The Haven, Inc.

Financial Statements and Independent Auditor's Report June 30, 2020

The Haven, Inc. Financial Statements and Independent Auditor's Report As of and for the Year Ended June 30, 2020

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Directors The Haven, Inc. Houma, Louisiana

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of The Haven, Inc. (a nonprofit organization), which comprise the statement of financial position as of June 30, 2020, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditor's Responsibility

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

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

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

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of The Haven, Inc. as of June 30, 2020, and the changes in its nets assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matter

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The Schedule of Compensation, Benefits, and Other Payments to the Executive Director on page 15 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 27, 2020, on our consideration of The Haven, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, grant agreements, and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Organization's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Martin and Kelfin

Houma, Louisiana December 27, 2020

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Haven, Inc. Statement of Financial Position June 30, 2020

ASSETS

Current assets: Cash and cash equivalents Investment Unconditional promises to give: Corporate grants Governmental grants Total current assets	\$ 180,023 65,900 25,126 167,046 438,095
Property and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation of \$294,180	546,369
Deposit	 600
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 985,064
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	
Current liabilities: Accounts payable Accrued expenses Current maturities of note payable Total current liabilities	\$ 19,902 15,697 <u>41,948</u> 77,547
Non-current liabilities: Note payable, less current maturities Total liabilities	 204,264 281,811
Net assets: Without donor restrictions With donor restrictions Total net assets	 687,251 16,002 703,253
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$ 985,064

The Haven, Inc. Statement of Activities Year Ended June 30, 2020

	Without Donor Restrictions		
REVENUES, OTHER SUPPORT, AND RECLASSIFICATION			
Grants: Governmental	\$ 668.673	\$-	¢ 669.670
		483	\$ 668,673
Corporate Contributions	98,044 97,595	32,000	130,044
Fundraising	93,870	-	97,595 93,870
In-kind contributions	46,791	-	46,791
Net assets released from restrictions	34,963	(34,963)	40,791
TOTAL REVENUES, OTHER SUPPORT,	04,000	(04,000)	
AND RECLASSIFICATION	1,039,936	(2,963)	1,036,973
FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES Program services			
Domestic violence	853,917	-	853,917
Sexual assault	177,895	-	177,895
Management and general	152,613	-	152,613
Fundraising	7,623	-	7,623
TOTAL FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES	1,192,048		1,192,048
OTHER INCREASES IN NET ASSETS	15		
Other increases in Net Assets Other income	24,903	_	24,903
Investment income	949	_	949
TOTAL OTHER INCREASES IN			
NET ASSETS	25,852		25,852
DECREASE IN NET ASSETS	(126,260)	(2,963)	(129,223)
NET ASSETS, BEGINNING OF PERIOD	813,511	18,965	832,476
NET ASSETS, END OF PERIOD	\$ 687,251	\$ 16,002	\$ 703,253

The Haven, Inc. Statement of Functional Expenses Year Ended June 30, 2020

		Program Services		Mar	nagement					
	D	omestic	5	Sexual		and				
	V	/iolence	A	ssault	(General	Fun	draising		Total
Salaries	\$	383,257	\$	97,244	\$	91,524	\$	-	\$	572,025
Client assistance		178,789	4.65	лы в кал. П	¢.		50:	20 0	53	178,789
Insurance - health		62,059		15,746		14,820		-		92,625
Professional fees		40,058		11,445		5,723		-		57,226
Payroll taxes		30,589		7,761		7,305		4		45,655
Rent		21,300		7,100		1 11		-		28,400
Food and house supplies		27,387				1 212		1 11		27,387
Insurance - commercial		18,356		5,245		2,622		Ħ		26,223
SANE examination		12,422		12,422		-				24,844
Depreciation		15,556		4,445		2,222				22,223
Insurance - W/C		13,145		3,335		3,139				19,619
Telephone		10,443		2,984		1,492		(11)))		14,919
Audit and accounting		-		-		14,853		1 11 1		14,853
Utilities		8,711		2,904		-				11,615
Retirement contributions		7,221		1,832		1,724		-		10,777
Office supplies		5,815		1,661		831		8 4 6		8,307
Fundraising		-		100		-		7,623		7,623
Interest expense		7,161		i n						7,161
Miscellaneous				1000		6,020		-		6,020
Travel and meals		2,598		866						3,464
Advertising		2,333		778		-		250		3,111
Community education		2,004		668		-		(2,672
Seminars and conferences		1,493		498		2 2				1,991
Dues and subscriptions		1,083		309		155		(*)		1,547
Repairs and maintenance		869		290		-		-		1,159
Postage		432		123		62		(<u>11</u>)		617
Bank charges		394		112		56		-		562
Printing and publications		168		43		40		-		251
Employee expenses		174		50		25		-		249
Pest Control		100		34						134
Total	\$	853,917	\$	177,895	\$	152,613	\$	7,623	\$	1,192,048

See accompanying notes.

The Haven, Inc. Statement of Cash Flows Year Ended June 30, 2020

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES: Decrease in net assets Adjustment to reconcile decrease in net assets to net cash flows used in operating activities:	\$	(129,223)
Depreciation		22,223
Decrease in operating assets: Unconditional promises to give Increase in operating liabilities:		38,191
Accounts payable		14,561
Accrued expenses		10,243
NET CASH FLOWS USED IN OPERATING ACTIVITIES	-	(44,005)
CASH FLOWS USED IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES: Purchases of investment		(646)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES: Proceeds from notes payable		129,700
Principal payments of note payable		(19,542)
NET CASH FLOWS PROVIDED BY FINANCING ACTIVITIES		110 159
FINANCING ACTIVITIES		110,158
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		65,507
BEGINNING CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		114,516
ENDING CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	\$	180,023
SUPPLEMENTAL CASH FLOW INFORMATION: Cash paid during the year for interest	\$	7,161

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. NATURE OF THE ORGANIZATION

The Haven, Inc. was organized in Louisiana as a non-profit organization for the purpose of establishing a comprehensive community-based response to sexual assault and interpersonal and family violence in Terrebonne and Lafourche Parish, Louisiana. The Organization provides crisis intervention, legal advocacy, counseling, and community education related to domestic violence and sexual assault. The Organization also provides temporary housing for women and children who are victims of domestic violence and/or sexual assault.

B. BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

C. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Cash equivalents consist of highly liquid investments with an initial maturity of three months or less. Fair value approximates carrying amounts.

D. INVESTMENTS

Investments are stated at cost, which approximates market.

E. PROMISES TO GIVE

Contributions are recognized when the donor makes a promise to give to the Organization that is, in substance, unconditional. Contributions that are restricted by the donor are reported as increases in net assets without restrictions if the restrictions expire in the fiscal year in which the contributions are recognized. All other donor-restricted contributions are reported as increases in net assets with donor restrictions depending on the nature of the restrictions. When a restriction expires, net assets with donor restrictions are reclassified to net assets without donor restrictions.

F. BAD DEBTS

The financial statements of The Haven, Inc. contain no allowance for uncollectible promises to give. Uncollectible accounts are recognized as an expense at the time information becomes available that indicates the amounts are uncollectible. While accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that bad debts be recorded utilizing the allowance method, the difference between the two methods is immaterial to the Organization, as management considers all promises to give at year end to be fully collectible.

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Cont.)

G. PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

Property and equipment of the Organization, excluding donated property and equipment, are valued at cost. All donated property and equipment are recorded at estimated fair market value on the date of the donation. Assets are capitalized if costs exceed \$200 and if they have a useful life of at least one year. Depreciation of all exhaustible property and equipment is calculated using the straight-line method over estimated useful lives ranging from 5 to 39 years and is charged as an expense against operations. Property and equipment reported on the statement of financial position are net of accumulated depreciation.

H. <u>NET ASSETS</u>

Net assets and revenues, expenses, gains, and losses are classified based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions. Accordingly, net assets of The Haven, Inc. and changes therein are classified and reported as follows:

<u>Net assets without donor restrictions</u> – Net assets not subject to donor-imposed stipulations.

<u>Net assets with donor restrictions</u> – Net assets subject to donor-imposed stipulations that may or will be met, either by actions of the Organization and/or the passage of time, and net assets subject to donor-imposed stipulations that they be maintained permanently by the Organization. When a restriction expires, net assets with donor restrictions are reclassified to net assets without donor restrictions and reported in the statement of activities as net assets released from restrictions. Generally, the donors of assets with no restriction expiration permit the Organization to use all or part of the income earned on any related investments for general or specific purposes.

I. FUNCTIONAL ALLOCATION OF EXPENSES

The costs of providing the various programs and other activities have been summarized on a functional basis in the statement of activities. Accordingly, certain costs have been allocated among the programs and supporting services benefited.

J. <u>ESTIMATES</u>

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Cont.)

K. ADVERTISING

Advertising costs are expensed as incurred. Advertising expense totaled \$3,111 for the year ended June 30, 2020.

L. RECENT PRONOUNCEMENT

In January 2016, the FASB issued ASU 2016-02, Leases (Topic 842). ASU 2016-02 requires that a lessee recognize the assets and liabilities that arise from leases classified as finance or operating. A lessee should recognize in the balance sheet a liability to make lease payments (the lease liability) and a right-to-use asset representing its right to use the underlying asset for the lease term. For leases with a term of 12 months or less, a lessee is permitted to make an accounting policy election by class of underlying asset not to recognize lease assets and lease liabilities. In transition, lessees and lessors are required to recognize and measure leases at the beginning of the earliest period presented using a modified retrospective approach. ASU 2016-02 is effective for financial statements issued for annual periods beginning after December 15, 2021. The Organization has not determined the impact ASU 2016-02 will have on its financial statements.

NOTE 2 – INCOME TAXES

The Haven, Inc. is a non-profit corporation organized under the laws of the State of Louisiana and has been recognized by the Internal Revenue Service as being exempt from income taxes under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3).

The Internal Revenue Service has further determined the Organization not to be a private foundation as within the meaning of Internal Revenue Code Section 509(a). Contributions to The Haven are deductible as provided by Section 170 of the Internal Revenue Code. The Organization is not involved in any trade or business unrelated to the purpose for which it received its exemption from income taxes.

NOTE 3 – CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

The Haven, Inc. maintains its cash in one financial institution located in Louisiana. The Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) insures accounts up to \$250,000. As of June 30, 2020, cash balances were fully insured.

Financial instruments that potentially subject the Organization to concentrations of credit risk consist principally of promises to give due from the State of Louisiana Office of the Governor, Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Criminal Justice, Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government, United Way for South Louisiana, and IOLTA. Because these receivables are passed through support from the federal or state governments or local donors, the Organization requires no collateral for these amounts.

NOTE 4 – INVESTMENT

The investment in the accompanying financial statements consists of a \$65,900 certificate of deposit. The six month certificate bears interest of 0.20% and includes a penalty for early withdrawal, which would not be material to the financial statements. The certificate matures on August 29, 2020, and every six months thereafter.

NOTE 5 – UNCONDITIONAL PROMISES TO GIVE

Unconditional promises to give consist of the following:

Corporate grants/		
United Way for South Louisiana	\$	16,002
IOLTA	-	9,124
	\$	25,126
Governmental grants/		*
Office of the Governor/Department of Social Services		49,246
Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement and		
Administration of Criminal Justice		95,055
Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government		22,745
	\$	167,046

All unconditional promises to give are due within one year and are considered to be fully collectible by management.

The amount due from United Way for South Louisiana represents the Organization's allocation for the remainder of calendar year 2020 and is restricted as to the expiration of time restrictions. All other unconditional promises to give are without donor restrictions.

NOTE 6 – PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

A summary of changes in property and equipment follows:

	Balance July 1, 2019		A	dditions	Retir	ements	Balance e 30, 2020
Buildings	\$	752,523	\$	·	\$	-	\$ 752,523
Furniture, fixtures, and equipment		88,026		-		-	88,026
		840,549				-	840,549
Less: accumulated depreciation		(271,957)	-	(22,223)		-	(294,180)
Total	\$	568,592	\$	(22,223)	\$	-	\$ 546,369

NOTE 7 – NOTES PAYABLE

The Organization owes \$116,512 on a note payable to a bank dated March 14, 2017 with an interest rate of 5.75%, secured by real estate. Monthly principal and interest payments of \$2,225 are due, with a final payment on September 14, 2025.

As part of the CARES Act passed by Congress for purposes of economic stimulus in light of implications from the COVID-19 crisis, Payroll Protection Program loans were made available to retain employees. On May 1, 2020, the Organization borrowed \$129,700 from its bank under this loan program. The loan bears interest at the rate of 1.0% and, after a ten-month deferral period and after any loan forgiveness, is payable in equal monthly installments beginning on March 1, 2021, with final payment due on September 1, 2023.

Maturities of long term debt are as follows:

\$ 41,948
108,000
44,421
24,150
25,576
 2,117
\$ 246,212
\$

The CARES Act provides for conditions under which the Organization can apply for forgiveness and, therefore, not be required to re-pay some or all of the loan proceeds. Based on information currently available regarding eligibility for loan forgiveness, management of the Organization anticipates that the entire principal amount of the loan will be forgiven.

NOTE 8 – NET ASSETS WITH DONOR RESTRICTIONS

The restrictions on net assets as of June 30, 2020 relate to United Way for South Louisiana funding for the remainder of calendar year 2020.

NOTE 9 – GOVERNMENTAL GRANTS

During the year ended June 30, 2020, the Organization recognized grant revenue from the following governmental grantors:

State of Louisiana: Office of the Governor/Department of Social Services	\$ 326,823
Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Criminal Justice	157,982
Office of Violence against Women	129,280
Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government	54,588
Total governmental grants	\$ 668,673

NOTE 10 - CORPORATE GRANTS

During the year ended June 30, 2020, the Organization recognized grant revenue from the following corporate grants:

IOLTA	\$ 45,619
United Way for South Louisiana	32,000
Bayou Community Foundation	31,000
Allstate Foundation	8,925
Houma-Terrebonne Community Development	7,500
Gray Foundation	 5,000
Total corporate grants	\$ 130,044

NOTE 11 - IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS

In-kind contributions represent the estimated fair value of general corporate goods and services provided. Contributed goods are valued at fair market value on the date of the donation. Contributed services are reflected in the financial statements at the fair value of the services received. The contributions of services are recognized if the services received (a) create or enhance nonfinancial assets or (b) require specialized skills that are provided by individuals possessing those skills that would typically need to be purchased if not provided by donation.

NOTE 11 - IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS (cont.)

The following is a summary of in-kind contributions for the year ended June 30, 2020:

		Estimated Market Value	
Client assistance		\$	33,820
Food and house supplies	ж. Ж		11,386
Office supplies	-		1,585
		\$	46,791
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The value of donated volunteer services is not reflected in the accompanying financial statements since they do not meet the recording criteria as per FASB 116. However, a substantial number of volunteers have donated significant amounts of their time in the Organization's program, administrative, and fund-raising activities.

NOTE 12 – FAIR VALUES OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Haven's financial instruments, none of which are held for trading purposes, include cash and cash equivalents, certificate of deposit, unconditional promises to give, accounts payable, and notes payable. Management estimates that the fair value of all financial instruments as of June 30, 2020 does not differ materially from the aggregate carrying values of its financial instruments recorded in the accompanying statement of financial position.

NOTE 13 – RETIREMENT PLAN

The Organization maintains a SIMPLE IRA retirement plan for the benefit of its employees. Under the plan, employees are allowed to contribute up to \$13,500 of their annual salary. Employees over 50 years of age are allowed to contribute an additional \$3,000 annually. It is available to all employees who meet certain compensation criteria (at least \$5,000 in compensation during any two proceeding calendar years and are reasonably expected to receive at least \$5,000 in compensation during the current year). Under the provisions of the plan, the Company matches 3% of a participating employee's annual salary. The Organization made matching contributions totaling \$10,777 for the year ended June 30, 2020.

NOTE 14 – LEASE COMMITMENTS

The Organization leases the office space from which it conducts its Lafourche Parish administrative functions under a month-to-month operating lease agreement. The agreement includes monthly lease payments of \$1,350. Rent expense incurred under this lease was \$16,190 for the year ended June 30, 2020.

The Organization leases the office space from which it conducts its Terrebonne Parish administrative functions under a one year operating lease agreement that expires on February 28, 2021. The agreement includes monthly payments of \$900. Rent expense incurred under this lease was \$10,800 for the year ended June 30, 2020. Minimum future rentals related to this lease equal \$7,200, all in the year ended June 30, 2021.

NOTE 15 – UNCERTAIN INCOME TAXES

The Organization's 2018 tax returns were filed appropriately. As of December 2020, the Organization had not filed its 2019 tax return as the filing due date had been extended to May 15, 2021. The Organization recognizes interest and penalties, if any, related to unrecognized tax benefits in income tax expense. The Organization's tax filings are subject to audit by various taxing authorities. The Organization's open audit period is 2016 to 2019. Management has evaluated the Organization's tax position and concluded that the Organization has taken no uncertain tax positions that require adjustment to the financial statements to comply with provisions of this guidance.

NOTE 16 – LIQUIDITY AND AVAILABILITY OF FINANCIAL ASSETS

The following reflects the Organization's financial assets as of June 30, 2020, reduced by any amounts not available for general use within one year of the statement of financial position date because of contractual or donor-imposed restrictions or internal designations.

Current Assets	\$438,095
Less those unavailable for general expenditures within one year	
Financial assets available to meet cash needs for general expenditures within one year	<u>\$438,095</u>

NOTE 17 – SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Management has evaluated subsequent event through December 27, 2020, and determined that no events occurred that required disclosure. No subsequent events occurring after this date have been evaluated for inclusion in these financial statements.

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

The Haven, Inc.

Schedule of Compensation, Benefits, and Other Payments to the Executive Director For the Year Ended June 30, 2020

Agency Head Name: Julie Pellegrin, Executive Director

Purpose	Amount	
Salary	\$	93,000
Benefits - insurance		8,610
Benefits - retirement		2,790
Deferred compensation		T.
Benefits - other		-
Car allowance/automobile expense	*	-
Vehicle provided by government		-
Per diem		-
Reimbursements		2,543
Travel		706
Registration fees		
Conference travel		-
Continuing professional education fees		-
Housing		-
Unvouchered expenses		-
Special meals		-

This form is used to satisfy the reporting requirements of R.S. 24:513(A)(3).

See independent auditor's report.

SPECIAL REPORT OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

To the Board of Directors The Haven, Inc. Houma, Louisiana

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We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of The Haven, Inc., (a nonprofit organization), which comprise the statement of financial position as of June 30, 2020, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated December 27, 2020.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered The Haven, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of The Haven, Inc.'s internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Organization's internal control.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of the internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified. We did

identify a certain deficiency in internal control, described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Responses as item 2020-001 that we consider to be a significant deficiency in internal control over financial reporting.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether The Haven Inc.'s financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

The Haven's Response to Finding

The Haven, Inc.'s response to the finding identified in our audit is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses. Such response was not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the Organization's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing* Standards in considering the Organization's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

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Houma, Louisiana December 27, 2020

OTHER INFORMATION

The Haven, Inc. Schedule of Findings and Responses As of and for the Year Ended June 30, 2020

Section I – Summary of Auditor's Results

- 1. The auditor's report expresses an unmodified opinion on the financial statements of The Haven, Inc.
- One significant internal control deficiency (see finding 2020-001) was noted during the audit of the financial statements. This significant control deficiency was not considered to be a material weakness.
- 3. No instances of noncompliance or other matters required to be reported in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* were disclosed during the audit.
- 4. No instances of noncompliance under the provisions of the Louisiana Governmental Audit Guide were noted during the audit of the financial statements.
- 5. A management letter was not issued.

Section II – Financial Statement Findings

2020-001

Statement of Condition: A significant deficiency in the Organization's internal control.

Criteria: In our consideration of internal control, we noted that the size of The Haven, Inc.'s operations and its limited accounting staff preclude an adequate segregation of duties and other features of an adequate system of internal control.

Effects of Condition: The internal control, in our judgment, could adversely affect the entity's ability to record, process, summarize, and report financial data consistent with the assertions of management in the financial statements.

Cause of Condition: The size of The Haven, Inc. and its limited accounting staff preclude an adequate segregation of duties and other features of an adequate system of internal control.

The Haven, Inc. Schedule of Findings and Responses As of and for the Year Ended

June 30, 2020

Recommendation: The Board of Directors of The Haven, Inc. should closely monitor the day-to-day activities of the Organization and implement other control procedures until the agency has grown to the point where it is cost beneficial to employ an adequate system of internal controls.

Response: The management of The Haven, Inc. agrees with this finding.

Questioned Costs:

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Section III – Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs

This section is not applicable.

The Haven, Inc. Management's Corrective Action Plan for Current Year Findings As of and for the Year Ended June 30, 2020

The contact person for all corrective actions noted below is Mrs. Julie Pellegrin, Executive Director.

Section I – Internal Control and Compliance Material to the Financial Statements

Inadequate Internal Control

Condition: A significant control deficiency in internal control related to lack of segregation of duties.

Recommendation: The Board of Directors of The Haven, Inc. should closely monitor the day-to-day activities of the Organization and implement other control procedures until the agency has grown to the point where it is cost beneficial to employ an adequate system of internal controls.

Planned Action: The Board of Directors will closely monitor the day-to-day activities of the Organization until it is financially feasible to employ additional staff.

Section II – Internal Control and Compliance Material to Federal Awards

This section is not applicable.

Section III – Management Letter

This section is not applicable.

The Haven, Inc. Schedule of Prior Findings and Resolution Matters As of and for the Year Ended June 30, 2020

Note: All prior findings relate to the June 30, 2019 audit engagement.

Section I – Internal Control and Compliance Material to the Financial Statements

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Condition: A significant control deficiency in internal control related to lack of segregation of duties.

Recommendation: The Board of Directors of The Haven, Inc. should closely monitor the day-to-day activities of the Organization and implement other control procedures until the agency has grown to the point where it is cost beneficial to employ an adequate system of internal controls.

Status: Ongoing. The Organization has implemented the recommendation, but the lack of segregation of duties continues to exist. The Board will continue to perform the recommendation until it is financially feasible to employ additional staff.

Section II – Internal Control and Compliance Material to Federal Awards

This section is not applicable.

Section III – Management Letter

This section is not applicable.