers, Porta-Potties, Tent, Supp lies, Tipping Fees
Education/Training	600.00				600.00	600.00	\$100 per employee
Equipment Rental/Lease	5,250.00				5,250.00	5,250.00	Copier(\$410.96 x 10 mos.) +(\$419.18 x 2
Electronic Communication	920.00	920.00			-,	0.00	mps.)+(\$175 property tax) + (\$120 overage)
Food & Entertainment	1,700,00			1,000.00	700.00	1,700.00	
Insurance - Office	10.820.00	10.820.00		2,000.00	,	0.00	
Insurance - Workers Comp	600.00	600.00				0.00	
Payroll - Gross Wages	208,981.60	208,981.60					Estimated wages + 3.3% COLA
Payroll - Tax Expense	22,152.05	22,152.05				0.00	10.6% of total wages
Payroll - Benefits	16,628.56	16,628.56				0.00	Medical Benefits \$608/month/employee
Payroll - Retirement	4,179.64	4,179.64				0.00	IRA Employer Match 2% of gross wages
Payroll Services	1,600.00	1,600.00				0.00	Prime Pay
Postage & Delivery	19,800.00	3,573.15			16,226.85	16,226.85	Newspaper: \$1650 x 12 mos = \$19,800
Printing - Outside	725.00		725.00			725.00	\$725 for fundraising envelopes
Printing - Newspaper Monthly	26,400.00	26,400.00				0.00	
Professional Fees	4,000.00				4,000.00	4,000.00	\$1,500 CPA 990 Annual Tax Reports., Fin anci al Review 2,500
Rent	13,480.57				13,480.57	13,480.57	Office Rent \$870.61 per mo; \$3,033.25 reg. meeting space rentals
Small Equipment/S of tware	200.00				200.00	200.00	Norton \$50 + 3 Apple extended keyboards @ 50/ea
Storage for SWNI	1,920.00	1,920.00				0.00	Extra Space Storage Unit \$160/mo
Subscriptions/Memberships	540.00				540.00	540.00	NAO \$225, Costco \$55, MVBA \$100, NTEN 70.00. Intertwine 90.00
Supplies	2,000.00			131.00	1,869.00	2,000.00	Office Supplies
Telephone	1,380.00	1,380.00					\$115/month
Travel	300.00			180.00	120.00	300.00	
NA Small Grants	11,359.00	11,359.00					ON I NA Small Grants
TOTAL Expenses	368,086.42	310,514.00		12,311.00	44,536.42	57,572.42	
		otal ONI + S	wNi Board			368,086.42	



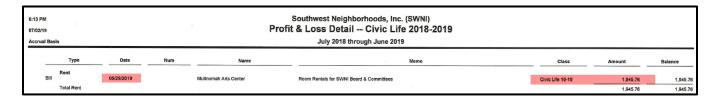
Fiscal Year 2018-2019

During the 2018-2019 fiscal year, SWNI spent 100% of the Civic Life grant for \$297,414.00. There was a variance with the budget versus actuals where the funding for Civic Life had been spent differently than how it was budgeted.

• The *Postage and Delivery* line item showed a budget of \$18,300.00, of which \$18,063.07 was to come from Board funds and \$236.93 was to come from Civic Life funds. SWNI had overspent the budget for Civic Life Funds by 1355.286% in the *Postage and Delivery* line item, as the actuals expended to Civic Life was \$3,448.01. The largest transaction with the USPS occurred at the end of the fiscal year on June 24, 2019, just before the end of the fiscal year.



- The *Professional Fees* line item reflected a budget of \$4,000.00 for Board funds, of which \$2,500.00 was for a "Financial Review" that was never performed, even though SWNI reflected actual spending as \$4,000.00.
- The Rent line item reflected in the SWNI budget did not have an amount allocated to Civic Life; however on June 29, 2019, SWNI used grant funds on room rentals that totaled \$1,945.76. The room rental payments were not in the Civic Life budget, but were expend to Civic Life for reimbursement.





ONI/Civic Life Comparison	В	SWNI udget 2018-2019	Ac	Civic Life tuals 2018-2019	Difference
Gross Wages	\$	213,155.04	\$	209,874.38	-1.539%
Payroll Tax Expenses	\$	22,594.43	\$	19,497.53	-13.706%
Benefits	\$	13,996.50	\$	12,177.06	-12.999%
Retirement	\$	4,263.10	\$	4,197.59	-1.537%
Total Employees	5	254,009.07	5	245,746.56	-3.253%
Electronic Communication	\$	920.00	\$	770.75	-16.223%
Ins. D&O, Liab, Theft, Vol	\$	11,145.00	\$	10,742.00	-3.616%
Ins. Worker's Comp	\$	600.00	\$	429.54	-28.410%
Payroll Services	\$	1,780.00	\$	1,720.34	-3.352%
Postage & Delivery	\$	236.93	\$	3,448.01	1355.286%
Printing - Newspaper	\$	25,255.00	\$	29,038.62	14.982%
Rent	\$	-	\$	1,945.76	100.000%
SWNI Equipment Storage	\$	2,088.00	\$	2,142.00	2.586%
Telephone	\$	1,380.00	\$	1,430.42	3.654%
Total Materials & Svcs.	\$	43,404.93	\$	51,667.44	19.036%
TotalMain Grant	\$	297,414.00	\$	297,414.00	
ONI/Civic Life Grant Amount					
(from Budget)	\$	297,414.00	\$	297,414.00	

201	8-2019 Final S	WNI Budget y	vith Notes (Ap	proved 6-25	-2018)
Category	2017-2018 Budget	2018-2019 Approved Budget	OC&CL	SWNI Board	Notes FY 2018-2019
INCOME					
Grant - BES	1,489.00				
	200 455 20	207 44 4 20			Base Budget + 2% COLA - EPNO Funds + 1
Grants - ONI	299,155.00	297,414.00	297,414.00		time funding
Grants - ONI Small Grants	11,359.00	13,598.00	13,598.00		NSG 13,598 BPS Grant for fall/spring Clean ups
Grants - Other	12.311.00	12.311.00		12.311.00	
Fundraising Appeal	6.400.00	9,000.00	-	9,000.00	Estimate
Advertising Sales	11,000.00	12,000.00	-	12,000.00	Estimate
Merchandise Sales	150.00	150.00	-	150.00	Please Drive Slow Signs; Button Machine
Fiscal Management	7,000.00	7,000.00	-	7,000.00	BES 5000.00. WM 2000.00
Fees & Services	5,000.00	6,000.00	-	6,000.00	Spring/Fall Clearup participant fees
Subtotal	353,864.00	357,473.00	311,012.00	46,461.00	and a construction of the
Board Reserve Funds	14.222.42	12.685.03	311/011/00	12.685.03	
TOTAL INCOME	\$ 368,086,42	\$ 370,158,03	\$ 311,012,00	\$ 59,146,03	
TOTAL INCOME	7 300,000.42	J 3/0,130.03	5 511,012.00	33,240.03	
EXPENSE					
Bank Service Charges	150.00	225.00		225.00	Checks and deposit slips, misc. fees. \$175 Checks; \$50 Deposit Slips
Corporate Filling Fees	1,400.00	1,410.00		1,410.00	
Contracted Services	11,000.00	11,000.00		11,000.00	Cleanup: Haulers, Porta-Potties, Tent, Supplies, Tipping Fees
Education/Training	600.00	-			50 per employee
Equipment Rental/Lease	5,250.00	5,167.96		5,167.96	Copier-(\$410.96 x 10 mos.+ 2% 2 mos.)+(\$100 property tax) + (\$120 overage)
Electronic Communication	920.00	920.00	920.00	0,201100	Constant Contact 5560: CLOUD \$360 vr.
Food & Entertainment	1,700.00	1,700.00	020.00	1,700.00	Cleanup -2 @ \$500 each; SWNI Events \$700
Insurance - Office	10,820.00	11,145.00	11,145.00	2,7 00.00	4-18 Quote – 3% increase
Insurance - Workers Comp	600.00	600.00	600.00		SAIF
Payroll - Gross Wages	208,981.60	213,155.04	213,155.04		2% Increase
Payroll - Tax Expense	22.152.05	22,594,43	22,594,43		10.6% of Gross Wages
Payroll - Benefits	16,628.56	13,996.50	13,996.50		10% incr. start in Nov 2 people
Payroll - Retirement	4,179.64	4,263.10	4,263.10		2% of Payroll
Payroll Services	1,600.00	1,780.00	1,780.00		Prime Pay
Postage & Delivery	19,800.00	18,300.00	236.93	18,063.07	Newspaper: \$1663.64×11 mos = \$18,300
Printing - Neighborhood	725.00	740.00		740.00	\$740 for fundraising envelopes
Printing - Newspaper Monthly	26,400.00	25,255.00	25,255.00		2,200 x 11 mo +1,055 from Eudal y (Does not include 2018 all-household)
Professional Fees	4,000.00	4,000.00		4,000.00	\$1,500 CPA 990 Annual Tax Reports., Financial Review 2,500
Rent	13,480.57	13,800.00		13,800.00	Office Rent \$900.00 per mo; \$3,000.00 reg. meeting space rentals
Small Equipment/Software	200.00	200.00		200.00	Norton \$5.0 + 3 Applie extended keyboards (§ 50/ea
Storage for SWNI Equipment	1,920.00	2,088.00	2,088.00		Extra Space Storage Unit \$174/mo
Subscriptions/Memberships	540.00	540.00		540.00	NAO \$225, Costos \$35, M VBA \$100, NTIN 70.00, Intertwine 90.00
Supplies	2,000.00	2,000.00		2,000.00	Office Supplies
Telephone	1,380.00	1,380.00	1,380.00		\$115/month
Travel	300.00	300.00		300.00	
NA Small Grants	11,359.00	13,598.00	13,598.00		
TOTAL Expenses	\$ 368,086.42	\$ 370,158.03	\$ 311,012.00	\$ 59,146.03	



Postage and Delivery Line Item Analysis

An analysis was conducted of the spending from the *Postage and Delivery* line item from fiscal year 2011 to 2019 to show the bulk postage payments and spike in expenses charged to the line item at the end of fiscal years. SWNI individuals had described that SWNI would allocate money at the end of the fiscal year as they wanted to maximize Civic Life grant funding. The Umpqua Operations account reconciliation packet included checks issued to the USPS and receipts from the USPS that showed the pre-paid balance on file for SWNI.

On a percentage basis, SWNI spent most of their budget during the last quarter of the grant on postage. As an example, in the 2014-2015 fiscal year fourth quarter SWNI spent \$17,122.27 and 2013-2014 fiscal year fourth quarter SWNI spent \$20,020.76, which represented over a 1200% difference compared to the \$1,325.09 spent in fiscal year 2015-2016. These amounts were submitted for reimbursement from the Civic Life grant for postage. The decrease in USPS spending in and after 2015-2016 fiscal year appeared to correlate with a USPS changed to direct billing, and it appeared that SWNI had to use the pre-paid carried balance at the USPS; as of July 2, 2015 SWNI had a balance with the post office of \$31,461.57 that needed to be spent.

Postal Recipt Date	В	New Account Salance at USPS	Amount of eck to USPS
7/16/2012	\$	2,140.01	\$ 2,000.00
8/28/2012	\$	2,606.34	\$ 1,600.00
9/24/2012	\$	2,829.24	\$ 1,600.00
10/25/2012	\$	4,101.85	\$ 1,600.00
11/27/2012	\$	4,180.91	\$ 1,800.00
1/15/2013	\$	2,696.81	\$ 1,400.00
2/8/2013	\$	4,084.78	\$ 134.19
2/25/2013	\$	2,719.85	\$ 1,400.00
3/25/2013	\$	2,873.04	\$ 1,600.00
4/25/2013	\$	3,017.51	\$ 1,600.00
5/1/2013	\$	3,159.84	\$ 1,600.00
5/23/2013	\$	4,759.84	\$ 1,600.00
7/2/2013	\$	18,221.12	\$ 8,603.17
8/27/2013	\$	14,793.76	\$ 1,450.00
10/2/2013	\$	12,609.00	\$ 1,450.00
3/3/2014	\$	12,041.96	\$ 1,400.00
3/25/2014	\$	13,441.96	\$ 1,400.00
5/28/2014	\$	10,190.58	\$ 1,400.00
5/29/2014	\$	11,590.58	\$ 1,400.00
7/8/2014	\$	26,474.11	\$ 1,400.00
1/28/2015	\$	22,026.73	\$ 1,500.00
2/25/2015	\$	21,960.46	\$ 1,500.00
3/25/2015	\$	23,460.46	\$ 1,500.00
4/28/2015	\$	21,828.02	\$ 1,500.00
6/3/2015	\$	21,758.52	\$ 1,500.00
7/2/2015	\$	31,461.57	\$ 11,058.40
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Source of Numbers	Fund Account	City G July to		1st Quarter July to September	Quarter to December	Quarter y to March	Ith Quarter pril to June	Year t	o Date	E	Balance in Budget	Differ 4th and 3rd		Percentage 4Q of City Grant
2018-2019 Actuals	Postage & Delivery	\$	236.93	\$ 236.93	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,211.08	\$	3,448.01	\$	(3,211.08)	\$	3,211.08	1355%
2018-2019 Actuals	Printing - Newspaper	\$ 25	,255.00	\$ 6,339.39	\$ 6,620.28	\$ 6,442.30	\$ 9,636.65	\$	29,038.62	\$	(3,783.62)	\$	3,194.35	38%
2017-2018 Actuals	Postage & Delivery	\$ 3	3,573.15	\$ 893.28	\$ 893.28	\$ 893.28	\$ 4,367.16	\$	7,047.00	\$	(3,473.85)	\$	3,473.88	122%
2017-2018 Actuals	Printing - Newspaper	\$ 26	5,400.00	\$ 6,400.92	\$ 6,317.59	\$ 6,894.05	\$ 9,676.00	\$	29,288.56	\$	(2,888.56)	\$	2,781.95	37%
2016-2017 Actuals	Postage & Delivery	\$ 4	1,255.22	\$ -	\$ 4,156.40	\$ 98.82	\$ -	\$	4,255.22	\$	0.00	\$	(98.82)	0%
2016-2017 Actuals	Printing - Newspaper	\$ 26	5,400.00	\$ 6,167.62	\$ 6,317.00	\$ 6,310.15	\$ 9,364.08	\$	28,158.85	\$	(1,758.85)	\$	3,053.93	35%
2015-2016 Actuals	Postage & Delivery	\$ 1	L,500.00	\$ 1,500.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,325.09	\$	2,825.09	\$	(1,325.09)	\$	1,325.09	88%
2015-2016 Actuals	Printing - Neighborhood	\$ 8	3,500.00	\$ 2,638.73	\$ 758.83	\$ 343.12	\$ 1,256.19	\$	4,996.87	\$	3,503.13	\$	913.07	15%
2015-2016 Actuals	Printing - Newspaper	\$ 24	1,400.00	\$ 6,192.33	\$ 6,179.08	\$ 6,187.29	\$ 8,914.16	\$	27,472.86	\$	(3,072.86)	\$	2,726.87	37%
2014-2015 Actuals	Postage & Delivery	\$ 23	3,000.00	\$ 4,500.00	\$ 5,029.01	\$ 1,900.00	\$ 17,122.27	\$	28,551.28	\$	(5,551.28)	\$	15,222.27	74%
2014-2015 Actuals	Printing - Neighborhood	\$ 5	,100.00	\$ 444.39	\$ 1,240.91	\$ 279.99	\$ 1,162.12	\$	3,127.41	\$	1,972.59	\$	882.13	23%
2014-2015 Actuals	Printing - Newspaper	\$ 24	1,000.00	\$ 5,811.95	\$ 5,961.93	\$ 3,535.82	\$ 9,434.53	\$	24,744.23	\$	(744.23)	\$	5,898.71	39%
2013-2014 Actuals	Postage & Delivery	\$ 26	5,561.31	\$ 2,900.00	\$ 4,550.00	\$ 3,143.26	\$ 20,020.76	\$	30,614.02	\$	(4,052.71)	\$	16,877.50	75%
2013-2014 Actuals	Printing - Neighborhood	\$ 5	,100.00	\$ 295.86	\$ 432.31	\$ 387.40	\$ 2,782.41	\$	3,897.98	\$	1,202.02	\$	2,395.01	55%
2013-2014 Actuals	Printing - Newspaper	\$ 24	1,000.00	\$ 3,887.84	\$ 6,628.72	\$ 4,717.58	\$ 9,125.73	\$	24,359.87	\$	(359.87)	\$	4,408.15	38%



Unrecorded Transactions

It was problematic that the SWNI financial system appeared to be unrecorded transactions that had been processed through the Umpqua Operations account. For all of 2012, the financial system appeared to show that the USPS had received only \$3,200.00, but there was actually a total of \$8,600.00 that was issued in payments. Additionally, in 2013 the financial system appeared to show that the USPS had received \$9,050.00; however the actual spending was \$20,837.36 towards the USPS pre-paid balance. There was an out of sequence check issued to the USPS on July 2, 2013 for \$8,603.17 that cleared the Umpqua Operations account but was not reflected in the financial system. Unrecorded financial system transactions affected the documentation that SWNI provided to Civic Life and the Board, as the export reports from the financial system would have incomplete with the transaction activity that actually occurred in the Umpqua Operations account. This was evidence of financial mismanagement with financial reporting.



V. Internal Control Findings

The Internal Control Integrated Framework ("Framework") is widely recognized as the definitive standard to evaluate the effectiveness of internal controls for organizations receiving public funds. This Framework is generally accepted by GAGAS auditors to assess an organizations ability to prevent and detect errors, fraud, waste and abuse. SWNI's internal and management control measures were compared with this Framework and evaluated for presence, functionality, and effectiveness.

The Framework is designed to support success of organizational missions and objectives as it provides a foundation of sound internal controls through direct leadership, shared values, and a culture that emphasizes accountability. When the Framework of internal controls is integrated, functional and effective, there is confidence that the mission and purpose was carried out properly. The ideal result of a complete Framework consists of:

- Risks routinely identified at all levels and within all functions at the organization.
- Control activities that prevent, detect and mitigate risks.
- Critical information flows up, down and across the organization.
- The entire system of internal controls are monitored continuously for problems to be addressed timely.

The Framework consists of five control components and 17 relevant principles for controls. Each component and principle described by the Framework must be operating together in an integrated manner in order to be considered an effective system of internal and management controls capable to prevent and detect risks to the organizational objectives. A visual diagram of the Framework components and principles for internal controls can be found in the *Appendix* in this report.

The five control components of the Framework were compared to SWNI's governing documents, including: By-Laws, policies, procedures and practices, the City of Portland code 3.96 and Civic Life Standards for district and non-profit coalitions. The Framework was also compared to the information gathered from SWNI, and activity that was demonstrated by SWNI during the scope period (*Reference* Scope). Additionally utilized for comparison was the Oregon Office of Attorney General's *A Guide to Nonprofit Board Service in Oregon*.



Internal Control Findings & Results: Control Areas 1-5

	Control Component	<u>Finding</u>
1	Control Environment	Dysfunctional and Ineffective Controls
2	Risk Assessment	Absent and Deficient Controls
3	Control Activities	Dysfunctional and Ineffective Controls
4	Information & Communication	Dysfunctional and Ineffective Controls
5	Control Monitoring	Dysfunctional and Ineffective Controls

There were deficiencies, dysfunction and ineffective internal control measures and management controls at SWNI. Opportunities were present for errors, mismanagement, waste, abuse and fraud of financials due to a lack of oversight, willful blindness to risks, and a breakdown of transparency and communications at SWNI. There was inadequate functionality of internal control measures and management controls, which resulted in a limited ability to prevent and detect unusual or concerning activity, and hindered SWNI's ability to remediate problems. Without a fully present, functional and effective internal control framework operating in an integrated manner, SWNI had unmitigated risks that were not properly managed and controlled.

SWNI's control deficiency and dysfunctions caused heightened risk vulnerabilities that led to the occurrence of financial mismanagement, financial misapplication and financial losses.



1. Control Environment

SWNI's Board of Directors ("Board") was the oversight body responsible for the control environment. SWNI's Board consisted of Officers, Neighborhood and Business Chairs. The Board was required to maintain oversight of the organization and staff with "care, loyalty, and integrity".

Equity Policy and Practices

There was dysfunction with the Board's adoption of the *Racial Equity Policy*

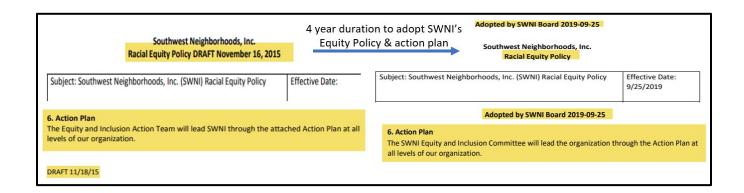
Control Environment

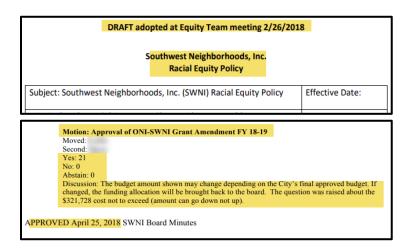
- The oversight body and management should demonstrate a commitment to integrity and ethical values.
- The oversight body should oversee the entity's internal control system.
- Management should establish an organizational structure, assign responsibility, and delegate authority to achieve the entity's objectives.
- Management should demonstrate a commitment to recruit, develop, and retain competent individuals.
- Management should evaluate performance and hold individuals accountable for their internal control responsibilities.

("Equity Policy") and mismanagement with the Board oversight to adopt the Equity Policy during a reasonable time period. The first draft of the Equity Policy appeared to have been reviewed by the Board in November 2015, which demonstrated that SWNI recognized the need for the Equity Policy. However, the Equity Policy was not adopted until September 25, 2019. The time period between when SWNI was evidenced to recognize the need for the Equity Policy in 2015, to when SWNI ultimately adopted the Equity Policy in 2019, was nearly a four year duration.

The Board's delayed adoption of the Equity Policy demonstrated a perceived lack of commitment towards aligning organizational objectives towards equity and inclusion; particularly because both the 2015 and 2019 Equity Policy both had language that required SWNI to create Action Plans. SWNI demonstrated a lack of integrity and ethical values in the delay of implementation of the Equity Policy after having self-identified the need for its existence and Action Plans. The eventual motivation to adopt the Equity Policy appeared to have been compulsory related to equity and inclusion standards established by their primary funding source Civic Life. The Equity Policy adoption was closely followed with SWNI's receipt of the *Grant Amendment No. 3 FY 2018-19* during April 2018 that added compulsory goals, including to "aggressively develop institutional practices for inclusion and transformational change within governance structures." Until that time, SWNI had made slow progress towards adoption of the Equity Policy.







Between the Equity Policy draft in November 2015 and draft in February 2018, minimal changes had been made. A review of the April 25, 2018 Board meeting minutes identified that there was no discussion on the compulsory inclusion goals or on the draft of the Equity Policy; although the Board had discussed and approved the *Grant Amendment No. 3 FY 2018-19* with the new compulsory equity and inclusion goals. SWNI had documented that the draft Equity Policy had been shared with the SWNI Board, although the Equity Policy was never approved throughout fiscal year 2018-2019. There was no evidence found that demonstrated SWNI had made any progress with the Equity Policy for transformational change of SWNI's governance structure.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

GRANT AGREEMENT NO. 32001238

GRANT AGREEMENT WITH SOUTHWEST NEIGHBORHOODS, INC.

The grant agreement is hereby amended as follows:

- Therefore, page 1, opening statement is amended to read: "in an amount not to exceed \$321,728 for FY 18-19."
- Therefore, page 1, after "To achieve this purpose, this Agreement seeks to:", the five existing bulleted goals are replaced with:

GOAL X: STRUCTURES FOR INCLUSION: Modeling the inclusive practices and processes we seek to promote, ONI will partner with diverse, self- identifying communities to:

- Aggressively develop institutional practices for inclusion and transformational change within government structures
- Increase community building and civic engagement opportunities for communities working toward equitable outcomes for all

GOAL Y: MORE REPRESENTATIVE GOVERNANCE: To realize more adaptive decisionmaking in community and government, ONI will:

- Support inclusive cross-cultural, cross-issue organizing in community to reflect the ability of resilient communities to address complex, inter-connected issues
- Lead internal capacity development within City government, particularly as it pertains to engaging community toward equitable outcomes
- Create and hold shared space where community and government join together to identify opportunities and solve shared challenges
- Support communities in pursuing forms of governance that reflect their lived experience, values, and aspirations

GOAL Z: FULFILLED AND EMPOWERED PORTLANDERS: A progressive change in

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culture of civic engagement is foundational to long-term systemic community building and government change. ONI will:

- Prioritize resources that support communities in building resilience both with and without their government
- · Ensure equitable sharing of resources
- Promote inclusive education, art and play
- Create an environment for respectful dialogue and problem solving that acknowledges our differences as we work toward shared goals



We advocate a	and work to improve the livability of S	W Portland neighb	orhoods for people of every rac	e and ethnicity.
Top Priority Goals	Expected Outcome	Lead + Other Committees and Partners	Actions 2017-2018	Actions 2018-2019
	C2. Encourage SWNI community to engage in activities outside of their traditional base of experience	Concerts Laura PP&R OHSU	Sponsored Willamette Park Concert with PP&R: Malea and the Tourists, Thurs., July 19, 2018. Secured local sponsor – OHSU. (Malea is a successful female musician in a male-dominated industry.) July 16, 2017 secured Northstar Painted Sky for Willamette Park concert series	Sponsor Summer free concert in the Park. Consider Willamette Park and Gabriel Parks as location for events.
D. Refine draft Equity Policy using suggestion and comm received to inform final document		Equity & Inclusion Committee	Draft policy has been shared with the SWNI Board. Policy is posted on the website, but limited outside review.	Share draft policy with developed partner organizations

There was no movement on the draft Equity Policy until March 27, 2019, when the Board Meeting Minutes captured that because of "Code writing – The committee talked about getting the final language together... This is a racial equity policy." During the April 2019 Board meeting minutes the Equity and Inclusion Committee reported that the Equity Policy would be mentioned in the May 2019 SWNI Newsletter encouraging that it be adopted by the Board.



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Racial Equity Policy: Is SWNI ready to adopt the draft published on our website? This is chair of this committee, sharing my thoughts on why this policy should be adopted.

Our vision: "Racial equity only becomes possible when the policies, practices, attitudes and cultural messages that reinforce differential outcomes by race are eliminated." Much has been written regarding racial equity, and our vision is based upon the 2012 Portland Plan. The policy supports the vision by setting forth areas where SWNI will focus effort.

Why do we need this policy? "Our organization's actions and policies reflect the experiences of its members and leaders. We recognize that current participation does not proportionately reflect Southwest Portland (SWNI) demographics. According to 2010 U.S. Census data, approximately 15% of SW Portland residents identify themselves as non-White, Hispanic, or multiracial. As of 2015 very few people of color participate in SWNI events and activities." We are aware that it is not a numbers game, but a change in culture where we adjust our functioning, priorities and the outcomes of our organizations. We accomplish this by improving livability for people of color through inclusion of their values, skills, leadership and culture.

You may ask why we are leading our policies with race and resource allocation? "Portland's long-standing history of systemic racism drives our choice to address equity through

the lens of race first, SW Portland residents inhabit land taken from indigenous Multnomah Chinookan and Atfalati Kalanuvan people. The

APPROVED SWNI Board Meeting Minutes Wednesday, March 27, 2019 -7:00 pm

Multnomah Center, Room 30 in Senior Center

Equity and Inclusion Committee:

Code writing- The committee talked about getting the final language together so that our neighborhoods know that we are open to all. This is a racial equity policy. Civic Life's community engagement survey had over a thousand responses. There was a lot of support for NAs. Language will be released for review in May. There will be a community meeting to release the information.

The "Listening to Young People" Event is on April 18th at Wilson High School Library. Schools Committee offered funding for translation. This is also in SWNI news.

partn impacted by racial inequities. Our partnerships are to be with citywide programs and also with groups located in our own communities, including communities of faith and social service organizations. Partnering as a way for growth in equity and inclusion will aid in the individual and community-wide efforts towards the vision. Our individual involvement in partnering and learning is very important.

Your Equity and Inclusion Committee will work toward the vision through action and accountability. An action plan is developed annually that addresses the larger community served by SWNI as well as people and programs administered by SWNI. Please take a look at the action plan posted on the SWNI Website and see if the plan makes sense to you.

Next Meeting:

Monday May 20, 7pm Multnomah Arts Center, Rm 4 7688 SW Capitol Hwy



The Board meeting minutes from June 2019 indicated that the Equity and Inclusion Committee had been following the status of changes to the City of Portland Code 3.96 standards. Additionally in June 2019, the SWNI Equity & Inclusion Action Plan was updated for fiscal year 2019-2020, and which reflected there was no movement on the Equity Policy during the prior 2018-2019 fiscal year. The 2019-2020 Action Plan described SWNI would "Distribute updated draft Racial Equity Policy to the SWNI Board in July and vote to adopt in Aug/Sept 2019."

Top Priority Goals	Expected Outcome	Lead + Other Committees and Partners	Actions 2018-2019	Actions 2019-2020
	C4. Remove barriers of participation and provide welcoming environment at meetings, events, and trainings	Equity & Inclusion Committee		Request resources from Civic Life to provide food for events/trainings, childcare, and transportation assistance
	C5. Increased funding for NA Small Grants	Equity & Inclusion Committee		Advocate during the budget season for additional small grant funding
	C6. Influence Civic Life Code Revision 3.96 Proposal			Follow process of Code Change 3.96 Committee and proposals. Testify at City Council Hearing
D. Refine draft Equity Policy using suggestion and comments received to inform final document	SWNI Board vote to adopt Equity Policy	Equity & Inclusion Committee	Share draft policy with developed partner organizations	Distribute Updated Draft Racial Equity Policy to the SWNI Board in July and vote to adopt in Aug/Sept 2019

The Equity and Inclusion Committee report from July 22, 2019 indicated the SWNI Board would be presented with *Equity & Diversity Best Practices for Neighborhood Associations* ("Equity Best Practices") for approval, in order to "influence testimony at the City Council hearing regarding the Civic Life Code 3.96 Revisions." The Board meeting materials for the code input Summit in July 2019 contained a draft of the Equity Best Practices. There was an email exchange regarding the Board President and a Board Member that demonstrated dysfunction within SWNI's culture and tone from the top, as it appeared SWNI had leaders who were resistive to making equity and inclusion changes and lacked a commitment to implement the drafted Equity Policy and Equity Best Practices. The Board President stated that:

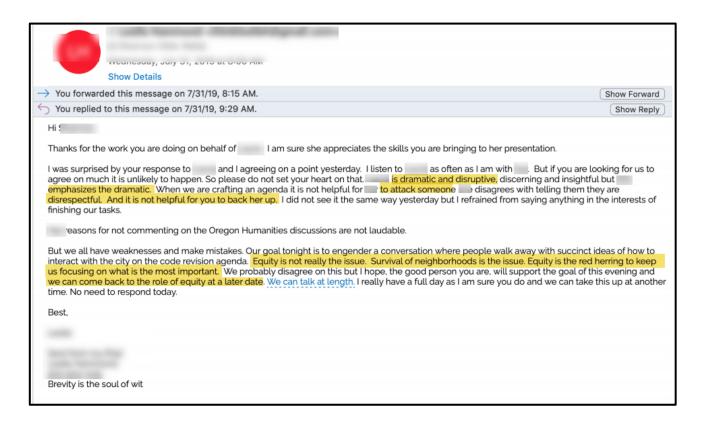
"Equity is not really the issue. Survival of neighborhoods is the issue. Equity is the red herring to keep us focusing on what is the most important."



Motion made by:
Second:

Internal SWNI Motion as approved unanimously by the Equity and Inclusion
Committee

Present the Equity and Inclusion Committee's "Equity & Diversity Best Practices for
Neighborhood Associations" to the SWNI Board for approval to present the
document at the Neighborhood Summit (scheduled for Wednesday, July 31, 2019)
to influence testimony at the City Council hearing regarding the Civic Life Code 3.96
Revisions







Wednesday, July 31, 2019 at 9:29 AM

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Hello.

The title of this email is apropos.

I have been doing work on behalf of the planning committee not just ______ The emergency that the City Council voted on that has brought about this change is driven by the need for equity and inclusion and in light of our well-documented racist history, I believe there is merit. I also believe and have shared with the board before this began that I am concerned about representation and that our neighborhoods and board are not reflective of our resident demographics. I wrote a grant to beta-test bringing more to the table because I am a solutions-oriented leader, that grant was not funded.

I was asking the board and for months if Civic Life had Best Practices for NA's to do outreach from and was told that was part of their marching orders and they would be forthcoming. I recognized the value of the work committee have been doing after the May meeting and went to to see if she had Best Practices to begin with and shared with me they were in her head. I offered to write them down. We met, we crafted and distilled and created the Best Practices that the committee and board approved. Through the same lens and as you know, in reviewing the annual Committee Action Plans for our July Board Meeting I realized we have a better opportunity to do our work collaboratively and not slio'd. I suggested and the board approved of cross-pollinating each plan with one another where applicable and especially where the Equity Committee could be helpful.

After the meeting, who is a LEADER as the VP of SWNI board, stated to me that members of the Land Use Committee would not view their work from an equity lens, that they have intentionally not done so and will not so in the future. When I stated in return that we need to start somewhere and this is the place to end that behavior shrugged. I brought this concern to both you and directly after. This is coming from leadership, where does change begin? Look around, do you see the Neighborhood Associations truly representative? Do you think we don't have an opportunity for more equity and inclusion?

I believe in both. I believe in being more equitable and having Neighborhood Associations be the vehicle and I am dismayed that you as the leader of this organization do not. It is that belief that will undo Neighborhood Associations. I have stated and continue to state that there could be another vehicle but I believe in fixing something not completely broken. It needs leadership to fix the ship.

an asset. The Equity Committee is an asset and an advantage in that no other Coalition has one or has the quality and relevant work by which to inform City Council and Civic Life. I am an asset. You undermine us all.

This is an all-volunteer led, passion-driven organization, do you think you can casually dismiss or throw away those who have differing opinions. Do you think when you devalue people they remain? Do you think you can do this on your own? Who else has shown up in those meetings that will remain if L and I are gone? is paid to be there and . • is all that remains and maybe

The comment made to ______was offensive. I was offended____apologized to us both. It is rare to offend me AND I stood up for positions for everyone in that room yesterday including you. Your fractured relationship with ____affects us all. I do not need you to agree but the venom and disdain by which you two engage is palpable which warranted my exclamation of relief yesterday. I was in the middle taking cross-fire and it is hard.

As for the Humanities piece, I don't have a fight in that nuance. It is listed, the specifics asked to include was rejected by last there were not the same specifics to other bullet points so said 'no'. said 'yes' to all other proposed edits by and they were included. Did you say 'yes' to all of. edits to your piece, she had a lot. I agreed with most of them. offered great insight and I appreciated being there and said so.

Do not assign my character 'good person' to roll up into your agenda - that is manipulative. I am a good person, I am a free-thinker, I will not be bullied or told what to do. I would like a leader who is consistent, honest, transparent and inspiring. I left the room yesterday believing you had come more to understanding the goal is both not one or another. I was sitting down to write you this morning a note of thanks for guiding the discussion for wordsmithing and holding a space for others. I sat down to this instead, so sad. Was yesterday a ruse?

I understood the importance the equity work that has been done needed to be a part of the Summit. It shows the progressive work being done that the city accuses us of not doing. It shows more cohesive approach than they have conceived. It is a road map for the future. I spent 12 hours (6 with 1 pulling all the materials to reference and capture and 6 building the ppt) over my weekend to ensure the community we 'get it and have a plan'. It is why I spent such a large piece of my time working on that as well as informing the agenda. capturing strategy and material for the fight at City Council. making connections with others in our city to collaborate with. I was also about to begin working on ppt for everyone elses work to be connected as a cohesive presentation for tonight and have it polished. I believe I may be missing leadership to continue.

I know you have worked hard and tirelessly as well - thank you. I am truly saddened to know this is your position because I know we could have been a force to be reckoned with.

The Equity and Inclusion Committee on July 22, 2019 determined they would present the Equity Practices to the Board for approval. The SWNI Board adopted the Equity Practices during the July 24, 2019 meeting. This appeared to have been compulsory based upon the updates made to City of Portland Code 3.96 also in July 2019, which had aggressive transformational change towards equity and inclusion goals.

In September 2019, the Equity and Inclusion Committee had obtained proposals and quotes for "Equity and Inclusion training and facilitation of Code of Conduct creation for future board adoption." Documentation reflected that there were multiple contacts made by the committee to solicit pricing to "Present to the SWNI board." The Request for Proposal had a statement of purpose that described SWNI was needing support to implement organizational culture change toward inclusivity, and that the training was to ensure SWNI had the tools to ensure their actions and decisions were aligned with the Equity Practices that were adopted and the draft Equity Policy.

When the proposals for equity and inclusion training were presented to the Board, the Board voted to decline the training. Training would have impacted the effectiveness and implementation of the Equity Practices and draft Equity Policy, and declining Board equity training contributed to the dysfunction in the Control Environment. The SWNI Equity Policy was adopted on September 25, 2019.



There was evidence SWNI had been noncompliant with the Actions and Accountability section of the *Racial Equity Policy*, which had committed to "... increase understanding of racial inequality throughout our organization... SWNI's programs and actions will promote responsibility for learning and competency among people who identify as white." SWNI did not have formal equity and inclusion training for the Board that corresponded with implementation of their Equity Practices and Equity Policy. Additionally, the Equity Practices were observed not to be followed, including the ground rules of conflict resolution, enhancing mutual trust and respect, inclusivity and constructiveness, and avoiding defensiveness and negative attitudes. This evidence demonstrates that SWNI had not effectively implemented the equity and inclusion goals.

Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc.
Equity & Inclusion Committee

SWNI Equity & Inclusion Training Request for Proposal
September 23, 2019

Statement of Purpose

The Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc. (SWNI) Equity & Inclusion Committee (E&I Committee) is seeking a partner to lead our efforts in an organizational culture change that fosters inclusivity and engagement. We recognize change begins with leadership building trust, doing outreach, creating opportunities for the disenfranchised to inform and sit in positions of power while also seeking active involvement from partners, stakeholders and residents within our community.

E&I Committee acknowledges activities within the SWNI organization and events in our community require an immediate response for board leadership training. This training will ensure SWNI officers, committee chairs, staff and board members are given the tools to ensure their actions and decisions are in line with the organizations bylaws, adopted Equity & Inclusion Best Practices and DRAFT Equity Policy Vision. Leadership will then be equipped to help expand equity support within the community ie Wilson High School Community Conversation and Hillsdale Farmer's Market interest in equity staff training.

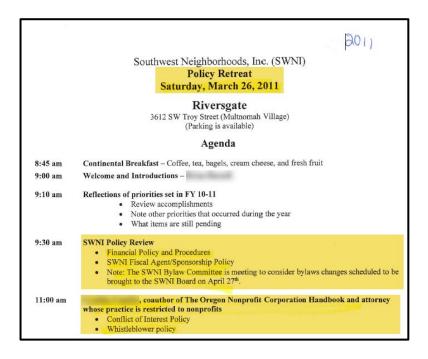
Specifically, the SWNI E&I Committee understands the imperative to ensure that we as leaders of the organization work daily to ensure our culture and behavior supports the following parts of SWNI Bylaws:

- Article 2 Purpose Section 5 To reflect the full diversity of all people found within its boundaries, including but not limited to communities of color, immigrant and refugee populations, renters, and individuals of all income levels.
- Article 3 Membership Section 2 SWNI does not discriminate against individuals or groups on the basis of race, religion, color, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, age, disability, legal citizenship, national origin, income, or political affiliation in any of its policies, recommendations, or actions.



Conflicts of Interest

There were other organizational objectives that affected the control environment as well. The Board reviewed two sample policies at the March 2011 retreat, *Conflicts of Interest and Executive Compensation Policy* and *Whistleblowers Policy*. It appeared the sample policies were adopted as a revision to the By-Laws at SWNI. The retreat agenda indicated there were By-Law updates planned for later in 2011. SWNI's By-Laws contained language similar to the sample policies that the Board had reviewed during the retreat. During fiscal year 2012, SWNI's Board began an annual process to complete a *Conflict of Interest Questionnaire* and *Whistleblower & Retaliation Acknowledgement* forms. The questionnaire and acknowledgement forms make reference to SWNI's By-Laws sections X and XIII.



Acknowledgment

I have received, read, understand and will comply with the SWNI Conflicts of Interest and Non Inurement Bylaw, Article X. I affirm that, other than the interests reported above, I am aware of no conflicts of interest that I have or may have within the meaning of the SWNI Conflicts of Interest and Non Inurement Bylaw. If any additional or new actual or potential conflicts arise during the year, I will file an amended form and disclose same in accordance with SWNI's Conflicts By Law.

SWNI ANNUAL WHISTLEBLOWER AND RETALIATION ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Each SWNI Officer, Director, Committee Chair and Employee shall, within thirty (30) days of becoming an Officer, Director, Committee Chair, or Employee, complete and sign this form after reading Article XIII of the SWNI Bylaws, and also complete and sign a new copy of this Form annually. Completed Forms are to be submitted to the Executive Director.

I acknowledge that I have read Article XIII of the SWNI Bylaws dealing with Whistleblowers, understand same, and will abide by the provisions thereof.



There was dysfunction and ineffectiveness with the conflicts of interest standards at SWNI that were adopted in the By-Laws. During the October 23, 2019 Board meeting that was video recorded, the President stated:

"The whole executive group has been accused of not following the By-Laws."

Additionally, another Board member stated that:

"There is a conflict of interest of the people running the Board."

During the middle of this meeting the Board Treasurer resigned, stating:

"I quit... this is the stupidest thing I think I have ever seen, it is pointless and my blood pressure it is not healthy for me to deal with this... I'm sorry good luck."

Then the resigned Treasurer left the Board meeting. SWNI demonstrated an unwillingness to initiate an internal probe, investigate, self-correct or remediate alleged non-compliance, misconduct and unethical activity.

It seemed suspicious that the former Treasurer would bid for and accept a \$2,000.00 paid contract from SWNI in December 2019, which was two months after resigning. The contract was to prepare SWNI's tax return, which appeared to be a conflict of interest, as expressed by multiple Board members. The period for the tax return covered the same fiscal year as when the former Treasurer had presided. It was problematic that the former Treasurer had been volunteering for SWNI without compensation, and then became a paid contractor.

During the December 18, 2019 Board meeting, it seemed like an abuse of power that the Executive Committee had not provided the Board with all bids and proposals within the Board materials. There was at least one other reputable accounting firm that had submitted a proposal to SWNI, whose cost for services appeared to be 42.5% less than the former Treasurer's proposed price. Additionally, the other reputable accounting firm not selected had received copies of SWNI's prior tax documents, which indicated the bid would have been reasonably responsive. SWNI leadership had "expressed support" for the former Treasurer being awarded the contract, based on their knowledge of SWNI financials, and the Board approved the contract with the former Treasurer.



2. Recommendation Regarding CPA to Prepare Federal 990 Report.
President reported bids were submitted for the completion of SWNI's 2018 federal 990 tax forms. referred Board members to Director's Report. reported that who has completed the 990 Reports for SWNI in the past, invoiced us last year for \$2.775 for her services. 's bid was for the project an amount up to \$2,000. of Company in Tigard provided a bid of \$1,150.
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Discussion took place. and questioned whether would have a conflict of interest based on having served on the SWNI Board in the past. responded that because resigned from the Board in October, there would is no conflict. clarified that resigned from the Finance Committee when resigned from the Board. President stated that provided Company with copies of the SWNI's 2017 990 report documents.
noved approval of contracting with the for the preparation of the 990 Report.
Discussion took place. questioned the process for having the bidders prepare their bids. President responded that the process was completed with the intent of having the work completed before accounting firms take on a heavier workload for 2020 tax season. spoke in favor of choosing and felt there wasn't that much of a difference in the bids.
Motion Approved to Contract with Vote to Approve: 16 Vote Against: 0 Abstentions: 4 ()

No Financial Statement Review or Audit by an Independent Accountant

It was problematic that SWNI had not received a financial statement audit or financial review by an independent accountant from fiscal years 2011 to 2020, even though SWNI had budgeted for those professional services most years, and had previously experienced a financial loss due to theft, reference Examination #2 and #6, and Internal Control section #3 Control Activities. SWNI had received an audit from the IRS once during those fiscal years, which would have been limited in scope to taxation, and would not have constituted a financial statement audit. Without a financial statement audit or financial review the SWNI Board lacked assurance and was unable to evidence that the financial statements were free of material misstatements.

There was evidence that reflected SWNI leadership may have exaggerated and was untruthful in communications to the Board regarding financial audits, by insinuating that the limited IRS audit on taxation was a reliable measurement that financials were in proper order. Without independent accountants performing audits or financial reviews, SWNI had no assurances that financial statements the Board was reliant upon were reasonably accurate. According to standards published by Oregon's



Office of the Attorney General, A Guide to Nonprofit Board Service in Oregon indicated the Board was responsible "to oversee the organization's financial affairs, making sure that the organization has internal accounting systems and controls," and that transactions between individual board members and business they own or operate "should be avoided".

Duty of loyalty. Directors have a duty to give their undivided loyalty to the charitable corporation. Decisions regarding the organization's funds and activities must promote the organization's public purpose rather than private interest. Any potential conflict transactions should be scrutinized closely by the board with the realization that the public will predictably be skeptical of such arrangements. There are some general principles which will serve to guide boards faced with conflict of interest situations.

• Conflicts in general. While transactions between the charitable corporation and individual board members, their families and businesses they own or operate should be avoided, they are not absolutely prohibited. Under certain circumstances, a contract or transaction between a nonprofit corporation and its director or an organization in which the director has a material or financial interest is acceptable. However, if the transaction is challenged, the director will have the burden of establishing that the contract or transaction is fair and reasonable, that there was full disclosure of the conflict and that the contract or transaction was approved by members or other directors in good faith. ORS 65.361. The board should only approve the transaction if it is clearly in the best interest of the charity.

Adequate financial records and controls. One of the board's responsibilities is to oversee the organization's financial affairs, making sure that the organization has adequate internal accounting systems and controls. With embezzlement from nonprofit organizations on the rise, it is imperative that financial controls are in place before theft occurs. The board should be responsible for approving the organization's annual budget. Board members should expect the CEO (or other designated staff) to produce timely and adequate income and expense statements, balance sheets and budget status reports, and should expect to receive these in advance of board meetings. With the advent of online banking, many small organizations neglect to retain copies of their bank statements. Board directors should ensure that appropriate accounting and banking records are being maintained. With large organizations, the board should employ, either directly or through an audit and finance committee, an independent auditor and review the auditor's annual report at a face-to-face meeting.

Forensic Audit Information Request Checklist October 1, 2020 TO: Melissa Frick Minick Marsh Minick, P.C. From: Executive Director Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc RE: Information Request 1 #32 Provide the audited financial statements, report and accompanying supplementals Please note: Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc.'s has not had its financial statements or reports audited. We did provide Civic Life with a copy of Serview of our 2012 Financial Management Policy and IRS Audit for fiscal year 2011-2012.



Whistleblowers

There was also dysfunction and ineffectiveness with the whistleblower standards at SWNI that were adopted in the By-Laws. There were seven individuals that expressed they were fearful of retaliation and declined to interview for this forensic audit. Additionally, there were five other individuals that described they had been pressured by others to not interview or had been discouraged from interviewing. Retaliation and pressure that was documented and observed by the forensic auditors included threats of personal lawsuits and removal of Board members that were deemed as detractors by others. Verbal and written communications were used to intimidate Board members, and there appeared to be unfair and inequitable treatment of Board member concerns when they were expressed.

In an email dated October 17, 2020, the SWNI President emailed the Board about changing the By-laws in order to "ultimately remove" a Board member and indicated the intent was to "take action...on November 18" board meeting. Additionally the President stated:

"...I think a bylaw change is a good idea because we may have more [detractors] in our future. We have been very restrained in ruling against [detractors] behavior."

This seemed consistent with the video recording of the October 23, 2019 Board meeting approximately one year earlier where the President said that:

"...people can file lawsuits, they can file lawsuits of defamation...there is a lot of changes that can be done and be tied into the By-Laws."

Another member of the Board asked the President:

"Can the Board file a lawsuit?"

To which the President replied:

"Yes, they can, because of some of the materials that have been sent to the Board... The Board has firm rights to file..."

This is evidence that the Board is not following their adopted whistleblower policy on retaliation. The whistleblower section of the By-Laws appeared to be not effective at protecting individuals that reported instances or raised concerns about wrongdoing.



ARTICLE XIII: WHISTLEBLOWERS

Section 1 Complaints

- a. If a SWNI officer, director, employee or volunteer should discover information leading her or him to believe that a wrongdoing or illegal or unethical behavior has occurred in SWNI, he or she shall report this information to the President. If the President is not available or is implicated in the alleged wrongdoing, he or she shall report the information to another Board officer.
- b. The President or Board officer shall conduct an investigation. Reports of alleged violations will be kept confidential to the extent possible, consistent with the need to conduct an investigation. Appropriate corrective action will be taken if warranted by the results of the investigation.

Section 2 Retaliation

- a. It is SWNI's policy to protect from retaliation and discrimination any person who in good faith:
 - 1. Refused to participate in any alleged civil or criminal violation of any federal or state law, or city ordinance; reported to law enforcement or other officials of federal, state or local government any information that the person believed to be evidence relating to the alleged commission of or possible commission of any civil or criminal violation; or initiated, testified or aided in proceedings related to the foregoing.
 - 2. Initiated or aided in civil and/or criminal proceedings;
 - 3. Refused to engage in a violation of a governmental administrative regulation; reported any information related to a violation of governmental administrative regulations; commenced, testified at, aided or participated in a governmental administrative proceeding;
 - 4. Refused to engage in or attempted to stop fraud against SWNI, or gross waste of SWNI's assets, or abuse of SWNI's authority; or

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- 5. Reported other information about wrongdoing, illegal or unethical behavior pursuant to this Whistleblower Policy.
- b. A SWNI officer, director, employee, or volunteer shall not, with intent to retaliate or discriminate, take any action harmful to any person described above, including interference with the lawful employment or livelihood of any person, or damage to the person's reputation.
- In the event that a SWNI officer, director, employee or volunteer intends, for any reason, to take any action harmful to any person who has acted as described above, the SWNI officer, director, employee, or volunteer must obtain approval from the Board prior to taking such action. Such approval must be obtained even if the officer, director, employee or volunteer believes that the person who provided information to the law enforcement authorities or other officials provided untruthful information.

Subject: Re: [SWNI Board] Meeting Notice: SWNI Finance Committee 10-23-20 at 1:30 pm & SWNI Exec. Committee 10-23-20 at 5 pm; Sept 23 Draft Minurwa Date: October 17, 2020 at 10 43 27 AM PDT

To: board@swni.org

On a vote to change the bylaws and ultimately remove and ask for another representative, timing is important. We have to read the motion on the change in bylaws in two meetings before we can vote on it. So October and November. We vote in No take action after that. I think our Board meeting will be on November 18th which will also let us know what has happened with donation which will keep our doors open.

The election is important. If ____ is not returned, I do expect ____ to try to discredit us on governance. Failure to produce all documents that _____ asked for even though they are confidential under the Standards in some circumstances. That will be her final swipe. However, whether the city council wants to defund us entirely is a different question. And I do think with a clean audit which we hope will be posted by the end of November we can get our funding restored either through a city council vote or by an automatic mechanism. Checking into that.

We can change our bylaws and do nothing. But we have the opportunity should we need it.

And I agree when we do this, it is important in the context of the election. But I think a bylaw change is a good idea because we may have more in our future. We have been very restrained in ruling against behavior. 14 months of it. Only now are we considering what we might do because filed a lawsuit. So we do not have to remove or replace until the audit is posted and the election is over.

But we need to put the motion before the Board at two separate meetings and get their approval before we can move or

Thanks so much for your comments and engagement. It takes all of us to right the ship

Best,

Sent from my iPad

Brevity is the soul of wit

Reply-To: board@swni.org



2. Risk Assessment

No Risk Management Policy

A major deficiency at SWNI was there was not a Risk Management Policy that appeared to have been drafted or considered for adoption. Without a Risk Management Policy, SWNI was unable to self-identify risks and establish critical controls to protect the organization from financial risks and loss. Without a Risk Management Policy, SWNI had not formally articulated and defined roles and responsibilities for risk management

Risk Assessment

- Management should define objectives clearly to enable the identification of risks and define risk tolerances.
- Management should identify, analyze, and respond to risks related to achieving the defined objectives.
- Management should consider the potential for fraud when identifying, analyzing, and responding to risks.
- Management should identify, analyze, and respond to significant changes that could impact the internal control system.

activities and had no formal plan for handling risks and improvement of controls.

No Fraud Policy

Another major deficiency at SWNI was not having a Fraud Policy. Even after the financial loss to the organization from theft by embezzlement, reference section Examination #2, there was no Fraud Policy appeared to be drafted or considered for adoption. Without a Fraud Policy, SWNI had not committed to a zero tolerance for actions constituting fraud, such as dishonest and unethical acts, misappropriation of funds, impropriety in handling financials, money and reporting, and other similar improprieties. Without a Fraud Policy, SWNI had not formally articulated and defined roles and responsibilities for fraud monitoring activities and had no formal plan for handling fraud risks and actions to take to prevent, detect and respond to possible fraud instances.

No Audited Financial Statements by an Independent Accountant

There was another major deficiency identified with assessing risks and managing an effective and functional control system. There were not any audited financial statements by an independent accounting firm, as confirmed by SWNI's Executive Director, even though SWNI had budgeted money for this professional service. This demonstrated a lack of SWNI and Board commitment to identify, analyze and respond to financial risks.



Forensic Audit Information Request Checklist

October 1, 2020

Melissa Frick Minick TO:

Marsh Minick, P.C.

From: 5 , Executive Director Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc

503-823-4592

RE: Information Request 1

#32 Provide the audited financial statements, report and accompanying supplementals

Please note: Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc.'s has not had its financial statements or reports audited.

We did provide Civic Life with a copy of Smyth & Clark's review of our 2012 Financial Management Policy and IRS Audit for fiscal year 2011-2012.

	2019-2020 Adopted SWNI Budget with Notes										
Category Budget Adopted Budget Proposed Capital Needs					Notes FY 2019-2020						
Professional Fees	4,000.00	4,000.00			CPA 990 Annual Tax Reports, Financial Review						

2018-2019 Final SWNI Budget with Notes (Approved 6-25-2018)										
Category	2017-2018 Budget	2018-2019 Approved Budget	OC&CL	SWNI Board	Notes FY 2018-2019					
Professional Fees	4,000.00	4,000.00			\$1,500 CPA 990 Annual Tax Reports., Financial Review 2,500					

2017-2018 Final Approved SWNI Budget with Notes 6-28-2017

	Proposed Budget 17-18	ONI	SWNI Fundraising	SWNI Cleanup	SWNI	SWNI Board	Notes FY 2017-2018
Professional Fees	4,000.00				4,000.00	4,000.00	\$1,500 CPA 990 Annual Tax Reports., Financial Review 2,500

SWNI Adopted Operating Budget July 1, 2016- June 30, 2017

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Professional Fees	5,000.00	3,000.00	2,000.00	3,000.00		\$1,500 CPA 990 Annual Tax Reports., \$1,500 Facilitation, Legal Consultant

SWNI Approved Revised Operating Budget 2015-2016						
	Budget 15-16	Revised 15-16	Difference	ONI	SWNI Board	Notes FY 2015-2016
Income						
Professional Fees	5,000.00	5,000.00	0.00	5,000.00		\$1,500 CPA 990 Annual Tax Reports. \$2,000 Acct Consultant., \$1,500 Facilitation, Legal Consultant

SWNI Adopted Operating Budget 2014-2015								
	Budget 13-14	Budget 14-15	ONI	SWNI Board	Notes FY 2014-2015			
					\$1,500 CPA 990 Annual Tax Reports.			
Professional Fees	4,800.00	5,000.00	5,000.00		\$2,000 Financial Review, \$1,500			
					Facilitation, Legal Consultant			

SWNI ADOPTED OP ERATING Budget 2013-14								
Budget 12-13 Budget 13-14 ONI SWNI Board Notes								
Prof Fees - Bookkeeping/Accounting	2,500.00	2,000.00		2,000.00	Contingency - Financial Review e/o year			



When the forensic auditors inquired why there was not a financial review as budgeted, SWNI individuals communicated that due to the cost of the services, this was never ordered. This seemed unusual as after the fraud incident, the Board and the Executive Director had received training at a Board retreat where the trainer advised SWNI should be having audits of their financials. This advice was consistent with the guidance from the Oregon Office of Attorney General's *A Guide to Nonprofit Board Service in Oregon* that it is imperative the Board have adequate internal accounting systems and controls due to embezzlement being on the rise. This is evidence that SWNI mismanaged risks and controls.

According to the SWNI job descriptions the Executive Director was in charge of financial management and grant compliance. SWNI's By-Laws indicated that the Board Finance Committee was responsible for financial accountability of SWNI, preparing SWNI budget for board review and approval in compliance with the grant, and to perform financial audits. The Finance Committee is composed of Executive Officers. The Executive Director and the Finance and Executive Committee Officers were derelict in their duties for not having a financial review or audit performed after having budgeted for those, and due to SWNI having previously experienced a large loss from financial fraud. The lack of financial reviews and audits by an independent accountant of SWNI's financial reports was unreasonable and not prudent, and demonstrated financial mismanagement. SWNI's Board did not have assurance that the financial statements and reports were reliably accurate.



3. Control Activities

Failure to Fully Investigate

The decisions made by SWNI was evidence that the Executive Director and the Board had not designed or implemented effective policies or control activities to have reported, prevented, responded, or detected irregularities timely.

Control Activities

- Management should design control activities to achieve objectives and respond to risks.
- Management should design the entity's information system and related control activities to achieve objectives and respond to risks.
- Management should implement control activities through policies.

There did not appear to be an

investigation as to whether any other individuals at SWNI were culpable for the theft, or were negligent in their duties, that may have led to the opportunity for the employee theft, reference section Examination #2. The SWNI Staff Responsibility Chart showed the Job Description details for the Executive Director, which included the primary responsibilities for financial management, grant compliance, nonprofit compliance, and to supervise and evaluate all employees. SWNI's failure to investigate other individuals was evidence of dereliction of duties to safeguard assets and demonstrated there was not effective control activities to achieve and respond to risks. This control failure did not hold individuals accountable for their responsibilities or adherence with duties.

Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc. Staff Positions, Fiscal Year 2019-2020															
Executive Director	1.0 ONI	Program Coordinator	FTE 1.0 ONI	Technology	.50 ONI	Newspaper	FTE .25 ONI	Office Specialist	FTE .75 ONI	Events Coordinator	FTE .50 ONI	Watershed Center Manager	FTE 1.0 BES	Watershed Program Specialist	FTE 50 WMSWCD
Responsibilities Administration:	% of Time	Responsibilities SWNI Standing	% of Time 40%	Responsibilities Website:	% of Time 50%	Responsibilities Newspaper	% of Time	Responsibilities Bookkeeping:	% of Time 60%	Responsibilities Event	% of Time 65%	Responsibilities Project	% of Time 40%	Responsibilities Project Support:	% of Time 75%
Financial Mgmt Insurance Grant Compliance Document Management Nonprofit compliance SWNI Board NAs		Committee Support: Meeting prep. Write minutes & news articles Articulate public involvement processes Track Board Motions		Serve as web administrator Provide website trainings Troubleshoot Internet connection problems Maintain hardware		Work with ED to design/ publish monthly newspaper Schedule printing and distribution of newspaper		Pay Bills Enter Payroll Financial reports Assist ED with 990 preparation Monthly/Qtr Invoices State&CT12		Coordination: Forums Cleanups Vol Rec NNO NA Movies Trainings Grant Projects Com Police Trick/Treat		Management: Stormwater Stars management Stewardship groups Specific Watershed Projects identified by BES in Scope of Work		Stormwater Workshops publicity & logistics Site visits Grant reports Track volunteers Purchase materials	
Personnel Management	25%	Committee website	10%	Office Technology: • Troubleshoot Office	50%	Graphic Design Projects as assigned	25%			Logistics Supplies Set-up/down	5%	Program Administration & Staff Supervision	25%		



Not Investigated: \$19,570 Unauthorized Charges to SWNI's Credit Card or the Balance Transfer from SWNI Debt to Personal Debt of the Executive Director

SWNI was not totally transparent about the theft incidents with Board members and the Civic Life (ONI), and SWNI's failure to fully investigate the totality of culpable individuals was the root cause of renewed concerns about wrongdoing that spanned through to fiscal year 2020. During public comments made to the City in 2020, the concerns about wrongdoing included misuse of an American Express card and an alleged personal loan that was used to pay debts from theft.

Based on the 2010-2011 police investigation reports one of those allegations made in 2020 had been investigated and the other had not been investigated:

- Already investigated was a personal American Express card that was included in the 2011 investigation regarding the convicted theft incidents, reference section Examination #2.
- Uninvestigated was SWNI business credit card with unauthorized charges. The business credit card was paid off in 2005 by the Executive Director who had "opened her own personal credit card account... transferred the SWNI credit card balance to her personal credit card account and is paying off this credit card balance... the balance on 092105, the date of the transfer, was \$19,570". The Executive Director told the police investigator "that one reason she took personal responsibility for the \$19,000 is because she is the Executive Director of SWNI and it is her responsibility to know what is going on with the SWNI finances." The police report in 2011 indicated there was not an investigation of the unauthorized charges to SWNI's credit card or the balance transfer in 2005 to the Executive Director's personal credit card.

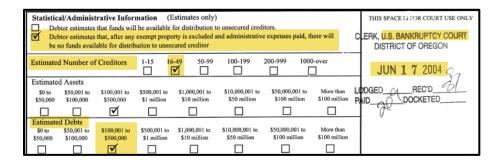


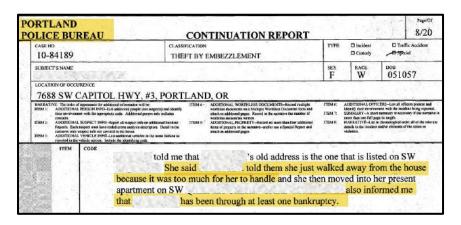
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As revealed in the police report, there was over a five-year period from when the Executive Director discovered the unauthorized charges to the business credit card in 2005 to when the Executive Director reported the credit card to police in 2010. The subsequent delay in notifying authorities or the Board of this outstanding debt of the credit card allowed the former employee who was convicted of theft additional opportunity to embezzle, and there was no accountability for the Executive Director who had converted SWNI debt to personal debt.

While the theft was being committed, the former employee filed for personal bankruptcy and had walked away from their home. This information was known by the Executive Director as indicated in the police report. There was apparent personal financial pressures on the former employee that appeared to have contributed to the theft at SWNI.

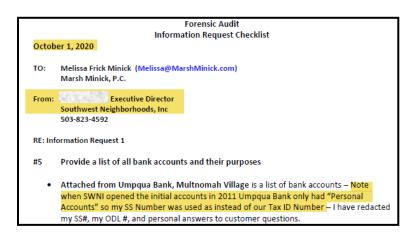


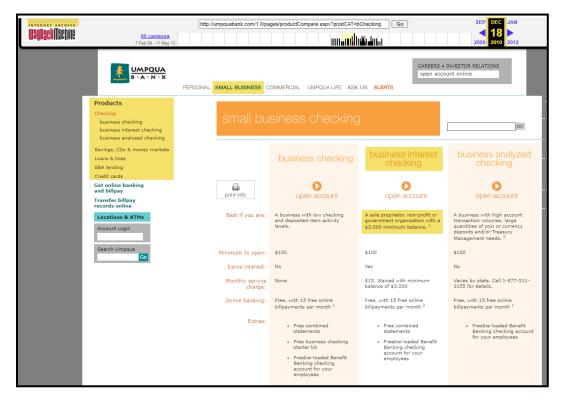




Additionally, there appeared to have been another instance where the Executive Director may have used personal resources on behalf of SWNI. In response to the information requested during this forensic audit on October 1, 2020, the Executive Director disclosed that "when SWNI opened the initial accounts in 2011 Umpqua Bank only had 'Personal Accounts' so my SS Number was used as instead of our Tax ID Number." This disclosure by the Executive Director was conflicting with the internet archive from 2010 and 2011 showed that Umpqua Bank was offering business products, including business checking accounts to non-profits and government entities when SWNI's accounts were opened. Forensic auditors observed that the bank account was in the name of SWNI, not the Executive Director. There was conflicting information provided by the Executive Director that was incorrect and untruthful as Umpqua Bank had offered business products in 2011 for non-profits and the opening deposit amount matched the check amounts SWNI used to open the Umpqua bank accounts.









4. Information and Communication

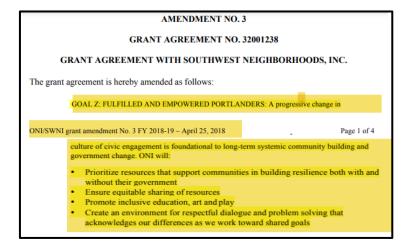
Organizational Conduct

There were repeat occurrences of personal conduct at SWNI that did not demonstrate integrity and ethical values, and was not commensurate with certain aspects of SWNI's mission, purpose and function, and was not compliant with certain aspects of the governing standards and documents.

Information and Communication

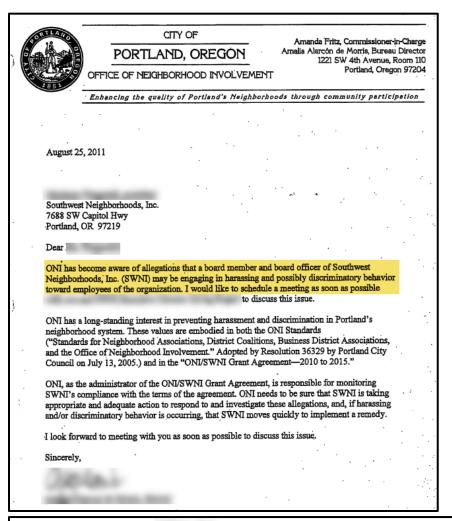
- Management should use quality information to achieve the entity's objectives.
- Management should internally communicate the necessary quality information to achieve the entity's objectives.
- Management should externally communicate the necessary quality information to achieve the entity's objectives.

There were 25 hours of interviews conducted with current and former SWNI Board members, employees and community members. Additionally, emails and other communications were reviewed as well as Board videos and minutes. Individuals from minority and majority viewpoints and power positions had reported a culture problem at SWNI. There was evidence that people involved with SWNI had been "bullied", "attacked", "dismissed", "shut down", "censored," "demeaned", had felt "unsafe" and "fearful", and that those instances were "pathological" and created a "hostile" and "toxic culture." These instances appeared to be not compliant with Civic Life Standards for inclusion, participation, and non-discrimination, and the City of Portland code 3.96.040(D) functions of a district coalition to promote, encourage and support participation of members of diverse communities. Additionally these instances appeared to violate the *Grant Amendment No. 3 FY 2018-19* that indicated SWNI was to "Create an environment for respectful dialogue and problem solving that acknowledges our differences as we work toward shared goals."





Two examples where harassment at SWNI was reported to City of Portland's Office of Civic Life was in August 2011 and July 2020:



From:	
Sent:	Monday, July 6, 2020 2:48 PM
To:	
Subject:	resignation LetterFwd: [SWNI Board] REMINDER: Zoom SWNI
	Board Meeting: Wed., June 24, 2020, 7 pm
Colleagues:	
FYI, I was transferred a	call (via Information and Referral) from
asked me what wa	s the date for the DCO Council hearing as SWNI did not provide access to about
the Council hearing dat	te.
I provided with a	a date, JUL 9th , 2 pm as a hearing time.
also had a con	cern of SWNI Management and thus further funding of SWNI going forward.
had also indica	ated thathas been verbally harassed by SWNI's Board chair at the hall of
Multnomah building.	
4. Finally, sent m	ne a copy of her resignation - as a record- to our attention.
Thank you.	
Civic Engagement	



The allegations of harassment, bullying, and feeling unsafe appeared to have been a problem over the last decade. The SWNI Board and Executive Director were supposed to set an example of proper communication, ethics and integrity for the whole organization to follow, including employees and volunteers on the Board. There were displays and acceptance of uncooperative communications, inconsistent messaging, perceived (or realized) favoritism, and the acceptance of poor personal conduct, which led to confusion, hostility, and discouraged good ethical behavior. As evident in the recorded Board meetings, the 'tone from the top' from the Board as a *collective whole* was not setting an example of a corporative working environment.

A hostile and negative tone from the top had discouraged openness from members of the Board and in the community, as people felt scared to express their opinions or concerns openly. It was evident by repeated Points of Order called by Board members that drew attention to violations of *Robert's Rules of Order* for a lack of decorum while the Board was engaged in critical organizational business. There were instances when the Points of Order raised to the Chairperson or Board for a decision was not well taken (failed), and this process devolved into a mechanism where people in power were dismissive of minority points. These dysfunctions impeded the Board in carrying out critical business, appeared to violate the creation of an environment for respectful dialogue and problem solving, and discouraged open flow of information and communication.



5. Monitoring

There was weakness discovered in Board monitoring of financial control environment at SWNI, predominantly because there was not a proactive approach at SWNI to self-identify emerging risks to financials and assets and there was not a recurring process to enhance the control environment.

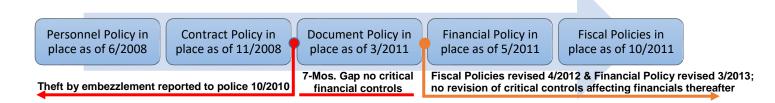
Monitoring

- Management should establish and operate monitoring activities to monitor the internal control system and evaluate the results.
- Management should remediate identified internal control deficiencies on a timely basis.

Financial Management Policies

The critical financial controls at SWNI were detailed in the *Financial Management Policy and Procedures* ("Financial Policy"). However, the Financial Policy had not been revised in over seven-years. There were other controls over financials detailed in the *Fiscal Administration Policy* and *Fiscal Sponsorship Policy* ("Fiscal Policies"). Again, these Fiscal Policies had not been revised in about eight-years. SWNI's lack of a self-assessment and proactive process to enhance critical financial control policies demonstrated SWNI was not effectively monitoring the internal control system, and was not properly monitoring emerging risks to their control environment.

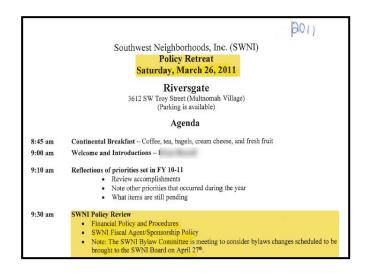
SWNI had a reactive approach to identifying and responding to risks affecting financials and assets. The reactive approach was demonstrated by the timeline of critical control policies affecting financials that were implemented following the theft by embezzlement that SWNI reported to police. SWNI was slow to react to risks and slow to implement critical controls resulting from the theft incident, as there was a seven month gap when SWNI did not have Financial Policy and Fiscal Policies in place following the reported theft.

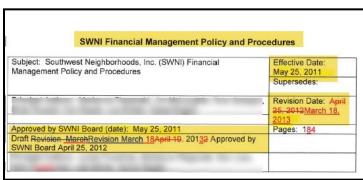


The Board appeared to first review a draft of the Financial Policy in March 2011 during a Board retreat. The first version of the policy evidenced to have been put in place was on May 25, 2011; which was seven-months after SWNI reported theft by embezzlement to police in October 2010. SWNI appeared to have implemented and revised the policy in April 2012, and again in December 2012 after SWNI had

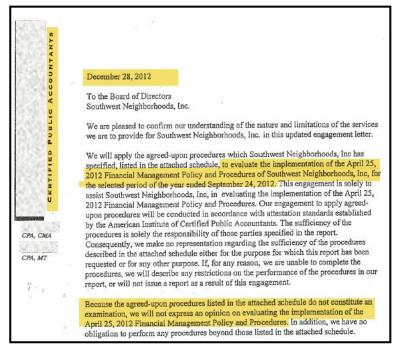


engaged an outside professional accounting firm. The accounting firm had a narrow scope of agreed-upon-procedures, and indicated their work did not constitute an examination and they did not express an opinion about the evaluation of the implementation of the Financial Policy. The current version of the Financial Policy in use by SWNI during this forensic audit was adopted by Board vote on March 27, 2013.





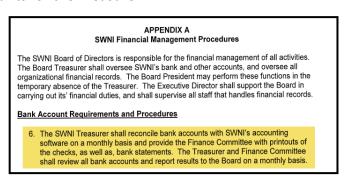






Financial Management Procedure: Critical Control with a 97% Error Rate

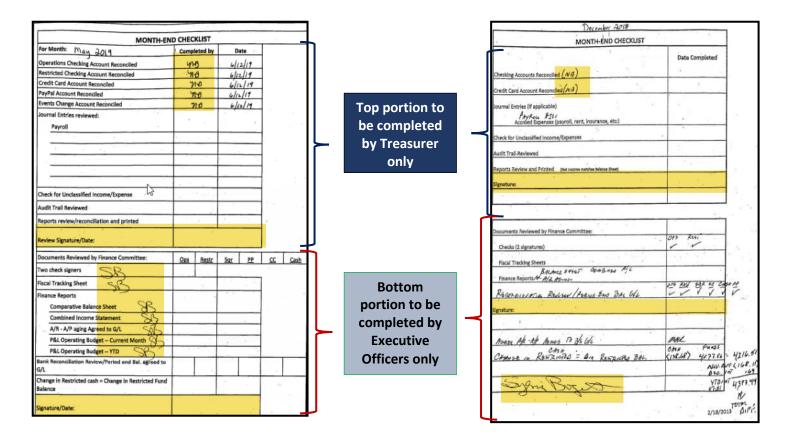
There was evidence that the primary critical control to ensure that the financials were properly accounted for and reported to the Board was not being followed. The *Procedure 6* in the *Financial Policy's Appendix A* identified that the Treasurer shall reconcile the bank statements in the accounting software as required; however there were violations of this procedure when the bookkeeper would reconcile the bank accounts for the Treasurer.



According to SWNI's Financial Policy, there was a monthly review conducted on a *Month-End Checklist* ("Checklist") to document the monthly review of financials, including the accounting software and bank statements, which was to be used by the Finance Committee Treasurer and Executive Officers. The Checklists completed from January 2013 to May 2019 were observed to be not consistent or fully completed, and were missing vital information to determine if the Treasurer and Executive Officers actually properly accounted for SWNI finances. Of the 75 Checklists reviewed, 73 of the Checklists were not filled out completely; this is a 97% error rate, which is evidence that SWNI is not compliant with financial control. Some of the observations included:

- Missing initials/signature of the Executive Officers
- Missing initials/signature of the Treasurer
- Checklist only initialed/signed by the Bookkeeper
- Checklist only initialed/signed by Executive Director
- Checklists were entirely missing and were not available for review
- Checklists were merged were two months of financials were reviewed on one checklist



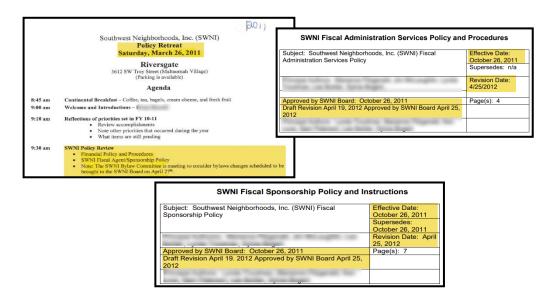


As seen from the two example Checklists, SWNI did not follow the procedures when completing the Checklists, which was an indication that there may not be reasonable assurance that money was properly accounted for and disclosed to Board members. In these two examples, the Bookkeeper initialed the Treasurer's section and the Executive Director initial and signed the Executive Officers section of the Checklists. It was problematic that the Bookkeeper and Executive Director signed these Checklists as they essentially quality controlled their own work, demonstrating there were no segregation of duties. It appeared that there was inconsistent, limited, or no Board oversight during these months and other months where there were observed problems with the Checklist. This procedure and the Checklist was the most critical control to ensure SWNI financials were accurate so the board could rely on reporting that was generated by SWNI staff.



Fiscal Policies

Another control over financials was the Fiscal Policies, which appeared to also have been reviewed by the Board during the March 2011 retreat. The Fiscal Policies were first put in place on October 26, 2011, which was one-year after the theft by embezzlement was reported to police in October 2010. SWNI appeared to have last revised the Fiscal Policies as of April 2012. It is concerning that these policies have not been updated over an eight-year period.



Additional Policies Affecting Financials

There were also other policies documented that affected financials that included the *Policy on Public Information Involvement Contracts* ("Contract Policy") that put in place at least November 19, 2008, and does not appear to have been updated in 12-years, the *Document Management Policy* ("Document Policy") that seemed to be put in place on March 1, 2011, and *Personnel Policy* ("Personnel Policy") that looked to have been established at least by June 2008. The Document Policy has not been updated in over nine-years, and the Personnel Policy has not been updated in over six-years. The failure to be compliant with the approved policies, even though stale dated, resulted in internal control breakdowns and dysfunctional monitoring activities.



Summary of Identified Red Flags

During information gathering, red flags were tracked to determine the extent of problems. The summary of red flag problems <u>should not be interpreted</u> as the forensic auditor's findings. The red flags detail the problems that were raised during the information gathering, interviews, and in the examination of the documents, which appeared to be worthy of consideration for forensic analysis, testing, or investigative inquiry. The identified red flags of problems are illustrated below, in no order of importance:

\$	Summary of Identified Red Flags
Problem Area	Summary of Risks, Allegations, Grievances and Complaints
Culture problem/ inequitable treatment	 No turnover of executive staff after criminal embezzlement case while they were in charge Culture habitually/pathologically toxic Racial and social inequity and white privilege/supremacy Overt/covert suppression/oppression of minority voices and concerns Unwelcoming of minorities Marginalizing individuals Bullying/harassment Bias Personality conflicts Belittling Brushing off topics/ dismissing/ silencing Refusal/withdrawal to hold diversity training Racist planning of land use Manipulation and pressure coming from people in power and that have influence Board members rotate positions, retain power, can serve many terms Aggressive posturing Pressuring/dissuading/intimidating whistleblowers
Not fulfilling mission/ purpose /function	 Non-adherence with Civic Life (ONI) Standards Non-compliance with By-laws/Policies/other Board adopted governing documents Dysfunctional/ineffective functionality of policies and procedures Limited support or engagement with BIPOC or other minorities or small businesses in need



	Not aligned with City goals and objectives for community funding
	Paycheck Protection Program/COVID relief was cycled away from
	the needs of the community/may have not needed COVID disruption
	funding
	 Community members requesting assistance receiving no support or resources
Lack of accountability/	Not honoring contractual obligations
oversight/ controls	 No internal probe or investigation performed for
S	allegations/problems/concerns that were raised repeatedly
	• Failure to disclose final accounting and details of the fraud incident to the entire Board or Civic Life (ONI)
	 Voting inaccuracies/ voting may have been by a non-voting member
	Obstruction of Board oversight and accountability duties
	Lack of clearly defined metrics and goals and tracking
	 Abuse of authority and intimidation by Officers and others with
	influence and powers
	• No financial statement audits / no financial statement reviews by an
	accounting firm
Lack of transparency/	Denial of records/delay and impeding records requested by parties
records/ retention	with seemingly legitimate authority to obtain records
10001001 10001112011	Unreasonable cost to access/provide records
	Non-compliance with record retention policy/document
	management policy
	• Excuses and mistruths why records cannot be produced timely
	• Not retaining financial documentation/possibly destroyed records
	• Inaccurate and untimely meeting minutes/failed to correct minute
	inaccuracies
	• Intentional omission of discussion, points of order, motions and
	decisions from meeting minutes
	Not capturing Executive Session minutes
	Forced muting during online meetings
	Not allowed to speak during meetings
	Lack of advanced notice to meetings
	Not adhering to posted agendas
	Disregard for open meetings
	Sources of funding for organizational reserves/restricted account
	One person with access to the financial system



Financial irregularities/ suspicious financial activity

- Bounced paychecks
- Paycheck Protection Program received during period where there was already public funding/expenses budgeted/available for payroll
- Paycheck Protection Program application with incorrect financial information/filled out with personal information
- Paycheck Protection Program employees were reassigned/didn't qualify for loan or debt forgiveness
- Paycheck Protection Program grant commitments made to the community that were/are unfulfilled
- Forced/pressured to make a Board decision for Paycheck Protection Program/improper time for review and consideration/rushed decision
- Failed motion to return Paycheck Protection Program money if unused
- Conflicting information about a budget shortfall/sufficient cash on hand
- Undisclosed credit cards and loans
- Claims there have been a series of embezzlements
- Obfuscation of source of funds or reason for spending
- Under-recording or misrepresentation of revenue/donations
- Waste of the funding on activities that are not relevant to the organization mission/purpose
- Board Officers conflicts of interest/financial conflicts/business conflicts
- Board Members mixing organizational and personal interests
- Board Officers too heavily reliant on past Officers knowledge/know-how/experience
- Failure to properly account for restitution paid as a result of the past fraud incident
- Failure to return any portion of restitution paid to public funding sources
- Failure to recognize expenses invoiced for public funding would have been wrongly inflated due to the past fraud incident
- Pre-paid postage fund used as a slush fund



VI. Approach

Forensic Audit Team

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Referred to in this report collectively as: "Forensic Auditors," "Auditors," "Examiners"

Procedure

The forensic audit was conducted in four phases performed consecutively and simultaneously:

- 1. Planning and Information Gathering
- 2. Internal Controls Assessment and Red Flags
- 3. Financial Analysis and Forensic Testing (reference Standards section)
- 4. Evaluate Results and Report of Findings

Planning

Forensic auditors performed a pre-audit planning session to identify inherent risks for community and neighborhood non-profits and district coalitions receiving public funding. Additionally, pre-audit planning included a cursory review of the information found on the swni.org website.

Information Gathering

Information gathering occurred throughout the scope period (*reference* Scope) with extensive and targeted information requested.

Forensic audit findings were derived from the information that was gathered during the examination, which was collected from SWNI, Civic Life, the community, and publicly available sources. The information consisted of records, files, documents, emails, and other data gathered during the forensic audit, along with information garnered from interviews of current and former SWNI employees, Board Members, and community members that have engaged with SWNI.

There were two formal Information Requests submitted to SWNI and one formal Follow-up Inquiry, in addition to the records provided by other individuals. A summary of the information gathered includes, but was not limited to:



- Collected and received over 3,553 documents and information packets totaling over 21 GB of data.
- Revenue and sources of income, including grant applications and contracts, donations and contributions, receipt book, and Deposit Fiscal Tracking Sheets with images of bank deposits
- Financial records, financial system, financial accounts and checks
 - 2011-2020 Yearly Financial summary packets for QuickBooks ("financial system")
 reconciliation reports and supporting data for the calendar year.
 - Umpqua Bank Credit Card statements, receipts/invoices and financial system reconciliations
 - Checking account statements from Key Bank and Umpqua Bank for both the Operational and Restricted accounts, with images of deposits, checks, invoices, Fiscal Tracking Sheets, and financial system reconciliation summary
 - PayPal and Umpqua Square statements and transaction history, and financial system reconciliation summary
 - Petty Cash receipt book and financial system reconciliation summary
 - o Financial system export reports for the following class funds:
 - Sales Receipts Transactions
 - Sales Orders Transactions
 - Refunds Transactions
 - Received Payments Transactions
 - Item List Transactions
 - Invoice Transactions
 - Customer List Transactions
 - Credit Memos Transactions
 - Credit Card Activities Transactions
 - Checks Transactions
 - Bills Transactions
 - Bill Payments Transactions
 - Vendor List
 - Sales by Customer Details
 - Copies of voided checks
 - Donor letters for amounts contributed to neighborhood association, business association, and SWNI Board contributions.
 - o Grant invoiced expenses and reimbursements, supplies invoices, and change orders
 - Financial Review logs
 - Balance Sheet Previous Year Comparison reports
- Umpqua and KeyBank checking accounts Umpqua credit card signatory authorities
- Vendor contracts and agreements, including bids, estimates over \$1,000, invoices and payments
- Community event records, advertisements, and performance reports



- Payroll Protection Program ("PPP") application for funds, loan forgiveness, and supporting documentation
- Storage Agreement and content list
- Governance records, including signed Whistleblower and Retaliation forms and Conflicts of Interest
 acknowledgement forms, list of previous grievances and investigations, and list of current and
 former Treasurers and Bookkeepers
- IRS Tax Returns and the 2011 IRS Audit information
- Employee payroll records and stipend payments, mileage reimbursement records
- Civic Life grant contracts, filed quarterly reports, financial statement itemized reimbursed expenses,
 Budget and Actual reports, and funding requests
- SWNI's website <u>www.swni.org</u>
 - Board and committee meeting minutes and video (digital) recordings, and supporting meeting materials, such as financial reports, Officer and Committee reports
 - Articles of Incorporation
 - Equity Best Practices and Racial Equity Policy
 - Bylaws
 - Fiscal Administration Policy
 - Financial Management Policy
 - Personnel Policy
 - Document Retention Policy
 - Standing Committee Rules, Standing Committee Roles and Responsibilities
 - Staff Roles and Responsibilities
 - Operating Budgets
 - o IRS 990 filings
 - Newsletters
- Other Board meeting materials, agendas, notes, and self-evaluation forms
- Restitution and repayment records and agreement, and insurance claim and declarations
- Written statement explanation from SWNI Executive Director regarding declarations recorded in police case #10-84189
- Publicly available records, including the Portland Police Bureau Special Report for case #10-84189,
 court records from PACER and OCJIN, and background information from TRACERS
- Statements and other records provided from the community that included emails, documented timelines, and other collected materials to support concerns, grievances, and allegations
- Interviews with individuals that had firsthand knowledge and experience with SWNI
 - 25 hours of interviews were performed



VII. Deliverables

Civic Life will receive one external device containing this Forensic Audit Findings Report, digital video, and evidence scanned onsite at the Office of Civic Life at 4747 E. Burnside, Portland, Oregon 97215.

Thank you,

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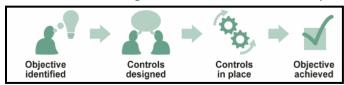
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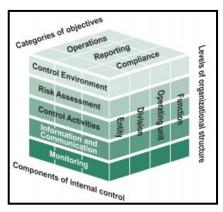


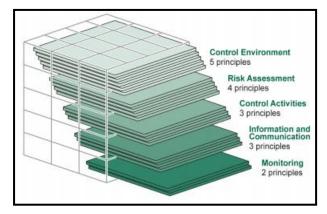
VII. Appendix

Internal Controls Integrated Framework

Below is a visual diagram of the Framework components and principles for internal controls:







Control Environment

- The oversight body and management should demonstrate a commitment to integrity and ethical values.
- The oversight body should oversee the entity's internal control system.
- Management should establish an organizational structure, assign responsibility, and delegate authority to achieve the entity's objectives.
- Management should demonstrate a commitment to recruit, develop, and retain competent individuals.
- Management should evaluate performance and hold individuals accountable for their internal control responsibilities.

Risk Assessment

- Management should define objectives clearly to enable the identification of risks and define risk tolerances.
- Management should identify, analyze, and respond to risks related to achieving the defined objectives.
- Management should consider the potential for fraud when identifying, analyzing, and responding to risks.
- Management should identify, analyze, and respond to significant changes that could impact the internal control system.

Control Activities

- Management should design control activities to achieve objectives and respond to risks.
- 11. Management should design the entity's information system and related control activities to achieve objectives and respond to risks
- Management should implement control activities through policies.

Information and Communication

- Management should use quality information to achieve the entity's objectives.
- Management should internally communicate the necessary quality information to achieve the entity's objectives.
- 15. Management should externally communicate the necessary quality information to achieve the entity's objectives.

Monitoring

- 16. Management should establish and operate monitoring activities to monitor the internal control system and evaluate the results.
- Management should remediate identified internal control deficiencies on a timely basis.



First Information Requested from SWNI – September 18, 2020

	Revenue/Incomes
1	Information about all SWNI incomes sources besides City of Portland Office of Civic Life, including donations, fundraising, grants, sales, and any other income sources. Please
	disclose the following –
	 Any income sources not reported on the IRS 990 Acknowledgement of donations and contributions (cash, check, item or service)
	 Acknowledgement of donations and contributions (cash, check, item or service) Grant application, spending reports and supporting information
2	Provide Deposit Fiscal Tracking Sheet, bank deposit receipts, deposit slips, copies of checks deposited, and the Receipt Book.
	Financial Records - Bank/Financial Accounts and Checks
3	Provide a chart of accounts and any special accounting codes for the financial system.
4	QuickBooks and any other Financial System export of all financial accounts and all transactions in an Excel or CSV file.
5	Provide a list of all bank accounts and their purposes.
6	Bank statements including cleared check images.
7	Provide investment account statements.
8	Umpqua Bank credit card statements.
9	American Express statements.
10	Other credit card statements.
11	Provide money transmission account statements such as virtual currency or exchange like PayPal, Square, Venmo, Zelle, Cash App, Bitcoin, Virtual Wallet or other platform.
12	Voided deposits or checks, or reversals of transactions, along with any explanation that was documented or supporting information.
13	Provide information about the Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) application, loan award, including PPP spending reports and supporting information for PPP spending
14	Information about any loans, trade lines and credit cards used to pay SWNI expenses, creditors or debts. Please disclose the following –
	Lender name
	Amount of loan
	Date loan originated
	Date loan matures
	Interest rate
	Statements of charges and payment history
	Personal or business loan
	Personal or business trade line/credit card account



15	Provide Electronic Banking Fiscal Tracking Sheets for online bill payments and fund											
	transfers.											
16	Provide Merchant Accounts/On-Line Contributions notifications and Fiscal Tracking Sheets.											
17	Provide financial ledgers for all accounts and transactions that may be occurring outside of											
17	the financial system.											
18	Provide any supporting information that evidences approvals and justification of											
10	contingency fund or other sundry like expenses.											
	Signature Log and names of all current and former bank account signers, debit card											
19	holders, and credit card holders and users, including dates of when added or removed and											
	Debit/Credit Card Member Agreements.											
20	Petty cash report and supporting information.											
	Vendors											
21	Provide a master vendor list including vendor names and addresses.											
22	Provide bids and evaluation forms for items and services costing in excess of \$1,000.											
23	Provide copies of contracts and change orders.											
24	Provide copies of storage locker agreement and contents.											
	Governance											
	"Annual Questionnaires" for Conflicts of Interest and Executive Compensation Policy											
25	Disclose and Acknowledgement Statement for all SWNI Officers, Directors, Committee											
	Chairs and Employees (signed).											
26	Conflicts of Interest Acknowledgement Forms since adoption (signed).											
27	Whistleblower and Retaliation Acknowledgement Forms since adoption (signed).											
28	Standards of Conduct and Ethics Acknowledgement Forms since adoption (signed).											
29	Provide information about any grievances or allegations of misconduct, fraud, theft or											
23	unethical activity by any person part of the SWNI organization											
30	Provide the names of current and former SWNI Treasurers, including interim Treasurers if											
	there were any. Taxes and Financial Statements											
24	Provide the 2019 IRS tax return.											
31												
32	Provide the audited financial statements, report and accompanying supplemental.											
	Payroll Payroll											
33	Provide payroll, stipend, advance, and bonuses for all people that have been paid.											
	Financial Management											
34	Provide Executive Director notifications to the Treasurer or President upon the discovery of											
	variances in the overall approved budget.											
0.5	Provide Fiscal Tracking Sheets for all check disbursements and purchases, including											
35	advanced authorizations, accompanying invoices, bills, and other supporting information											
	regarding the request for a check or purchase.											



36	Provide expense reimbursement reports, advanced authorization, receipts and other supporting information accompanying the expense or travel that was reimbursed.
37	Provide declarations for insurance against theft and claims made that were paid or denied for theft or other fraud or financial loss.
38	Provide information about restitution and repayment of theft and/or fraud incidents.
39	Provide a list of fixed assets, including vehicles, equipment and technology.
40	Provide the names of current and former bookkeepers internal and external to SWNI.
41	Provide information about the periodic review of check files and financial transactions.



Second Information Requested from SWNI- October 22, 2020

	Requested Information – Round 2
1	Accounting firm quote, proposal or bid for professional services on the 990 Tax Return
2	November 2011 and December 2011: Balance sheet, previous year-end comparison report, and Restricted Funds Tracking sheet
3	Bank Statement packet for July, August and September 2020 (including bank statement, reconciliation, fiscal/disbursement tracking sheets, and supporting records for deposits and expenses)
4	2020-2021 West Multnomah Soil and Water Conservation (WMSWCD) contract
5	Detailed financial report that itemizes SWNI expenses that were invoiced to the City of Portland for fiscal years 2011 to current date 2020 incidents.
	Written explanation about the origination and uses for SWNI's float of restricted funds (approx. ~\$10,000) from 2010 to 2020. Also provide documentation of
6	 Research that was conducted by SWNI to determine the source of funding for the float of the restricted financial balances Supporting documentation for the expenses/when the float was leveraged as a buffer for restricted financial balances Supporting documentation of any approvals for the use or disbursement of float funds



PPP Transactions Corresponding to Debt Forgiveness Application (Page 1 of 2)

II PM				t Neighborhoods, Inc. (SWNI)			
31/20			PPP Trans	saction Detail By Account			
crual Basis			M	lay through August 2020			
Type	Date	Num	Name	Memo	Class	Amount	Balance
		Num	Maine	manto	Ciass	Allouit	Balanco
Umpqua PPP Fees & Ch General Journal	08/30/2020	20-06-13	City of Portland, Oregon	Adjust May Rent from SWNI to PPP	PPP 20-21	536.73	536.73
General Journal	08/30/2020	20-06-13	City of Portland, Oregon	Adjust June Rent from SWNI to PPP	PPP 20-21	924.36	1,461.09
General Journal	08/30/2020	20-06-13	City of Portland, Oregon	Adjust May Copier from SWNI to PPP	PPP 20-21	233.94	1,695.03
General Journal	08/30/2020	20-06-13	City of Portland, Oregon	Adjust June Copier from SWNI to PPP	PPP 20-21	410.96	2,105.99
General Journal	08/30/2020	20-06-13	City of Porlland, Oregon	Adjust July Copier from SWNI to PPP	PPP 20-21	410.96	2,516.95
Total Umpqua PPP Fees	& Charges					2,516.95	2,518.95 L.n
Equipment Rental/Lease							
Bill	07/24/2020	35850068	CIT	Ricoh Copier, August 2020, Inv. #35950068	PPP 20-21	410.98	410.96
Total Equipment Rental/L	ouse					410.96	410.98 (17)
Payroll - Benefits	0710410000	1041040	Valent Coundation Health Street	August 2022 Month January Departure (2)	PPP 20-21	1,062.00	1,082.00
BIII	07/24/2020	1241342	Kaiser Foundation Health Plan Kaiser Foundation Health Plan	August 2020 Health Insurance Premium (2) August 2020 Health Insurance Premium (1)	PPP 20-21	531.00	1,593.00
Total Payroll - Benefits		1771777				1,593.00	1,593.00 Line
Payroll - Gross Wages							Line
General Journal	07/15/2020	20-07-03		SWNI Payroll 7/1 to 7/15/2020	PPP 20-21	8,991.67	8,991.67
General Journal	07/15/2020	20-07-03		BES Payroll 7/1 to 7/15/2020	PPP 20-21	2,086,75	11,058.42
General Journal	07/15/2020	20-07-03		WRC Payroll - 7/1 to 7/15/2020	PPP 20-21	540.00	11,598.42
General Journal	07/15/2020	20-07-03		Def Comp SWNI 7/1 to 7/15/2020	PPP 20-21	151,99	11,750.41
General Journal	07/15/2020	20-07-03		Def Comp BES - 7/1 to 7/15/2020	PPP 20-21	100.00	11,850.41
General Journal	07/31/2020	20-07-09		SWNI Payroll - 7/18 to 7/31/2020	PPP 20-21	9,443,69	21,294.10
General Journal	07/31/2020	20-07-09		BES Payroll 7/16 to 7/31/2020	PPP 20-21	2,088,75	23,380.85
General Journal	07/31/2020	20-07-09		WRC Payroli - 7/16 to 7/31/2020	PPP 20-21	540.00	23,900.85
General Journal	07/31/2020	20-07-09		Def Comp SWNI 7/16 to 7/31/2020	PPP 20-21	161.26	24,082.11
General Journal	07/31/2020	20-07-09		Def Comp BES - 7/16 to 7/31/2020	PPP 20-21	100.00	24,162.11
General Journal	08/15/2020	20-08-03		SWNI Payroll 8/1 to 8/15/2020	PPP 20-21	8,313,98	32,478.09
General Journal	08/15/2020	20-08-03		BES Payroll 8/1 to 8/15/2020	PPP 20-21	1,826.00	34,302.09
General Journal	08/15/2020	20-08-03		WRC Payroli - 8/1 to 8/15/2020	PPP 20-21	1,309.50	35,611.59
General Journal	08/15/2020	20-08-03		Def Comp SWNI 8/1 to 8/15/2020	PPP 20-21	142.72	35,754.31
General Journal	08/15/2020	20-08-03		Def Comp BES - 8/1 to 8/15/2020	PPP 20-21	100.00	35,854.31
General Journal	08/31/2020	20-08-04		SWNI Payroll 8/16 to 8/31/2020	PPP 20-21	10,184.20	46,038.51
General Journal	08/31/2020	20-08-04		BES Payroll - 8/16 to 8/31/2020	PPP 20-21	4,375.81	50,414.32
General Journal	08/31/2020	20-08-04		WRC Payroll - 8/16 to 8/31/2020	PPP 20-21	2,160.00	52,574.32
General Journal	08/31/2020	20-08-04		Def Comp SWNI 8/16 to 8/31/2020	PPP 20-21	151.99	52,728.31
General Journal General Journal	08/31/2020 08/31/2020	20-08-04 20-08-07		Def Comp BES 8/16 to 8/31/2020 SWNI Payroll 8/16 to 8/31/2020 (Vacation buyout)	PPP 20-21 PPP 20-21	100.00 4,392.70	52,828.31 57,219.01
Total Payroll - Gross Wag		20.00-01		SWINI Payloit - 0/10 to 0/3/1/2020 (Valcated) buyout)	PPP 20-21	57,219.01	57,219.01
Payroll - Retirement						31,413.31	
General Journal	08/31/2020	20-08-07		July-August Payroll Employer Contribution	PPP 20-21	249.15	249.15
General Journal	08/31/2020	20-08-07		July-August Payroli Employer Contribution	PPP 20-21	160.24	409.39
General Journal	08/31/2020	20-08-07		July-August Payroll Employer Contribution	PPP 20-21	85.98	495.37
General Journal	08/31/2020	20-08-07		July-August Payroll Employer Contribution	PPP 20-21	65.34	560.71
General Journal	08/31/2020	20-08-07		July-August Payroll Employer Contribution	PPP 20-21	26.98	537.69
General Journal	08/31/2020	20-08-07		July-August Payroll Employer Contribution	PPP 20-21	163.20	750.89
General Journal	08/31/2020	20-08-07		July-August Payroll Employer Contribution	PPP 20-21	214.72	985.61
General Journal	08/31/2020	20-08-07		July-August Payroll Employer Contribution	PPP 20-21	90.99	1,058.60
General Journal	08/31/2020	20-08-07		August Vacation Buyout Payroli Employer Contribution	PPP 20-21	87.85	1,144.45
Total Payroll - Retirement						1,144.45	1,144.45 6/1



PPP Transactions Corresponding to Debt Forgiveness Application (Page 2 or 2)

Payed Tax Expense Sum Sum Name N	9/31/20 corval Basis				nsaction Detail By Account May through August 2020				
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Grant Contract Actuals Year over Year Comparison

ONI/Civic Life Contract Actuals → Fund Account ↓	Actua	als 2013-2014	Actuals 2014-2015	Accual	ls 2015-2016	% Change from 14/15 to 15/16	Actua	als 2016-2017	% Change from 15/16 to 16/17	Actuals 2017-2018	% Change from 16/17 to 17/18	Acti	uals 2018-2019	% Change from 17/18 to 18/19	Actual	s 2019-2020	% Change from 18/19 to 19/20
Gross Wages	\$	169,156.70	\$ 173,218.63	\$	192,327.57	11.032%	\$	194,689.23	1.228%	\$ 206,888.87	6.266%	\$	209,874.38	1.443%	\$	212,897.90	1.441%
Payroll Tax Expenses	\$	15,777.29	\$ 16,436.23	\$	19,090.92	16.151%	\$	20,502.18	7.392%	\$ 18,646.59	-9.051%	\$	19,497.53	4.564%	\$	20,405.08	4.655%
Benefits	\$	6,241.96	\$ 6,279.18	\$	6,500.46	3.524%	\$	11,802.69	81.567%	\$ 13,183.16	11.696%	\$	12,177.06	-7.632%	\$	12,532.02	2.915%
Retirement	\$	3,398.43	\$ 3,479.12	\$	3,841.44	10.414%	\$	3,839.59	-0.048%	\$ 4,137.63	7.762%	\$	4,197.59	1.449%	\$	4,258.15	1.443%
Total Employees	5	194,574.38	\$ 199,413.16	5	221,760.39	11.206%	5	230,833.69	4.091%	\$ 242,856.25	5.208%	5	245,746.56	1.190%	5	250,093.15	1.769%
Bank Service Charge			\$ 167.22			-100.000%											
Education/Training																	
Electronic Communication	\$	2,159.56	\$ 2,109.12	\$	1,955.58	-7.280%	\$	862.35	-55.903%	\$ 988.80	14.663%	\$	770.75	-22.052%	\$	296.27	-61.561%
Ins. D&O, Liab, Theft, Vol	\$	9,901.00	\$ 11,564.00	\$	10,305.00	-10.887%	\$	10,287.00	-0.175%	\$ 10,517.00	2.236%	\$	10,742.00	2.139%	\$	10,538.51	-1.894%
Ins. Worker's Comp	\$	572.59	\$ 309.34	\$	369.02	19.293%	\$	419.03	13.552%	\$ 408.31	-2.558%	\$	429.54	5.199%	\$	479.67	11.671%
Payroll Services	\$	1,259.60	\$ 1,420.74	\$	1,577.98	11.067%	\$	1,656.54	4.979%	\$ 1,750.04	5.644%	\$	1,720.34	-1.697%	\$	1,653.54	-3.883%
Postage & Delivery	\$	30,614.02	\$ 28,551.28	\$	2,825.09	-90.105%	\$	4,255.22	50.622%	\$ 7,047.00	65.608%	\$	3,448.01	-51.071%	\$	2,717.24	-21.194%
Printing - Neighborhood	\$	3,897.98	\$ 3,127.41	\$	4,996.87	59.777%			-100.000%								
Printing - Newspaper	\$	24,359.87	\$ 24,744.23	\$	27,472.86	11.027%	\$	28,158.85	2.497%	\$ 29,288.56	4.012%	\$	29,038.62	-0.853%	\$	28,026.61	-3.485%
Prof Fees - Other	\$	800.00	\$ 2,043.00	\$	4,667.00	128.439%	\$	5,118.00	9.664%		-100.000%						
Rent				\$	2,527.50	100.000%	\$	1,742.24	-31.069%	\$ 3,009.50	72.737%	\$	1,945.76	-35.346%			
Small Equipment/Software							\$	1,130.92	100.000%		-100.000%						
SWNI Equipment Storage							\$	1,812.00	100.000%	\$ 2,007.00	10.762%	\$	2,142.00	6.726%	\$	2,268.00	5.882%
Subscriptions/Memberships			\$ 355.00	\$	325.00	-8.451%	\$	261.69	-19.480%		-100.000%						
Supplies				\$	2,380.71	100.000%	\$	1,733.52	-27.185%		-100.000%						
Telephone			\$ 1,270.18			-100.000%	\$	1,313.95	100.000%	\$ 1,282.54	-2.391%	\$	1,430.42	11.530%	\$	1,341.01	-6.251%
Travel			\$ 36.32			-100.000%	\$	13.00	100.000%		-100.000%						
Total Materials & Svcs.	5	73,564.62	\$ 75,697.84	5	59,402.61	-21.527%	5	58,764.31	-1.075%	\$ 56,298.75	-4.196%	5	51,667.44	-8.226%	5	47,320.85	-8.413%
TotalMain Grant	\$	268,139.00	\$ 275,111.00	\$	281,163.00	2.200%	\$	289,598.00	3.000%	\$ 299,155.00	3.300%	\$	297,414.00	-0.582%	\$	297,414.00	0.000%
ONI/Civic Life Grant Amount (from																	
Budget)	\$	268,139.00	\$ 285,787.00	\$	291,839.00	2.118%	\$	300,594.00	3.000%	\$ 310,514.00	3.300%	\$	297,414.00	-4.219%	\$	297,414.00	0.000%



Association Restricted Funds Chart Month over Month Comparison

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RS Fund	Date	30-Jun-19	31-Jul-19	Difference	30-Aug-19	Difference	10-3eb-13	Difference 31-Oct-19	Difference 30-		fference stand Nov	31-Dec-19	Difference 31-Jan-	Difference Dec and Jan	28-Feb-20	Ditterenc	31-Mar-20	Difference 30-Apr-	20 Difference Mar and Apr	31-May-20	Difference		Difference May and Jun
RS-Restricted Inter	est		\$ 100.65	100.65				0.65 \$ 102.70	\$ 0.74 \$	103.41 \$	0.71 \$	104.15			\$ 105.65	\$ 1.50	\$ 106.42		22 \$ 0.80	\$ 108.04		\$ 108.83	
RS-Board			\$ 10,377.57	10377.57	\$ 10,377.57	\$	10,377.57	\$ 10,377.57	\$	10,377.57	\$	10,377.57	#######		\$ 10,377.57		\$ 10,377.57	\$ 10,377.	57	\$ 10,377.57		\$ 10,377.57	
RS-ACNA Commun	ity Events	\$ 2,105.85	\$ 1,905.85	\$ (200.00)	\$ 2,782.98	877.13 \$	2,882.98 \$	100.00 \$ 2,882.98	\$	2,882.98	\$	2,882.98	\$2,882.98		\$ 2,903.28	\$ 20.30	\$ 2,903.28	\$ 2,903.	28	\$ 2,903.28		\$ 2,903.28	
RS-ANA General		\$ 1,403.12	\$ 1,403.12	:	\$ 1,426.12	23.00 \$	1,426.12	\$ 1,426.12	\$	1,426.12	\$	1,439.12	\$ 13.00 \$ 1,450.12	\$ 11.00	\$ 1,450.12		\$ 1,471.12	\$ 21.00 \$ 1,471	12	\$ 1,471.12		\$ 1,471.12	
RS-ANA Community	y Bldg. & Safety	\$ 861.44	\$ 1,598.89	\$ 737.45	\$ 1,368.10	(230.79) \$	1,476.00 \$	107.90 \$ 1,691.00	\$ 215.00 \$	1,797.98 \$	106.98 \$	2,780.08	\$ 982.10 \$2,928.00	\$ 147.92	\$ 2,978.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 2,978.00	\$ 3,028.	00 \$ 50.00	\$ 986.46	\$ (2,041.54)	\$ 986.46	
RS-ANA AshCrest 0	CEP	\$ 1,778.26	\$ 1,778.26	:	\$ 1,778.26	\$	1,778.26	\$ 1,778.26	\$	1,778.26	\$	1,778.26	\$ 1,778.26		\$ 1,778.26		\$ 1,778.26	\$ 1,778.	26	\$ 1,778.26		\$ 1,778.26	
RS-SWNI Patty Lee	Project	\$ 3,177.16	\$ 3,177.16		\$ 3,177.16	\$	3,177.16	\$ 3,177.16	\$	3,177.16	\$	3,227.16	\$ 50.00 \$3,227.16		\$ 3,227.16		\$ 3,227.16	\$ 3,227	16	\$ 3,227.16		\$ 3,227.16	
RS-BNA Community	y Events	\$ 3,167.93	\$ 2,347.93	\$ (820.00)	\$ 2,170.04	\$ (177.89) \$	2,170.04	\$ 2,170.04	\$	2,170.04	\$	2,170.04	\$ 2,170.04		\$ 2,170.04		\$ 2,195.04	\$ 25.00 \$ 2,195.	D4	\$ 2,195.04		\$ 2,195.04	
RS-CNA Community	y Events	\$ 0.45	\$ 0.45	:	\$ 40.45	\$ 40.00 \$	40.45	\$ 40.45	\$	40.45	\$	40.45	\$ 40.45		\$ 40.45		\$ 40.45	\$ 40.	45	\$ 40.45		\$ 40.45	
RS-CNA Dickinson	Park Playgrnd	\$ 7,377.37	\$ 7,377.37	:	\$ 7,377.37	\$	7,377.37	\$ 7,377.37	\$	7,377.37	\$	7,377.37	\$7,377.37		\$ 7,377.37		\$ 7,377.37	\$ 7,377.	37	\$ 7,377.37		\$ 7,377.37	
RS-CNA Friends of	Woods Park	\$ 9,154.94	\$ 9,154.94	:	\$ 9,154.94	\$	9,154.94	\$ 9,154.94	\$	9,154.94	\$	10,654.94	1,500.00 #######	1	\$ 10,654.94		\$ 10,654.94	\$ 10,654.	34	\$ 10,654.94		\$ 10,654.94	
RS-Taylor Woods		\$ 4,700.00		:	\$ 4,700.00	\$	4,700.00	\$ 4,700.00		4,700.00	\$		\$4,700.00		\$ 4,700.00		\$ 4,700.00	\$ 4,700.		\$ 4,700.00		\$ 4,700.00	
RS-CVNA General		\$ 915.95	\$ 915.95	:	\$ 989.44	73.49 \$	550.44 \$	(439.00) \$ 263.20	\$ (287.24) \$	263.20	\$	332.68	\$ 69.48 \$ 202.68	\$ (130.00)	\$ 262.78	\$ 60.10	\$ 262.78	\$ 262.	78	\$ 262.78		\$ 321.90	\$ 59.12
RS-CVNA Nature &																	\$ 118.96	\$ 118.96 \$ 118.		\$ 118.96		\$ 118.96	
RS-FSNA General		\$ 339.61			\$ 339.61	\$	339.61	\$ 339.61	\$		\$		\$ 339.61		\$ 339.61		\$ 339.61	\$ 339		\$ 339.61		\$ 339.61	
RS-HANA General		\$ 397.74		\$ 100.00						10,437.74	\$		######	ŧ	\$ 10,437.74		\$ 10,437.74	\$ 10,437.		\$ 10,437.74		\$ 10,437.74	
RS-HANA Sign Top		\$ 1,204.92			\$ 1,254.92	\$ 50.00	1,254.92	\$ 1,254.92	\$	1,254.92	\$	1,279.07	\$ 24.15 \$ 633.74	\$ (645.33)	\$ 633.74		\$ 633.74	\$ 633.	74	\$ 633.74		\$ 633.74	
RS-HONA General		\$ 730.86		\$ (182.50)	\$ 548.36	\$	548.36	\$ 866.36	\$ 318.00 \$	589.26 \$	(277.10) \$	686.76	\$ 97.50 \$ 686.76		\$ 686.76		\$ 686.76	\$ 686.	76	\$ 686.76		\$ 686.76	
RS-HONA Sign Cap		\$ 90.00	\$ 90.00		\$ 90.00		90.00	\$ 90.00	\$	90.00	\$	90.00	\$ 90.00		\$ 90.00		\$ 90.00	\$ 90.		\$ 90.00		\$ 90.00	
RS-MANA General		\$ 2,923.37	\$ 2,923.37	:	\$ 2,923.37	\$	2,923.37	\$ 2,923.37	\$	2,923.37	\$	2,020.01	\$2,923.37		\$ 2,923.37		\$ 2,923.37	\$ 2,923.	37	\$ 2,923.37		\$ 2,923.37	
RS-MANA Commun		\$ 1,338.59	\$ 1,348.07	\$ 9.48		6.55 \$		\$ 651.33	\$ (703.29) \$	705.48 \$	54.15 \$	330.48	\$ (375.00) \$ 330.48		\$ 330.48		\$ 330.48	\$ 330.		\$ 330.48		\$ 330.48	
RS-April Hill Park		\$ 5,469.00	,	\$ 0.95	\$ 5,557.95	\$ 88.00	5,572.96 \$	15.01 \$ 5,572.95	\$ (0.01) \$		\$	-,-,-,-	\$ 97.50 \$5,670.45		\$ 5,670.45		\$ 5,670.45	\$ 5,670.		\$ 5,670.45		\$ 5,670.45	
RS-MKNA Commun		\$ 1,053.61			\$ 953.96	(99.65) \$	953.96	\$ 953.96		953.96	\$	953.96	\$ 1,353.96	\$ 400.00	\$ 1,402.78	\$ 48.82	\$ 1,402.78	\$ 1,402.		\$ 1,428.22		\$ 1,428.22	
RS-MPNA Nat'l Nigh		\$ 346.09			\$ 195.98	\$ (150.11) \$		\$ 195.98		195.98	\$	195.98	\$ 195.98		\$ 195.98		\$ 195.98	\$ 195.		\$ 195.98		\$ 195.98	
RS-MPNA Sign Cap		\$ 736.54		\$ 146.40		\$	902.94 \$	20.00 \$ 1,024.59		1,024.59	\$	564.24	(460.35) \$ 1,444.14	\$ 879.90	\$ 1,444.14		\$ 1,444.14	\$ 1,444		\$ 1,444.14		\$ 1,444.14	
RS-MPNA Marshall					\$ 5,552.68	\$	5,552.68	\$ 5,552.68	\$	5,552.68	\$		\$5,552.68		\$ 5,552.68		\$ 5,552.68	\$ 5,552.		\$ 5,552.68		\$ 5,552.68	
RS-MUNA General		\$ 97.63	\$ 97.63		\$ 97.63	\$	97.63	\$ 97.63	\$	97.63	\$	97.63	\$ 97.63		\$ 97.63		\$ 97.63	\$ 97.		\$ 97.63		\$ 97.63	
RS-MUNA Commun		\$ 362.28	\$ 362.28		\$ 362.28	\$		\$ 362.28	\$	362.28	\$	362.28	\$ 362.28		\$ 362.28		\$ 362.28	\$ 362.		\$ 362.28		\$ 362.28	
RS-MUNA Land Us		\$ 304.23	\$ (96.89)	\$ (401.12)		\$ 257.67 \$	824.02 \$	663.24 \$ 148.17	\$ (675.85) \$	343.17 \$	195.00 \$	255.72	\$ (87.45) \$ 102.08	\$ (153.64)	\$ 147.88	\$ 45.80	\$ 147.88	\$ 5,469.	53 \$ 5,321.65	\$ 5,670.21	\$ 200.68	\$ 6,753.98	\$ 1,083.77
RS-MUNA NA Study		\$ 1,000.00			\$ 1,000.00		1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00		1,000.00			\$ (1,000.00)										
RS-Friends Spring (\$ 2,532.55			\$ 2,532.55		2,532.55	\$ 2,532.55	\$	2,532.55	\$	2,532.55	\$2,532.55		\$ 2,541.06		\$ 2,541.06	\$ 2,541.		\$ 2,541.06		\$ 2,541.06	
RS-SBNA General		\$ 647.86	\$ 747.86	\$ 100.00	. ,,	313.55 \$		(200.00) \$ 861.41	\$	893.42 \$	32.01 \$	893.42	\$ 893.42		\$ 925.84	\$ 32.42	\$ 925.84	\$ 925.		\$ 960.71		\$ 960.71	
RS-SBNA Land Us		. ,	. ,		\$ 1,286.06		1,286.06	\$ 1,286.06		1,286.06	\$		\$ 1,286.06		\$ 1,286.06		\$ 1,286.06	\$ 1,286.		\$ 1,286.06		\$ 1,286.06	
RS-SPNA Commun		\$ 950.18			\$ 950.18	\$		\$ 950.18	\$	950.18	\$	950.18	\$ 950.18		\$ 950.18		\$ 950.18	\$ 950		\$ 950.18		\$ 950.18	
RS-SWHRL Genera					\$ 1,573.80	(65.63) \$		547.50 \$ 1,221.30	\$ (900.00) \$	1,221.30	\$	2,831.03	\$ 1,609.73 \$ 2,881.03	\$ 50.00		\$ 2,300.00	\$ 4,318.48	\$ (862.55) \$ 4,338.		\$ 4,338.48		\$ 4,338.48	
RS-SWHRL Old Ord		\$ 225.00			\$ 225.00	\$		\$ 225.00	\$	225.00	\$	225.00	\$ 225.00		\$ 225.00		\$ 225.00	\$ 225.	00	\$ 225.00		\$ 225.00	
RS-SWHRL Save C		\$ 1,050.00			\$ 1,050.00		1,050.00	\$ 1,050.00		1,050.00			(1,050.00)										
RS-SWHRL Counci		\$ 559.73			\$ 559.73		559.73	\$ 559.73	\$	559.73			\$ (559.73)										
RS-SWHRL Vista-S			\$ 441.00		\$ 441.00	\$		\$ 441.00	\$	441.00	\$		\$ 441.00		\$ 441.00		\$ 441.00	\$ 441.		\$ 441.00		\$ 441.00	
RS-WPPNA Genera	al	\$ 365.71	\$ 365.71	:	\$ 403.58	\$ 37.87 \$	403.58	\$ 403.58	\$	403.58	\$	403.58	\$ 403.58		\$ 431.55	\$ 27.97	\$ 431.55	\$ 431.	55	\$ 431.55		\$ 431.55	

