

Financial Statements

for

STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR FORESTERS

June 30, 2022 and 2021

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Management's Discussion and Analysis June 30, 2022

The following is a discussion and analysis of the Board's financial performance for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2022. Please read it in conjunction with the financial statements which follow this section.

Financial Highlights

The operating revenues of the Board increased by \$1,883 or 5.7%.

The operating expenses of the Board increased by \$878 or 2.2%.

Overview of the Financial Statements

This discussion and analysis is an introduction to the Board's financial statements, which are comprised of two components: 1) financial statements, and 2) notes to financial statements.

Financial Statements

The financial statements of the Board report information about the Board using accounting methods similar to those used by private sector companies. These statements offer short and long-term financial information about the activities of the Board.

The Statements of Net Position present the current and non-current portions of assets and liabilities separately.

The Statements of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position present information on how the Board's assets changed as a result of the years' operations.

The Statements of Cash Flows present information on how the Board's cash changed as a result of the years' activity.

The following presents condensed financial information on the operations of the Board:

	As of and for the Year Ended June 30, 2022			As of and for the Year Ended June 30, 2021		
Current Assets	\$	139,406	\$	137,859		
Property and Equipment		1,154				
Total Assets	_	140,560	_	137,859		
Total Liabilities		13,179	_	4,710		
Total Net Position	\$	127,381	\$ _	133,149		
Operating Revenues Operating Expenses Operating Loss	\$	35,134 40,912 (5,778)	\$	33,251 40,033 (6,782)		
Non-Operating Revenues		10	_	259		
Change in Net Position	\$	(5,768)	\$	(6,523)		

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Events Affecting Future Operations

Due to the effects of COVID-19, license renewal fees and other related fees may decrease below historical levels. The number of licensees is typically expected to remain consistent with past years. Other than COVID-19 there are no known events that would affect future operations.

Contacting the Board's Management

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the Board's finances and to demonstrate the Board's accountability for the money it receives and expends. If you have any questions about this report or need additional information, contact: State Board of Registration for Foresters, P.O. Box 27393, Raleigh, North Carolina 27611-7393.

STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR FORESTERS Statements of Net Position June 30, 2022 and 2021

	2022		2021		
ASSETS:				_	
Current Assets:					
Cash	\$	36,748	\$	35,210	
Investments		102,658		102,649	
Total Current Assets		139,406		137,859	
Property and Equipment:					
Equipment		1,841		619	
Accumulated Depreciation		(687)		(619)	
Net Property and Equipment		1,154			
Total Assets		140,560		137,859	
LIABILITIES AND NET POSITION:					
Current Liabilities:		400			
Accounts Payable		499		1,430	
Unearned Revenue		12,680		3,280	
Total Liabilities	_	13,179		4,710	
NET POSITION	\$	127,381	\$	133,149	

Statements of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position For the Years Ended June 30, 2022 and 2021

		2022	2021		
OPERATING REVENUES:					
Renewal Fees	\$	31,053	\$	31,040	
Application and Exam Fees		2,080		950	
Registration Fees		1,280		800	
Late Payment Fees		721		461	
Total Operating Revenues	_	35,134		33,251	
OPERATING EXPENSES:					
Administrative Services		31,500		31,500	
Professional Fees		3,000		2,900	
Postage and Box Rent		1,591		2,280	
Office Supplies		1,468		1,206	
Miscellaneous		1,653		183	
Telephone		657		711	
Board Member Travel and Per Diem		650		1,154	
Insurance		250			
Printing		75		99	
Depreciation		68			
Total Operating Expenses	_	40,912		40,033	
OPERATING LOSS		(5,778)		(6,782)	
NON-OPERATING REVENUES:					
Interest Income		10		259	
CHANGES IN NET POSITION		(5,768)		(6,523)	
NET POSITIONBeginning of Year		133,149		139,672	
NET POSITIONEnd of Year	\$	127,381	\$	133,149	

Statements of Cash Flows For the Years Ended June 30, 2022 and 2021

		2022		2021
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES: Cash Received from Fees Cash Payments for Operating Expenses Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	\$	44,534 (41,775) 2,759	\$	34,731 (43,603) (8,872)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES: Purchase of Equipment Purchase of Investments Interest on Investments		(1,221)		(260) 259
Net Cash Used by Investing Activities		(1,221)		(1)
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH		1,538		(8,873)
CASHBeginning of Year		35,210		44,083
CASHEnd of Year	\$	36,748	\$	35,210
Reconciliation of Operating Loss to Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities: Operating Loss Depreciation Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Loss to Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities:	\$	(5,778) 68	\$	(6,782)
Accounts Payable Unearned Revenue	_	(931) 9,400	_	(3,570) 1,480
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	\$	2,759	\$	(8,872)

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2022 and 2021

1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

A. Description of Organization:

The State Board of Registration for Foresters (the "Board") is established under Chapter 89B of the North Carolina General Statues to maintain minimum standards for services provided by foresters. The Board's operations are funded primarily through license renewal fees and license application fees.

The Board is considered an agency of the State of North Carolina for financial reporting purposes. The Board members are appointed by the Governor, the Speaker of the House, and the Present Pro Tempore of the Senate.

B. Financial Reporting Entity:

The concept underlying the definition of the financial reporting entity is that elected officials are accountable to their constituents for their actions. As required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial reporting entity includes both the primary government and all of its component units. An organization other than a primary government serves as a nucleus for a reporting entity when it issues separate financial statements. The accompanying financial statements present all funds and activities for which the Board is responsible.

For financial reporting purposes, the Board is a nonmajor enterprise fund of the primary government of the State of North Carolina and is reported as such in the State's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR). These financial statements for the Board are separate and apart from those of the State of North Carolina and do not present the financial position of the State nor the changes in the State's financial position and cash flows.

C. Basis of Presentation:

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board is the accepted standard setting body for establishing governmental accounting principles and reporting standards. The Board applied all applicable Financial Accounting Standards Board pronouncements issued after November 30, 1989.

All activities of the Board are accounted for within a single proprietary (enterprise) fund. Proprietary funds are used to account for operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises where the intent of the governing body is that the cost of providing goods or services to the general public on a continuing basis be financed or recovered primarily through user charges.

D. Basis of Accounting:

In accordance with *Statement of Governmental Accounting Standards 34*, the Board presents a Statement of Net Position; a Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position; and a Statement of Cash Flows. These statements reflect entity-wide operations of the Board. The Board has no fiduciary funds or component units.

The financial statements report all activities of the State Board of Registration for Foresters using the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized in the accounting period in which they are earned and become measurable. Expenses are recognized when incurred, if measurable.

Operating revenues and expenses consist of those revenues and expenses that result from the ongoing principal operations of the Board. Operating revenues consist primarily of license fees. Non-operating revenues consist of those revenues that are related to investing types of activities and are classified as non-operating in the financial statements.

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1. <u>Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)</u>

E. Cash:

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, the Board considers all highly liquid investments with a maturity of three months or less when purchased to be cash.

F. Property and Equipment:

Property and equipment are stated at cost and are being depreciated over their useful lives on a straight-line basis. The Board's policy is to capitalize property and equipment when acquired at a cost of \$300 or more. A summary follows:

	Bal	nning ance					В	nding Salance
	6/30	/2021	Ac	lditions	Retir	ements	6/.	30/2022
Equipment Less Accumulated Depreciation	\$	619 (619)	\$	1,222 (68)	\$		\$	1,841 (687)
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Capital Assets, net	\$	0	\$	1,154	\$	0	\$	1,154
	Bal	inning ance /2020	Ac	lditions	Retir	rements	В	Ending Salance 30/2021
Equipment Less Accumulated Depreciation	Bal	ance	<u>Ac</u>	lditions	Retir	rements	В	Balance

When an asset is disposed of, the cost of the asset and the related accumulated depreciation are removed from the financial records. Any gain or loss on disposition is reflected in the earnings for the period.

G. Unearned Revenue:

The Board's fees are assessed and collected on a fiscal year basis, which corresponds with the accounting period. Licenses are renewed for a period of one fiscal year. License renewal fees received prior to the end of the fiscal year are deferred and recognized as revenue over the one-year period to which they relate.

H. Use of Estimates:

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

2. <u>Deposits and Investments</u>

Custodial Credit Risk. The Board maintains cash balances and certificates of deposit with one financial institution. There were no deposits which exceeded the insurance coverage provided at year-end.

Certificates of deposit are purchased with original maturities of six months or less. The book and market value of the certificates at June 30, 2022 and 2021 were \$102,658 and \$102,649, respectively.

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3. Risk Management

Risk of loss relative to dishonesty and damage or destruction of assets is covered by private insurance.

The Board is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and the destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees, and natural disasters. Tort claims of Board members up to \$1,000,000 are self-insured by the State under the authority of the State Tort Claims Act. Additional coverage is provided to the Board under the State's public officers' and employees' liability insurance contract with a private insurance company. The amount of coverage per person is \$10,000,000.

4. <u>Subsequent Events</u>

Management evaluated subsequent events through November 2, 2022, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued. They discovered no subsequent events that should be disclosed.