Military Child Education Coalition

December 31, 2022 and 2021

Financial Statements



For the Years Ended December 31, 2022 and 2021

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Directors of Military Child Education Coalition

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Military Child Education Coalition (a nonprofit organization), which comprise the statements of financial position as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Military Child Education Coalition as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Military Child Education Coalition and to meet our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for 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.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Military Child Education Coalition's ability to continue as a going concern within one year after the date that the financial statements are available to be issued.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT (CONTINUED)

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, we:

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- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit 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 Military Child Education Coalition's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Military Child Education Coalition's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control related matters that we identified during the audit.

Temple, Texas June 15, 2023 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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MILITARY CHILD EDUCATION COALITION STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION December 31, 2022 and 2021

ASSETS

	2022	2021
Current Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 949,841	\$ 1,637,904
Cash and cash equivalents, restricted	1,485,270	1,944,654
Investments	20,279	-
Accounts receivable	1,527,960	289,515
Accounts receivable, restricted	635,000	821,721
Inventory	19,350	22,187
Prepaid expenses	73,842	40,974
Total Current Assets	4,711,542	4,756,955
Property and equipment, net	1,357,740	1,383,395
Total Assets	\$ 6,069,282	\$ 6,140,350
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
Liabilities		
Accounts payable	\$ 93,994	\$ 91,386
Accrued expenses	66,333	34,245
Deferred revenue	152,105	290,750
Total Liabilities	312,432	416,381
Net Assets		
Without donor restrictions	3,636,580	2,957,594
With donor restrictions	2,120,270	2,766,375
Total Net Assets	5,756,850	5,723,969
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$ 6,069,282	\$ 6,140,350

MILITARY CHILD EDUCATION COALITION STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Total
Revenues, Gains and Other Support			
Service contract revenue	\$ 513,493	\$ -	\$ 513,493
Contributions	191,470	525,989	717,459
Membership dues	18,365	-	18,365
Conference income	148,037	-	148,037
Products and services	33,369	-	33,369
Grants	-	1,697,699	1,697,699
Fundraising events	2,042	29,000	31,042
Interest and dividends	15,927	-	15,927
Employee retention credit	1,631,508	-	1,631,508
Miscellaneous revenue	7,544	-	7,544
Net assets released from restrictions	2,898,793	(2,898,793)	
Total Revenues, Gains and Other Support	5,460,548	(646,105)	4,814,443
Expenses			
Program services			
Professional development support	308,561	-	308,561
Student initiatives	472,245	-	472,245
Parent initiatives	745,769	-	745,769
School professionals	222,132	-	222,132
Strategic communications	382,651	-	382,651
Products and services	164,735	-	164,735
Research and curriculum	434,738	-	434,738
Website and technology resources	156,055	-	156,055
Global Training Summit	853,748		853,748
Total program services Supporting services	3,740,634	-	3,740,634
Management and general	448,633	_	448,633
Fundraising	592,295		592,295
Total Expenses	4,781,562		4,781,562
Change in net assets	678,986	(646,105)	32,881
Net Assets			
Beginning of year	2,957,594	2,766,375	5,723,969
End of year	\$ 3,636,580	\$ 2,120,270	\$ 5,756,850

MILITARY CHILD EDUCATION COALITION STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES For the Year Ended December 31, 2021

	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Total
Revenues, Gains and Other Support			
Service contract revenue	\$ 740,451	\$ -	\$ 740,451
Philanthropic contract revenue	520,190	-	520,190
Contributions	214,008	518,432	732,440
Membership dues	46,072	-	46,072
Products and services	55,855	-	55,855
Grants	331,438	2,181,822	2,513,260
Fundraising events	5,672	-	5,672
Interest and dividends	21,734	-	21,734
Paycheck protection program loan forgiveness	822,908	-	822,908
Miscellaneous revenue	6,987	-	6,987
Net assets released from restrictions	2,570,855	(2,570,855)	
Total Revenues, Gains and Other Support	5,336,170	129,399	5,465,569
Expenses			
Program services			
Professional development support	381,095	-	381,095
Student initiatives	378,630	-	378,630
Parent initiatives	951,858	-	951,858
School professionals	694,934	-	694,934
Strategic communications	378,806	-	378,806
Products and services	244,196	-	244,196
Research and curriculum	349,101	-	349,101
Website and technology resources	169,288	-	169,288
Grants	10,414	-	10,414
Global Training Summit	122,989		122,989
Total program services Supporting services	3,681,311	-	3,681,311
Management and general	434,817	-	434,817
Fundraising	581,025		581,025
Total Expenses	4,697,153		4,697,153
Change in net assets	639,017	129,399	768,416
Net Assets			
Beginning of year	2,318,577	2,636,976	4,955,553
End of year	\$ 2,957,594	\$ 2,766,375	\$ 5,723,969

MILITARY CHILD EDUCATION COALITION STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES

For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

Program 3	Services
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	Pro	ofessional		11081				
	De	velopment	\$	Student		Parent	School	
		Support	Ir	nitiatives	Initiatives		Professionals	
Payroll	\$	185,004	\$	198,798	\$	589,622	\$	182,423
Payroll taxes		14,048		15,220		50,009		13,590
Other employee benefits		20,702		2,486		7,849		5,539
Service fees		3,409		80,730		46,242		730
Advertising		_		-		-		-
Office expenses		_		-		172		667
Information technology		_		-		-		-
Occupancy		4,070		-		-		_
Travel		26,548		89,767		8,143		2,983
Insurance		2,369		-		-		-
Other program expenses		44,746		85,244		41,411		15,982
Contingency expense		_		-		-		-
Accounting and legal fees		-		-		-		-
Total expenses before						,		
depreciation		300,896		472,245		743,448		221,914
Depreciation		7,665				2,321		218
Total Expenses	\$	308,561	\$	472,245	\$	745,769	\$	222,132

Program Services

	1 Togram Services							
						Research	We	ebsite and
		Strategic		Products	and		Technology	
		munications	and	d Services	Curriculum		Resources	
Payroll	\$	260,023	\$	82,183	\$	357,802	\$	36,389
Payroll taxes		18,904		5,790		25,784		2,721
Other employee benefits		29,195		8,444		29,802		1,927
Service fees		14,416		700		11,171		365
Advertising		12,337		-		_		-
Office expenses		10,247		6,272		5,288		457
Information technology		-		-		-		99,138
Occupancy		3,053		14,755		1,018		1,018
Travel		24,026		-		_		-
Insurance		1,777		8,589		592		592
Other program expenses		4,041		19,613		_		-
Contingency expense		-		-		-		-
Accounting and legal fees		-		-		-		-
Total expenses before						•		
depreciation		378,019		146,346		431,457		142,607
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Depreciation		4,632		18,389		3,281		13,448
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Total Expenses	\$	382,651	\$	164,735	\$	434,738	\$	156,055
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	Program Services					
				Global		Total
			-	Гraining	F	Program
	Gra	nts		Summit		Services
Payroll	\$	_	\$	125,677	\$	2,017,921
Payroll taxes	Ψ	_	Ψ	9,472	Ψ	155,538
Other employee benefits		_		5,313		111,257
Service fees		_		2,715		160,478
Advertising		_		´ -		12,337
Office expenses		_		401		23,504
Information technology		-		-		99,138
Occupancy		_		_		23,914
Travel		-		324,829		476,296
Insurance		-		-		13,919
Other program expenses		-		385,141		596,178
Contingency expense		-		-		-
Accounting and legal fees						-
Total expenses before						
depreciation		-		853,548		3,690,480
Depreciation				200		50,154
Total Expenses	\$	-	\$	853,748	\$	3,740,634

	Management					
		and				2022
		General	Fundraising			Total
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Payroll	\$	280,168	\$	445,134	\$	2,743,223
Payroll taxes		20,990		33,197		209,725
Other employee benefits		22,263		24,769		158,289
Service fees		17,005		32,493		209,976
Advertising		-		-		12,337
Office expenses		22,540		36,061		82,105
Information technology		-		-		99,138
Occupancy		4,503		2,035		30,452
Travel		380		7,463		484,139
Insurance		6,291		1,186		21,396
Other program expenses		-		6,318		602,496
Contingency expense		19,026		-		19,026
Accounting and legal fees		44,140				44,140
Total expenses before						
depreciation		437,306		588,656		4,716,442
Depreciation		11,327		3,639		65,120
Total Expenses	\$	448,633	\$	592,295	\$	4,781,562

Program Services

				1 Togran		1005		
	Professional							
	Development		Student			Parent		School
	9	Support	Ir	nitiatives	Initiatives		Pro	fessionals
Payroll	\$	270,575	\$	169,434	\$	607,296	\$	568,338
Payroll taxes		20,656		12,582		46,612		42,367
Other employee benefits		8,466		9,072		13,926		27,924
Service fees		820		1,276		241,190		2,553
Advertising		-		-		-		-
Office expenses		52,736		118,476		34,109		36,728
Information technology		-		-		-		-
Occupancy		3,640		-		-		-
Travel		11,472		42,469		310		3,829
Insurance		2,108		-		-		-
Other program expenses		4,880		24,545		5,922		12,960
Contingency expense		-		-		_		-
Accounting and legal fees						-		_
Total expenses before								
depreciation		375,353		377,854		949,365		694,699
Depreciation		5,742		776		2,493		235
Total Expenses	\$	381,095	\$	378,630	\$	951,858	\$	694,934

Program Services

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					R	Research	We	bsite and
	:	Strategic	F	Products		and	Te	chnology
	Con	munications	and	d Services	Cı	urriculum	Re	esources
Payroll	\$	275,690	\$	101,690	\$	293,883	\$	43,110
Payroll taxes		20,792		6,940		21,904		3,076
Other employee benefits		8,568		12,344		20,428		5,937
Service fees		712		1,089		6,867		128
Advertising		16,704		-		-		-
Office expenses		17,070		9,026		1,436		307
Information technology		-		-		-		78,578
Occupancy		2,730		13,195		910		910
Travel		711		-		-		-
Insurance		1,581		7,641		527		527
Other program expenses		30,333		74,019		-		-
Contingency expense		-		-		-		-
Accounting and legal fees		-		-		-		-
Total expenses before				,				
depreciation		374,891		225,944		345,955		132,573
Depreciation		3,915		18,252		3,146		36,715
Total Expenses	\$	378,806	\$	244,196	\$	349,101	\$	169,288

	Program Services					
				Global	Total	
			Т	Training	Program	
		Grants		Summit	Services	
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Payroll	\$	3,718	\$	71,005	\$ 2,404,73	
Payroll taxes		284		5,439	180,65	
Other employee benefits		129		1,412	108,20)6
Service fees		-		255	254,89	90
Advertising		-		-	16,70)4
Office expenses		1,509		9,338	280,73	35
Information technology		-		-	78,57	78
Occupancy		-		-	21,38	35
Travel		-		7,806	66,59	97
Insurance		-		-	12,38	34
Other program expenses		178		27,395	180,23	32
Contingency expense		-		-		-
Accounting and legal fees		-		-		-
Total expenses before						
depreciation		5,818		122,650	3,605,10)2
Depreciation		4,596		339	76,20)9
Total Expenses	\$	10,414	\$	122,989	\$ 3,681,31	<u> 11</u>

	Ma	ınagement			
		and			2021
	(General	Fu	ndraising	Total
Payroll	\$	294,501	\$	459,898	\$ 3,159,138
Payroll taxes		22,157		34,170	236,979
Other employee benefits		16,367		17,343	141,916
Service fees		22,815		3,095	280,800
Advertising		-		-	16,704
Office expenses		18,360		53,835	352,930
Information technology		-		-	78,578
Occupancy		4,135		1,820	27,340
Travel		-		2,844	69,441
Insurance		5,990		1,054	19,428
Other program expenses		-		3,353	183,585
Contingency expense		3,346		-	3,346
Accounting and legal fees		39,550		-	39,550
Total expenses before					
depreciation		427,221		577,412	4,609,735
Depreciation		7,596		3,613	 87,418
Total Expenses	\$	434,817	\$	581,025	\$ 4,697,153

MILITARY CHILD EDUCATION COALITION STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

For the Years Ended December 31, 2022 and 2021

	2022			2021	
Cash Flows Used by Operating Activities					
Change in net assets	\$	32,881	\$	768,416	
Adjustments to reconcile change in nets assets					
to net cash provided by operating activities:					
Depreciation		65,120		87,418	
Gain on disposal of assets		988		296	
Unrealized loss on investments		2,054		-	
(Increase) decrease in:					
Accounts receivable	(1	1,238,445)		(113,488)	
Accounts receivable, restricted		186,721		(206,721)	
Inventory		2,837		69,118	
Prepaid expenses		(32,868)		57,305	
Increase (decrease) in:					
Long-term debt		-		(439,600)	
Accounts payable		2,608		(175,411)	
Accrued liabilities		32,088		(49,604)	
Deferred revenue		(138,645)		(214,844)	
Net adjustment	(1	1,117,542)		(985,531)	
Net cash used by operating activities	(1	1,084,661)		(217,115)	
Cash Flows Used by Investing Activities					
Purchase of property and equipment		(40,453)		(2,746)	
Purchase of investments		(22,333)		<u>-</u>	
Net cash used by investing activities		(62,786)		(2,746)	
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(1	1,147,447)		(219,861)	
Cash and cash equivalents					
Beginning of year	3	3,582,558		3,802,419	
End of year	\$ 2	2,435,111	\$	3,582,558	
Cash and cash equivalents:					
Unrestricted	\$	949,841	\$	1,637,904	
Restricted	1	1,485,270		1,944,654	
	\$ 2	2,435,111	\$	3,582,558	

1. Description of the Organization

The Military Child Education Coalition® (hereafter referred to as MCEC), is a 501(c)(3) global, nonprofit organization focused exclusively on the well-being and needs of America's military-connected children. Since 1998, MCEC has been the only military service organization nonprofit who solely focuses all efforts to address the needs of military-connected children. MCEC specifically targets the areas of academic opportunity and excellence, school transition support, and developmental needs. Our core constituency is children and youth whose parents are serving or have served in our nation's military – to include Active Duty, Reserve, and National Guard. MCEC proudly supports the children of those who serve us all and endeavors to provide sustainable resources and on-going support to ensure all military-connected children, regardless of their location, are college-, work-, and life-ready.

MCEC supports all military-connected children by educating, advocating, and collaborating to resolve education challenges associated with military lifestyle.

Organization's Signature Programs:

Personal Connections to address individual problems military families face, as well as provide information and referrals, is accomplished at the local level through Community Coordinators and across the world through the Military Student Consultant Service Center.

- Community Coordinators ensure military-connected students, their parents, educators, administrators, other youth-serving professionals and community organizations have the information and resources they need to support military-connected students and their families as they navigate the unique challenges associated with a military lifestyle.
- Military Student Consultant Service Center serves as first responders for military-connected families to help them transition from one location to another and address other challenges associated with the military-family lifestyle. This team also addresses the needs of National Guard, Reserve, ROTC Cadre and Recruiter families often located in a low-density military community with limited support systems.

Training enlightens and informs parents, educators and other youth-serving professionals to better understand, appropriately respond and help mitigate the unique challenges presented by the military lifestyle.

- MCEC Global Training Summit, held annually since 1998, is a professional development and training opportunity with measurable and clearly defined outcomes. Each event includes an array of keynote speakers, informative distinguished lecturers and breakout sessions, featuring usable, relevant information focused on supporting military-connected children.
- Professional Development for Educators, Other Youth-Serving Professionals, trains professionals across disciplines such as education, healthcare, childcare and business, along with parents and caregivers, to address the unique challenges facing military-connected children.

• Workshops, Webinars and Podcasts provide pertinent and timely information to parents, educators and other youth-serving professionals and address academic, social and emotional issues associated with a military family lifestyle.

Student Enrichment opportunities are provided through peer-to-peer mentoring programs, leadership training, family literacy and STEM-related instruction.

Student 2 Student® campus mentoring programs at the high, middle and elementary school levels bring military and civilian students together to welcome new students, support academic excellence and ease transitions as students pass in or out of schools.

- 360 Summits MCEC 360 Summits provide training support for regional schools pursuing or maintaining the Purple Star designation through their state. These events showcase role models, speakers, and experts who exemplify the requirements for the Purple Star program. At the summit, school professionals, students, and parents are provided experiences and information highlighting the elements of Purple Star Schools.
- Professional Learning Communities (ECHO) MCEC® has partnered with the University of New Mexico Health Sciences Department and Project ECHO® to host Professional Learning Communities (PLC) as a NEW way for educators to collaborate with and utilize a network of peers and partners to support military-connected students. Participants have the unique opportunity to identify potential solutions to common challenges related to Purple Star Programs with Subject Matter Experts and peers from across the country.
- Frances Hesselbein Student Leadership Program, an intensive leadership training program held at the US Military Academy West Point and the US Air Force Academy, focuses on team building, leadership development, goal setting, resilience, life span human development, character development, community involvement and leadership in action.
- *Tell Me a Story*®, a two-generational, family literacy event, encourages parent and child interactions through shared reading experiences and related activities while supporting the development of resiliency skills.
- *Together We Code*, a two-generational instruction focused on computer science and computational thinking, encourages families to learn to Code together.

Information and **Referral** is offered through SchoolQuest, En Espanol Team and the MCEC website.

- SchoolQuest is a free, online, innovative resource of tips, tools and tactics to help military parents better prepare their child(ren) to be on track for degree completion, workforce preparation and/or military service. SchoolQuest includes an Academic Tracker, Student Profile, Reminders and Notifications, Personalized Checklists, School Search Capabilities and Interactive Resources.
- MCEC En Espanol Team makes critical resources available in Spanish as well as provides realtime Spanish translations during workshops, trainings, webinars and podcasts.

• MCEC Website, is a repository of information to assist military-connected children, their parents/caregivers and the educators and other youth serving adults who support them.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of MCEC have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. MCEC receives funds primarily from membership fees, contributions, contracts, and grants.

Basis of Presentation

MCEC reports information regarding its financial position and activities according to two classes of net assets: net assets without donor restrictions and net assets with donor restrictions.

Net Assets without Donor Restrictions—These net assets generally result from revenues generated by receiving contributions that have no donor restrictions, providing services, and receiving interest from operating investments, less expenses incurred in providing program-related services, raising contributions, and performing administrative functions.

Net Assets with Donor Restrictions—These net assets result from gifts of cash and other assets that are received with donor stipulations that limit the use of the donated assets, either temporarily or permanently, until the donor restriction expires, that is until the stipulated time restriction ends or the purpose of the restriction is accomplished, the net assets are restricted.

Revenue and Cost Recognition

MCEC recognizes revenues from fixed-price contracts once trainings are completed. Costs associated with trainings are allocated to the program initiatives once they are completed. Program costs include all direct materials and labor costs and those indirect costs related to initiative performance, such as indirect labor and supplies.

Functional Allocation of Expenses

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

Recognition of Donor Restrictions

Contributions received are recorded as contributions without donor restrictions or contributions with donor restrictions depending on the existence and/or nature of any donor restrictions. Support that is restricted by the donor is reported as an increase in net assets without donor restrictions if the restriction expires in the reporting period in which the support is recognized. All other donor-restricted support is reported as an increase in net assets with donor restrictions depending on the nature of the restriction. When a restriction expires, net assets are reclassified from net assets with donor restrictions to net assets without donor restrictions.

Estimates

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.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include savings and checking with a maturity of less than one year.

Investments

MCEC uses a fair value hierarchy established by GAAP that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (level 3 measurements).

The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are:

- Level 1 Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets that are accessible at the measurement date for identical, unrestricted assets or liabilities.
- Level 2 Quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets, quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in markets that are not active, or inputs that are observable, either directly or indirectly, for substantially the full term of the assets or liability.
- Level 3 Prices or valuation techniques that require inputs that are both significant to the fair value measurement and unobservable (that is, the inputs are supported by little or no market activity).

A financial instrument's level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of input that is significant to the fair value measurement.

Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable consist of individual, business organization, school district, and military installation memberships, grants, and contracts.

The direct-write off policy is to remove individuals when their accounts become 90 days or more past due. Business organizations, school districts, and military installations are removed when their accounts become six months past due. All grant and contract receivables are deemed collectible.

Inventory

Inventory is recorded at the lower of cost or market and is expensed as used in the first-in, first-out method.

Fixed Assets

Equipment is stated at cost at date of acquisition or fair market value at date of donation in the case of donations. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets. The estimated useful lives of buildings are estimated at 39-45 years and all other assets are estimated at 2-7 years. When assets are retired or otherwise disposed of, the cost and related accumulated depreciation are removed from the accounts, and any resulting gain or loss is recognized in income for the period. It is MCEC's policy to capitalize expenditures for these items in excess of \$ 1,000.

Income Taxes

MCEC is exempt from federal income taxes under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Contributions

All contributions are considered to be available for unrestricted use unless specifically restricted by the donor. For the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, \$ -0- of in-kind revenues were included in contributions. Expenses were recognized in the same amounts in management and general supporting services, or allocated to program services.

Lease Accounting Changes

ASC 2016-02, *Leases* (Topic 842) – This updated lease standard increases the usefulness of financial statements by requiring recognition of certain lease assets and liabilities for leases that were not previously presented on the statements of financial position. Topic 842 establishes a model for lease accounting based on the foundational principle that leases are financings of the right to use an underlying asset. This standard has been adopted by MCEC in fiscal year 2022, and it has no effect on MCEC's financial statements.

3. Cash and Cash Equivalents

At December 31, 2022 and 2021, cash temporarily restricted for specific programs was \$ 1,485,270 and \$ 1,944,654, respectively. These amounts are reported as net assets with donor restrictions.

The Lockheed Martin Corporation requires grant funds from its organization to be deposited in a separate bank account. The balance of this account at December 31, 2022 and 2021 was \$ -0- and \$ 97,073, respectively. These funds are reported as net assets with donor restrictions.

4. Investments

All of the MCEC's investments are level 1 measurements in the fair value hierarchy. As of December 31, 2022 and 2021, MCEC invested in various funds as follows:

		2022				2021			
Investment Type	Н	Historical Market Cost Value			Historica Cost				
Cash and money funds Mutual fund securities:	\$	1	\$	1	\$	9,701	\$	9,701	
Equities		22,334		20,279					
	\$	22,335	\$	20,280	\$	9,701	\$	9,701	

5. Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable consisted of the following at December 31, 2022 and 2021:

	2022	2021
Contracts	\$ 123,799	\$ 287,409
Grants and contributions	635,000	821,721
Employee Retention Credit	1,392,382	-
Membership dues and other	11,779	 2,106
Accounts Receivable, net	\$ 2,162,960	\$ 1,111,236
Accounts Receivable:		
Unrestricted	\$ 1,527,960	\$ 289,515
Restricted	635,000	821,721
	\$ 2,162,960	\$ 1,111,236

6. Inventory

Inventory consists of professional development materials, books, products and other resources and operating supplies totaling \$ 19,350 and \$ 22,187 at December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

7. Property and Equipment

Property and Equipment consisted of the following at December 31, 2022 and 2021:

	2022	2021
Land	\$ 245,000	\$ 245,000
Building	1,487,008	1,487,008
Computers and equipment	373,197	373,197
Furniture and fixtures	192,637	313,155
Construction in progress	19,389	
	2,317,231	 2,418,360
Less: accumulated depreciation	(959,491)	(1,034,965)
Property and Equipment, net	\$ 1,357,740	\$ 1,383,395

Depreciation expense for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021 was \$ 65,120 and \$ 87,418, respectively.

8. Deferred Revenue

Deferred revenue consists of the following at December 31, 2022 and 2021:

		2022		2021
The USAA Foundation Inc.	\$	79,609	\$	155,968
U.S. Navy		30,895		38,550
U.S. Air Force		28,086		72,293
School districts/military installation membership dues		13,515		17,598
El Paso County ISD #49 (Falcon)				6,341
Deferred Revenue	¢	152 105	•	200.750
Defended Revenue	<u> </u>	152,105	Ф	290,750

9. Net Assets

Net assets without donor restrictions represent funds received primarily from membership fees, contributions, contracts, grants, and the sale of products by MCEC without any restrictions and may be used for purposes determined by the Board of Directors. As of December 31, 2022 and 2021, there were net assets without donor restrictions designated by the Board for reserves in the amount of \$482,593.

Net assets with donor restrictions represent assets that have donor-imposed restrictions that can be removed by the actions of management or the passage of time, or, under certain circumstances that can never be removed. As of December 31, 2022 and 2021, net assets with donor restrictions consisted of the following:

	2022	2021
Alabama State Plan	\$ 1,016,502	\$ 1,108,060
South Carolina State Plan	414,383	504,463
The USAA Foundation Inc.	247,691	320,277
Wounded Warrior Project	85,684	83,941
Veterans United Foundation	66,533	158,855
Lockheed Martin Corp	50,000	103,758
USAA Bank	50,000	69,745
Boeing	45,675	104,643
Sid W. Richardson Foundation	39,106	34,000
HEB	35,082	63,989
Suzy Carlton Leadership Award	25,280	-
Archer Foundation	15,000	-
James Avery	15,000	-
Micron Foundation	7,834	12,747
Donor Contributions	6,500	25,717
May & Stanley Smith Charitable Trust	-	100,000
Utley Education Foundation	-	37,751
Star Market Charity Golf Classic	-	17,158
Lockheed Martin Foundation	-	16,912
TEGNA		4,359
Net Assets With Donor Restrictions	\$ 2,120,270	\$ 2,766,375

Net assets released from restrictions by incurring expenses satisfying the restricted purposes or by occurrence of other events specified by donors for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021 totaled \$2,898,793 and \$2,570,855, respectively.

At December 31, 2022 and 2021, MCEC had no net assets with donor restrictions which contain restrictions that can never be removed.

10. Paycheck Protection Program Loans

During 2021 and 2020, MCEC obtained loans under the Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) in the amount of \$ 383,308 and \$ 439,600, respectively. Those funds were used for payroll and other costs as approved under the guidelines of use for the PPP. MCEC received forgiveness in full for both loans during 2021, and the amount forgiven is reported as miscellaneous income in 2021.

11. Employee Retention Credit

The Employee Retention Credit (ERC) was established by the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act in March 2020. It was intended to help businesses retain their workforces and avoid layoffs during the coronavirus pandemic. It provides a per employee credit to eligible businesses based on a percentage of qualified wages and health insurance benefits paid to employees. It works as a refundable payroll tax credit claimed quarterly, and it can provide reductions to payroll taxes or cash refunds. For the years ended December 31, 2021 and 2020, MCEC qualified for a total of \$ 1,150,036 and \$ 468,333, respectively, in ERC which will be received in the form of cash refunds. These refunds include interest, and \$ 13,139 of interest was received in the year ended December 31, 2022. The amounts that have not been received are included in accounts receivable as of December 31, 2022, and revenue has been recorded in the year ended December 31, 2022, the year in which ERC credits were submitted.

12. Retirement Plan

MCEC has a SIMPLE retirement plan. MCEC matches employees' contributions on a graduating scale up to 4.0% of their compensation. MCEC's retirement plan expense for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021 was \$ 61,650 and \$ 66,084, respectively.

13. Commitments and Contingencies

MCEC's financial records are subject to review by federal agencies. Such reviews can result in the adjustment and denial of certain contract expenditures. The federal government has the authority to request a reimbursement from MCEC for the denied expenditures. No assurances can be given regarding the future outcome, if any, of such reviews.

14. Concentrations

MCEC receives a material amount of its funding through various state plans. For the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, revenue concentration is as follows:

	2022	2021
State plans	27%	29%

MCEC had receivables from state plans, military departments, and the federal government, which represent a significant concentration of total receivables. At December 31, 2022 and 2021, receivables concentrations are as follows:

	2022	2021
Employee Retention Credit	64%	0%
State plans	28%	64%
Military departments	5%	16%
Veterans United Foundation	0%	11%

15. Liquidity and Reserves

MCEC has a policy to manage its liquidity and reserves following three guiding principles: operating within a prudent range of financial stability, maintaining adequate liquidity to fund near-term operations, and maintaining sufficient reserves to provide reasonable assurance that long-term obligations will be discharged.

The following table reflects MCEC's financial assets as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, reduced by amounts not available for general expenditures within one year.

	2022	2021
Financial assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 2,435,111	\$ 3,582,558
Accounts receivable	2,162,960	1,111,236
Investments	20,279	
Financial assets, at year-end	4,618,350	4,693,794
Less those unavailable for general expenditure within one year due to:		
Donor restriction - cash and cash equivalents	1,485,270	1,944,654
Donor restriction - accounts receivable	635,000	821,721
Board-imposed three-month cash reserve	482,593	482,593
Board-approved building & capital reserve fund	100,000	100,000
Board-approved opportunity & reserve fund	100,000	100,000
Financial assets available to meet cash needs for		
general expenditures within one year:	\$ 1,815,487	\$ 1,244,826

16. Fund Development Revenue

In addition to philanthropic revenue reported within the contributions and grants classifications, MCEC's fund development team generated \$ -0- and \$ 520,190 in contract revenue during the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively. These revenues are from contracts with various school districts who were awarded federal grants with the assistance of the fund development team. The school districts use those federal awards to fund MCEC's MSTC programs in these schools.

17. Subsequent Events

Management has reviewed and evaluated subsequent events and transactions through June 15, 2023, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued. There were no subsequent events requiring adjustment to or disclosure in the financial statements.