## ANNUAL REPORT



West Hennepin Affordable Housing Land Trust





## **GREETINGS FROM** THE PRESIDENT

I am pleased to state that 2021 was a very productive year for Homes Within Reach with a total of 16 properties sold; our goal had been 13 properties.

The successes of 2021 are largely due to how we worked together as a Board and partnered with communities to adapt to the challenges and struggles of 2020. Like so many organizations, our Board conducted monthly business meetings over Zoom and specific initiatives were pursued in small subcommittees focused on growing partnerships with communities and families.

As we entered 2021, the COVID-19 Pandemic continued to drive up housing prices, which resulted in a very healthy uptick in our Community Land Trust as people were looking for affordable homes and they found Homes Within Reach.

Today, our partnerships with communities is stronger than ever; they keep growing in opportunity and strength. Much of this growth is due to our Executive Director's creative approach and outreach to media, funders, and community leaders. 2022 is already proving to be promising as dedicated board members, staff, and partners work together to achieve this new year's forecast of 25 homes.

As always, please know that your on-going support is vital in sustaining our mission to transform people's lives through homeownership.

Sincerely,

NOEL KLINNERT

Noel Klinnert, President HWR Board of Directors

As Homes Within Reach moves into 2022 and beyond, we welcome you to follow our progress via our web site - www.homeswithinreach.org or on Facebook @homeswithinreachmn



## **Our Vision**

To transform people's lives through homeownership.

### **Our Mission**

To use the Community Land Trust practice to create and preserve affordable homeownership for families in suburban Hennepin County.

#### **Our Core Values**

- Belief in homeownership
- Bringing stability into people's lives
- · Creating value for communities and families

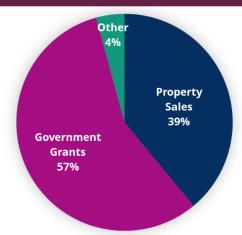


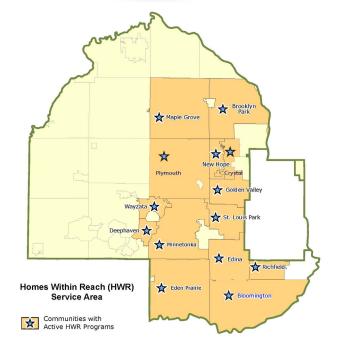




## Donors Make Housing Production a Reality 2020 Financials

## 2020 HWR Support & Revenue





### **Statement of Activities & Changes in Net Assets**

Support & Revenue		2020		2019
Grants, Contributions & Other Revenue	\$	1,638,126	\$	1,851,322
Ground Lease Fees		56,867		53,722
Property Sales		1,083,300		1,364,700
Interest		64		204
Total Support and Revenue	\$	2,778,357	\$	3,269,948
Expenses				
Property Costs		1,605,790		2,128,844
Program Services		73,333		58,294
Management & General		181,055		175,081
Fund Raising		36,074		37,635
Total Expenses	_	1,896,252		2,399,854
Increase in Net Assets	\$	882,105	\$	870,094
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#### Statement of Financial Position as of December 31

Assets		2020	2019
Cash	\$	447,297	\$ 621,505
Accounts Receivable		634	1,711
Grants Receivable		-	344,980
Prepaid Expense		3,900	10,659
Properties to be Sold		649,148	481,625
Equipment, net of depreciation		851	1,688
Land in Trust	_	15,621,350	 14,651,350
Total Assets	\$_	16,723,180	\$ 16,113,518
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Liabilities and Net Assets			
Accrued Expenses	\$	191,444	\$ 132,676
Loans	_	828,010	 1,159,221
Total Liabilities		1,019,454	1,291,897
Net Assets	_	15,703,726	 14,821,621
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$_	16,723,180	\$ 16,113,518

#### **2020 FUNDERS AND DONORS**

Andrie, Mark
Callison, Jan
City of Bloomington
City of Eden Prairie
City of Edina
City of Golden Valley
City of Maple Grove
City of Minnetonka
City of Plymouth
City of Richfield
City of St. Louis Park
Geiwitz, Alan

Hamilton, Robert
Hanna, Terry
Hennepin County HRA
HOME Partnership
Klinnert, Noel
Kloeckl, Samuel & Elizabeth
Lang, Gregory
Marrinan, Patti
McKnight Foundation
Metropolitan Council
MN Housing Finance Agency
Nichols, Joan

Nystuen, Jerry

Olson, Marney Otto Bremer Foundation Siskin, Vicki TJU Construction, Inc. White-Scherber, Winnie Wiersum, Brad Xcel Energy

# **2020 BOARD OF DIRECTORS**Barrett Anderson

Jessica Brue Elise Durbin Dan Johnson Noel Klinnert Steve Schmidt Shelia Stamper Brian Sullivan Brad Wiersum

Brenda Lano-Wolke

Current, Executive Director

