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Legal Aid of Arkansas
Financial Statements
December 31, 2019 and 2018
Recipient #604020

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Independent Auditors' Report

Board of Directors Legal Aid of Arkansas Jonesboro, Arkansas

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Legal Aid of Arkansas (a nonprofit organization), which comprise the statements of financial position as of December 31, 2019 and 2018, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the years 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 audits. We conducted our audits 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 audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of 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 positions of Legal Aid of Arkansas as of December 31, 2019 and 2018, 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.

Other matters

Supplementary information

Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards, as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. In addition, the accompanying supplementary information on pages 13 through 26 are presented for purposes of additional analysis, and are also 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 audits 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 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 a report dated April 15, 2020, on our consideration of Legal Aid of Arkansas's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and 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 effectiveness of Legal Aid of Arkansas's 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 Legal Aid of Arkansas's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Goakum, Lovell of Co., PSC Certified Public Accountants

Benton, Arkansas April 15, 2020

Legal Aid of Arkansas Statements of Financial Position December 31, 2019 and 2018

Assets	2019	2018
Current Assets		
Cash	\$1,248,986	\$1,499,822
Client Trust Deposits	8,112	5,524
Grants and Contracts Receivable	173,041	103,169
Prepaid Expenses	62,652	34,613
Total Current Assets	1,492,791	1,643,128
Property and Equipment, Net	271,807	262,404
Total Assets	\$1,764,598	\$1,905,532
Liabilities and Net Assets		
Current Liabilities		
Accounts Payable	\$ 16,332	\$ 15,192
Accrued Expenses	123,301	82,670
Accrued Leave	92,186	84,047
Client Deposits Held in Trust	8,112	5,524
Deferred Support	110,557	197,575
Current Portion of Long-Term Debt	22,930	16,575
Total Current Liabilities	373,418	401,583
Long-Term Debt	26,157_	156,737_
Total Liabilities	399,575	558,320
Net Assets		
Without Donor Restrictions		
Arkansas Filing Fees	331,446	400,814
Donations	766,035	734,298
Property	184,343	64,620
Total Without Donor Restrictions	1,281,824	1,199,732
With Donor Restrictions		
LSC Basic Field	31,113	119,883
National Health Law Program		3,125
Arkansas Access to Justice	13,709	
Property	38,377_	24,472
Total With Donor Restrictions	83,199	147,480
Total Net Assets	1,365,023	1,347,212
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$1,764,598	\$1,905,532

Legal Aid of Arkansas Statement of Activities For the Year Ended December 31, 2019

	Without Donor	With Donor	
_	Restrictions	Restrictions	Total
Support			
Grants and Contracts	\$	\$2,986,567	\$2,986,567
Contributions	112,236		112,236
Other Support	184,452	24,500	208,952
Donated Services		582,820	582,820
Miscellaneous		57,534	57,534
Interest		26,533	26,533
Net Assets Released from			
Restriction	_3,742,235_	(3,742,235)	
Total Support	4,038,923	(64,281)	3,974,642
Expenses			
Program Services	3,629,120		3,629,120
Supporting Services			
Management and General	327,711		327,711
Total Expenses	3,956,831		3,956,831
Change in Net Assets	82,092	(64,281)	17,811
Net Assets at Beginning of Year	1,199,732	147,480	1,347,212
Net Assets at End of Year	\$1,281,824	\$ 83,199	\$1,365,023

Legal Aid of Arkansas Statement of Activities For the Year Ended December 31, 2018

	Without	With	
	Donor	Donor	
	Restrictions	Restrictions	Total
Support			
Grants and Contracts	\$	\$2,688,002	\$2,688,002
Contributions	136,072		136,072
Other Support	250,214	3,700	253,914
Donated Services		487,999	487,999
Miscellaneous	•	54,742	54,742
Interest		13,344	13,344
Net Assets Released from			
Restriction	3,191,984	(3,191,984)	
Total Support	3,578,270	55,803	3,634,073
Expenses			
Program Services	3,082,093	•	3,082,093
Supporting Services			
Management and General	282,492		282,492
Total Expenses	3,364,585_		3,364,585
Change in Net Assets	213,685	55,803	269,488
Net Assets at Beginning of Year	986,047	91,677	1,077,724
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Net Assets at End of Year	\$1,199,732	\$ 147,480	\$1,347,212

Legal Aid of Arkansas Statements of Functional Expenses For the Years Ended December 31, 2019 and 2018

		2019			2018		
	Program	Supporting		Program	Supporting		
	Services	Services	Total	Services	Services	Total	
Expenses							
Salaries	\$2,180,651	\$ 237,970	\$2,418,621	\$1,864,239	\$ 193,555	\$2,057,794	
Fringe Benefits	398,960	25,344	424,304	335,269	20,614	355,883	
Professional Dues	9,499	7,049	16,548	15,832	920	16,752	
Audit	15,000		15,000	15,000		15,000	
Insurance	18,438	11,850	30,288	16,437	8,341	24,778	
Contract Services	23,369		23,369	10,917		10,917	
Training and Travel	63,953	9,125	73,078	45,770	12,912	58,682	
Local Mileage	76,783	10,670	87,453	68,822	9,749	78,571	
Utilities and Janitorial	70,931	4,716	75,647	50,017	1,621	51,638	
Office Supplies	61,286	14,532	75,818	49,322	15,700	65,022	
Postage	13,773	56	13,829	13,674	15	13,689	
Telecommunications	50,846	4,937	55,783	36,340	13,101	49,441	
Library	17,586		17,586	16,781		16,781	
Repairs and Maintenance	14,617	674	15,291	19,156		19,156	
Litigation	9,241		9,241	6,881		6,881	
Advertising	783	788	1,571	2,205	5,964	8,169	
Miscellaneous				3,085		3,085	
Interest Expense	5,238		5,238	9,415		9,415	
Donated Services	582,820		582,820	487,999		487,999	
Depreciation	15,346		15,346	14,932		14,932	
Total Expenses	\$3,629,120	\$ 327,711	\$3,956,831	\$3,082,093	\$ 282,492	\$3,364,585	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Legal Aid of Arkansas Statements of Cash Flows For the Years Ended December 31, 2019 and 2018

	2019	2018
Cash Flows from Operating Activities		
Changes in Net Assets	\$ 17,811	\$ 269,488
Items Not Requiring Cash:		
Depreciation Expense	15,346	14,932
(Increase) Decrease In:		
Grants and Contracts Receivable	(69,872)	(58,723)
Prepaid Expenses and Other Assets	(28,039)	642
Increase (Decrease) In:		
Accounts Payable	1,140	(2,462)
Accrued Expenses	40,631	15,977
Accrued Leave	8,139	8,507
Deferred Support	(87,018)	10,146
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	(101,862)	258,507
Cash Flows from Investing Activities		
Purchases of Property and Equipment	(24,749)	
Net Cash Used by Investing Activities	(24,749)	
Cook Flows from Financing Asticities		
Cash Flows from Financing Activities	(404.005)	(47 504)
Payments on Long-Term Debt	(124,225)	(17,521)
Net Cash Used by Financing Activities	(124,225)	(17,521)
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash	(250,836)	240,986
Cash at Beginning of Year	1,499,822	1,258,836
Cash at End of Year	\$1,248,986	\$1,499,822

Note 1: Basis of Presentation

The Organization is required to report information regarding its financial position and activities according to two classes of net assets:

<u>Without Donor Restrictions</u>— Those resources over which the Organization has discretionary control.

<u>With Donor Restrictions</u> - Those resources subject to donor imposed restrictions which will be satisfied by actions of the Organization or passage of time or those resources subject to a donor imposed restriction that requires they be maintained permanently by the Organization.

Note 2: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

- A. **Operations** Legal Aid of Arkansas is a nonprofit corporation organized for the purpose of providing legal assistance in noncriminal proceedings to persons who are financially unable to afford legal assistance in northern Arkansas.
- B. Grants and Contract Support The Organization recognizes grant funds from Legal Services Corporation (LSC) and various other organizations as support on a straight-line basis over the contract period, and any remaining unused grant funds at year end are carried in the net assets. Grants and contracts whose contract period extend beyond the end of the year are recorded as deferred revenue. In accordance with LSC policy, the Organization may use unspent LSC funds in future periods as long as expenses incurred are in compliance with the specified terms of the LSC grant. In exchange for the grants and contracts, the Organization provides legal assistances for eligible clients.

LSC may, at its discretion, request reimbursement for expenses or return of unexpended funds, or both, as a result of noncompliance by the Organization with the terms of the grant. In addition, if the Organization terminates its LSC grant activities, all unexpended funds are to be returned to LSC. Other support is provided by donations and interest income.

- C. Donated Services Donated services represent services rendered by various attorneys and volunteers in northern Arkansas and office space made available at one location at no charge to Legal Aid of Arkansas. The value of the donated services is based upon the fee normally charged by the professional rendering the services and fair rental value of the office space. Donated services are recognized both as support and costs in the accompanying financial statements and, therefore, do not add to the net assets.
- D. Cash and Cash Equivalents For the purposes of reporting cash flows, cash and cash equivalents include all cash on hand, deposited in financial institutions, or deposited in certificates of deposit. All of the available cash is readily accessible to cover any expenses during the next fiscal year.
- E. **Property and Equipment** Property acquired with LSC funds is considered to be owned by Legal Aid of Arkansas while used in the program or in future authorized programs. However, Legal Services Corporation retains a reversionary interest in the property as well as determination of use of any proceeds from the sale of those assets.

The Organization follows the practice of capitalizing at cost all expenditures for property in excess of \$5,000 with a useful life of at least one year. Depreciation is computed on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life.

The following useful lives have been assigned to the property and equipment:

Building 30 years
Furniture and Equipment 5 - 10 years
Leasehold Improvements 5 - 10 years

Note 2: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (cont'd)

F. **Deferred Revenue** – Funds received under exchange transactions for future use are deferred and recognized over the period to which the revenue relates.

Note 3: Income Taxes

Legal Aid of Arkansas is exempt from federal and state income taxes under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Therefore, no income tax provisions have been made. The organization annually files the form 990 tax return with the IRS. The tax years 2016, 2017, 2018 and 2019 are subject to examination by the IRS, generally for three years after they are filed.

Note 4: Commitments

Legal Aid of Arkansas has entered into the following non-cancelable leases for building space:

Location	Term	Annual Amount
Harrison	Ends September 30, 2021	\$8,700
Helena	Month-to-month	\$7,200
West Memphis	Month-to-month	\$7,200
Rogers	Ends August 31, 2024	\$11,476
Little Rock	Ends May 31, 2022	\$14,400

Rental expenses for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2018, were \$49,526 and \$23,373, respectively. Future minimum lease payments under operating leases that have remaining terms as of December 31, 2019, are \$41,967 for 2020, \$39,022 for 2021, \$24,001 for 2022, \$11,476 for 2023 and \$7,651 for 2024. This includes the lease for two copiers.

Note 5: Defined Contribution Plan

The Organization adopted a 403(b) thrift plan beginning in 2009, covering all employees. Previously, the organization had a saving incentive match plan for employees (simple) covering full-time employees who earned over \$5,000. The Organization's contributions to the plan are determined annually by the Board of Directors. The rate of matching contributions was 5% for 2019 and 2018. Total contributions by the Organization in 2019 and 2018 were \$78,662 and \$56,326, respectively.

Note 6: Client Deposits Held in Trust

Client funds are maintained by Legal Aid of Arkansas in a separate bank account. These funds are required to pay for court costs and other expenses incurred while representing Legal Aid of Arkansas's clients.

Note 7: Property and Equipment

The following is a summary of property and equipment at December 31:

	<u>2019</u>	2018
Land	\$ 8,000	\$ 8,000
Buildings	443,269	443,269
Furniture and Equipment	122,202	122,202
Leasehold Improvements	108,497	83,748
Total Property and Equipment	681,968	657,219
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	_(410,161)	(394,815)
Property and Equipment, Net	\$ 271,807	\$ 262,404

Note 8: Private Attorney Involvement

The private attorney involvement exceeded 12 1/2% requirement set forth by Legal Services Corporation in 2019 and 2018.

Note 9: Long-Term Debt

	2019	2018
5.0% note payable, payable in monthly payments of \$2,072, principal and interest through May 2022, at which time the remaining balance will be due,		
secured by real estate	\$ 49,087	\$ 173,312
Less: Current Portion	22,930	<u>16,575</u>
Total Long-Term Debt	<u>\$ 26,157</u>	<u>\$ 156,737</u>

The future scheduled maturities of long-term debt are as follows for the year ended December 31:

2020	\$ 22,93	0
2021	24,10	4
2022	2,05	3
	\$ 49,08	7

Interest paid for the year ended December 31, 2019 and 2018, was \$5,239 and \$9,415, respectively.

Note 10: Concentration of Funding

Approximately 46% and 50% of the organization's funding is provided from grants from Legal Services Corporation for both years ended December 31, 2019 and 2018, respectively.

Note 11: Contingencies

During 2014, Newport Economic Development Commission (NEDC) agreed to pay \$13,800 for roof repairs to a building owned by Legal Aid of Arkansas that is located in Newport, Arkansas. The agreement with NEDC created a mortgage on the property for \$13,800 that will be forgiven annually at 10% through 2024. NEDC will only collect the mortgage if the property is sold by Legal Aid of Arkansas before the end of the ten years.

Note 12: Net Assets With Donor Restrictions

As discussed in Note 1, the funds received by certain funding sources are recognized when received, but will only be released from restriction upon meeting the stipulations by that funding source. Net assets with donor restrictions from property and equipment represent the net book value of the property and equipment that was purchased with funds that restrict the use of those assets to certain programs. The following is a schedule of net assets that remained temporarily restricted as of December 31:

	 2019	 2018
LSC – Basic Field	\$ 31,113	\$ 119,883
National Health Law Program		3,125
Arkansas Access to Justice	13,709	
Property	 38,377	 24,472
Total Net Assets With Donor Restrictions	\$ 83,199	\$ 147,480

Note 13: Estimates

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

Note 14: Subsequent Events

Subsequent events were evaluated through April 15, 2020, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

Subsequent to the end of the year, but prior to the issuance of the financial statements, the Organization received a Payroll Protection Program loan, a provision of the CARES Act, of approximately \$520,000. If the loan is used for payroll costs and certain overhead expenses, it can be entirely forgiven. If the Organization does not spend all of this loan on those expenses, the remaining amount is considered to be a loan and has a maturity date of two years at 1% interest rate.

Note 15: Functional Expenses

The costs of providing various programs and other activities have been summarized on a functional basis in the Statement of Activities. The Statement of Functional Expenses presents the natural classification of expenses by function. Accordingly, certain costs have been allocated among the programs and supporting services benefited. The expenses that are allocated include utilities and janitorial, which are allocated on a square footage basis, as well as personnel costs, office expenses, training and travel, insurance, and other expenses, which are allocated on the basis of estimates of time and effort.

Note 16: Reclassification

Certain amounts in the prior year financial statements have been reclassified for comparative purposes to conform with the presentation in the current year financial statements.

Legal Aid of Arkansas Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards For the Year Ended December 31, 2019

Federal Grantor, Pass-Through Grantor and Program Title	Federal CFDA Number	Federal Expeditures
Legal Services Corporation - Basic Field Legal Services Corporation - Pro Bono Innovation Legal Services Corporation - Disaster Funds	09.604020 09.604020 09.604020	\$1,566,797 48,262 32,200 1,647,259
U.S. Department of Justice Pass-Through Program from Arkansas Department of Finance and Administration (Office of Inter-Governmental Services) - VOCA Pass-Through Program from Equal Justice Works: Crime Victim Assistance/Discretionary Grants	16.575	240,467
Total U.S. Department of Justice	16.582	54,520 294,987
U.S. Department of the Treasury Low Income Taxpayer Clinic Grant	21.008	64,000
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Rural Health Care Services Outreach - Opioids	93.912	76,248
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Pass-Through Program from Arkansas Department of Human Services: Title IIIB (White River Area Agency on Aging) Title IIIB (Northwest Arkansas Area Agency on Aging) Title IIIB (East Arkansas Area Agency on Aging)	93.044 93.044 93.044	2,781 9,488 35,000 47,269
Total U.S. Department of Health and Human Services		123,517
U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Education and Outreach Initiatives	14.416	175,398_
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards		\$2,305,161

- Note 1: Basis of Presentation The schedule of expenditures of federal awards (the schedule) includes the federal award activity of Legal Aid of Arkansas (LAA) under programs of the federal government for the year ended December 31, 2019. The information in this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost, Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance). Because the schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of LAA, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in net assets, or cash flows of LAA.
- Note 2: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies Expenditures reported on the schedule are reported on the accrual basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in the Uniform Guidance, wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowable or are limited as to reimbursement. Negative amounts shown on the schedule represent adjustments or credits made in the normal course of business to amounts reported as expenditures in prior years.
- Note 3: Indirect Cost Rates LAA has elected not to use the 10 percent de minimis indirect cost rate as allowed under the Uniform Guidance.

	Arkansas Filing			
	Fees	Donations	Property	Total
Support	· .			
Cash Donations	\$	\$ 112,236	4 \$	\$ 112,236
Other Support	184,452			184,452
Total Support	184,452	112,236		296,688
Expenses				
Personnel				
Salaries	73,670	21,749		95,419
Fringe Benefits	30,285	3,271		33,556
Other	33,233	0,2.		00,000
Professional Dues	8,590			8,590
Insurance	-,	3,279		3,279
Contract Services		3,840		3,840
Training and Travel	2,872	210		3,082
Local Mileage	5,093	14,093		19,186
Utilities and Janitorial		21,153		21,153
Office Supplies	345	1,559		1,904
Postage		804		804
Telecommunications		2,227		2,227
Library		489		489
Repairs and Maintenance		1,211		1,211
Litigation		3,894		3,894
Advertising		101		101
Interest	2,619	2,619		5,238
Depreciation	,	,	10,623	10,623
Total Expenses	123,474	80,499	10,623	214,596
Support over (under) Expenses	60,978	31,737	(10,623)	82,092
Payments on Long-Term Debt	(124,225)		124,225	
Acquistion of Property	(6,121)		6,121	
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Change in Net Assets	(69,368)	31,737	119,723	82,092
Net Assets at Beginning of Year	400,814	734,298	64,620	1,199,732
Net Assets at End of Year	\$ 331,446	\$ 766,035	\$ 184,343	\$1,281,824

Support	LSC Basic Field	LSC Pro Bono Innovation	LSC Disaster Funds	Medical Legal Partnership
Support Grants and Contracts Donated Services Attorney Fees Miscellaneous Other Support	\$1,478,027 582,820 4,300	\$ 48,262	\$ 32,200	\$ 171,661
Interest Income	12,321			
Total Support	2,077,468	48,262	32,200	171,661
Expenses Personnel				
Salaries Fringe Benefits	1,010,078 202,190	38,112 7,259	27,357 4,843	138,458 24,511
Other	,,	7,200	1,010	21,011
Professional Dues Audit Insurance Contract Services	7,958 15,000 27,009 16,306			
Training and Travel Local Mileage Rent, Utilities and Janitorial	50,109 37,567 44,494	1,464 606		1,785 3,861
Office Supplies Postage	59,454 12,148	782		538
Telecommunications Library Repairs and Maintenance	49,650 16,645	39		1,245
Litigation Advertising Donated Services Depreciation	13,558 1,204 1,420 582,820			1,213 50
Total Expenses	2,147,610	48,262	32,200	171,661
Support over (under) Expenses Acquistion of Property	(70,142) (18,628)			
Changes in Net Assets	(88,770)			
Net Assets at Beginning of Year	119,883			
Net Assets at End of Year	\$ 31,113	\$	\$	\$

O	Equal Justice Area Works - Agencies CVJC on Aging			IF	RS-LITC	Arkansas Access to Justice Foundation Fair Housing		
Support Grants and Contracts	\$	54,520	\$	47,269	\$	64,000	\$	145,207
Donated Services	Ψ	0 1,020	Ψ	17,200	Ψ	01,000	. Ψ	140,207
Attorney Fees				500				
Miscellaneous								
Other Support Interest Income								
Total Support		54,520		47,769		64,000		145 207
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Expenses								
Personnel								
Salaries		45,420		40,585		64,000		97,060
Fringe Benefits Other		6,042		7,184				21,916
Professional Dues								
Audit								
Insurance								
Contract Services								
Training and Travel		1,838						264
Local Mileage Utilities and Janitorial		1,154					4	4,798
Office Supplies		66						2,400 4,787
Postage								4,707
Telecommunications								78
Library								
Repairs and Maintenance								
Litigation Advertising								195
Donated Services								
Depreciation								
Total Expenses		54,520		47,769		64,000		131,498
Changes in Net Assets								13,709
Net Assets at Beginning of Year		·····						
Net Assets at End of Year	\$		\$		\$		\$	13,709

	United Way of							
		orthwest	N	ortheast				
		rkansas	Α	rkansas	G	Greater		Mid-
		ounties	C	ounties	Bl	ytheville		South
Support								
Grants and Contracts	\$	63,218	\$	13,125	\$	3,000	\$	4,890
Donated Services						•		
Attorney Fees		300						
Miscellaneous								
Other Support		3,000						
Interest Income								
Total Support		66,518		13,125		3,000		4,890
Expenses								
Personnel								
Salaries		56,968		11,151		2,549		4,155
Fringe Benefits		9,550		1,974		451		735
Other								
Professional Dues								
Audit								
Insurance								
Contract Services						* *		
Training and Travel								
Local Mileage								
Utilities and Janitorial								
Office Supplies								
Postage								
Telecommunications								
Library								
Repairs and Maintenance								
Litigation Advertising								
Donated Services								
Depreciation								
		00.510		10.105		0.000		4.000
Total Expenses		66,518		13,125		3,000		4,890
Changes in Net Assets								
Net Assets at Beginning of Year		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	-					
Net Assets at End of Year	\$		\$		\$		\$	

	HUD/ Fair Housing	VOCA	IOLTA	National Health Law Program
Support Grants and Contracts	¢ 175 200	¢ 040 467	ф 204 EZE	Φ 07.500
Donated Services	\$ 175,398	\$ 240,467	\$ 331,575	\$ 37,500
Attorney Fees	2,000			
Miscellaneous	1,148			
Other Support	,,,,,			
Interest Income				
Total Support	178,546	240,467	331,575	37,500
Expenses				*
Personnel				
Salaries	124,872	232,399	274,425	31,330
Fringe Benefits	21,144	8,068	48,562	5,640
Other				
Professional Dues				
Audit				
Insurance				
Contract Services	3,223		0.707	4 0 4 0
Training and Travel Local Mileage	4,480		3,767	1,846
Utilities and Janitorial	6,317 7,600		1,168	1,809
Office Supplies	6,340		1,530	*
Postage	696		181	
Telecommunications	1,829		278	
Library	452			
Repairs and Maintenance	522			
Litigation	1,071		1,664	
Advertising				
Donated Services				
Depreciation				
Total Expenses	178,546	240,467	331,575	40,625
Changes in Net Assets				(3,125)
Net Assets at Beginning of Year				3,125
Net Assets at End of Year	\$	\$	\$	\$

Support	Cor	Rural nmunities Opioid	 Other	Property		Total
Support Grants and Contracts Donated Services Attorney Fees	\$	76,248	\$	\$	Ç	\$2,986,567 582,820 7,100
Miscellaneous Other Support Interest Income			56,386 14,400 14,212			57,534 17,400 26,533
Total Support		76,248	84,998			3,677,954
Expenses Personnel						
Salaries Fringe Benefits Other		52,069 7,895	72,214 12,784			2,323,202 390,748
Professional Dues Audit Insurance						7,958 15,000 27,009
Contract Services Training and Travel Local Mileage Utilities and Janitorial		4,443 10,987				19,529 69,996 68,267
Office Supplies Postage		417				54,494 73,914 13,025
Telecommunications Library Repairs and Maintenance		437				53,556 17,097 14,080
Litigation Advertising Donated Services				4.700		5,347 1,470 582,820
Depreciation Total Expenses		76,248	 34,998	4,723		4,723 3,742,235
Support over (under) Expenses Acquistion of Property		Ni san		(4,723 18,628		(64,281)
Changes in Net Assets				13,905	5	(64,281)
Net Assets at Beginning of Year				24,472	<u> </u>	147,480
Net Assets at End of Year	\$		\$	\$ 38,377	<u> </u>	83,199

	Arkansas Filing Fees	Donations	Property	Total
Support				
Cash Donations	\$	\$ 136,072	\$	\$ 136,072
Other Support	250,214			250,214
Total Support	250,214	136,072		386,286
Expenses				
Personnel				
Salaries	79,172			79,172
Fringe Benefits	34,161			34,161
Other	•			
Professional Dues	6,666			6,666
Training and Travel	6,218			6,218
Local Mileage	4,555			4,555
Rent, Utilities and Janitorial		3,898		3,898
Office Supplies	5,630	2,251		7,881
Postage		426		426
Telecommunications		401		401
Repairs and Maintenance		5,005		5,005
Advertising		1,503		1,503
Miscellaneous		3,085		3,085
Interest	4,708	4,707		9,415
Depreciation			10,215	10,215
Total Expenses	141,110	21,276	10,215	172,601
Support over (under) Expenses	109,104	114,796	(10,215)	213,685
Payments on Long-Term Debt	(17,521)		17,521	
Change in Net Assets	91,583	114,796	7,306	213,685
Net Assets at Beginning of Year	309,231	619,502	57,314	986,047
Net Assets at End of Year	\$ 400,814	\$ 734,298	\$ 64,620	\$1,199,732

0	LSC Basic Field	VOCA	HUD/ Fair Housing	Medical Legal Partnership		
Support Grants and Contracts	\$1,557,645	\$ 149,056	s \$ 84,769	\$ 190,249		
Donated Services	487,999	Ψ 140,000	ο φ 04,70 9	φ 190,249		
Attorney Fees	•	1,500)			
Miscellaneous						
Interest Income	6,606					
Total Support	2,052,250	150,556	84,769	190,249		
Expenses						
Personnel						
Salaries	1,012,821	115,805	66,983	153,847		
Fringe Benefits	162,815	21,186	•	27,228		
Other				,		
Professional Dues	9,745					
Audit	15,000					
Insurance	24,778					
Contract Services	7,347					
Training and Travel	36,567	701	4,225	2,946		
Local Mileage	42,123	10,654	ļ	3,295		
Utilities and Janitorial	46,940					
Office Supplies	45,810	1,833		2,421		
Postage	12,865					
Telecommunications	49,040					
Library	14,397					
Repairs and Maintenance	14,151					
Litigation	5,829	377	•	462		
Advertising	6,616			50		
Donated Services Depreciation	487,999					
Total Expenses	1,994,843	150,556	84,769	190,249		
Support over (under) Expenses Acquistion of Property	57,407					
Changes in Net Assets	57,407					
Net Assets at Beginning of Year	62,476					
Net Assets at End of Year	\$ 119,883	\$	\$	\$		

Support	Equal Justice Works - CVJC	Area Agencies on Aging	IRS-LITC	Arkansas Access to Justice Foundation Fair Housing		
Grants and Contracts Donated Services Attorney Fees Miscellaneous	\$ 31,085	\$ 47,944	\$ 60,000	\$ 85,521		
Interest Income						
Total Support	31,085	47,944	60,000	85,521		
Expenses Personnel						
Salaries Fringe Benefits Other Professional Dues Audit	26,092 3,627	40,733 7,211	60,000	53,589 10,792		
Insurance Contract Services Training and Travel Local Mileage	1,016			3,015 2,889 7,375		
Utilities and Janitorial Office Supplies Postage Telecommunications	350			800 5,476 101		
Library Repairs and Maintenance Litigation Advertising Donated Services Depreciation				1,484		
Total Expenses	31,085	47,944	60,000	85,521		
Changes in Net Assets				,		
Net Assets at Beginning of Year						
Net Assets at End of Year	\$	\$	\$	\$		

		United Way of						
	Α	Northwest Arkansas Counties		ortheast rkansas ounties		ireater /theville	Mid- South	
Support Grants and Contracts Donated Services Attorney Fees Miscellaneous Interest Income	\$	78,811	\$	15,909	\$	3,000	\$	4,005
Total Support		78,811		15,909		3,000		4,005
Expenses Personnel								
Salaries Fringe Benefits Other Professional Dues Audit Insurance Contract Services Training and Travel Local Mileage Utilities and Janitorial Office Supplies Postage Telecommunications Library Repairs and Maintenance Litigation Advertising Donated Services		66,961 11,850		13,516 2,393		2,549 451		3,403 602
Depreciation								
Total Expenses		78,811		15,909		3,000		4,005
Changes in Net Assets								
Net Assets at Beginning of Year	***************************************			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			-	NINA ALI
Net Assets at End of Year	\$		\$		\$		\$	

		United \	Nay	of			Equal Iustice
		pendence County		Boone County	IOLTA	Works- Americorps	
Support	-				 		iericorps
Grants and Contracts Donated Services	\$	3,000	\$	2,500	\$ 282,729	\$	19,046
Attorney Fees					2,200		
Miscellaneous					·		5,000
Interest Income		2.000		0.500	 004.000	·	04.040
Total Support		3,000		2,500	 284,929		24,046
Expenses Personnel							
Salaries		2,549		2,124	231,770		24,058
Fringe Benefits Other		451		376	41,030		
Professional Dues					341		
Audit							
Insurance Contract Services					555		
Training and Travel					4,313		
Local Mileage					5,587		
Utilities and Janitorial Office Supplies					233		
Postage							
Telecommunications Library					900		
Repairs and Maintenance					900		
Litigation					200		
Advertising Donated Services							
Depreciation							
Total Expenses		3,000		2,500	 284,929		24,058
Changes in Net Assets							(12)
Net Assets at Beginning of Year	****			-	 7,000,000,000	***************************************	12
Net Assets at End of Year	\$		\$		\$	\$	

	National Health Law			.
Support	Program	Other	Property	Total
Grants and Contracts Donated Services Attorney Fees	\$ 58,333		\$	\$2,688,002 487,999 3,700
Miscellaneous Interest Income		49,742 6,738		54,742 13,344
Total Support	58,333			3,247,787
Expenses Personnel				
Salaries	41,602	60,220		1,978,622
Fringe Benefits Other	7,489	10,660		321,722
Professional Dues				10,086
Audit				15,000
Insurance				24,778
Contract Services				10,917
Training and Travel	823			52,464
Local Mileage	3,966			74,016
Utilities and Janitorial				47,740
Office Supplies	1,018			57,141
Postage	297			13,263
Telecommunications				49,040
Library				16,781
Repairs and Maintenance				14,151
Litigation	13			6,881
Advertising				6,666
Donated Services				487,999
Depreciation			4,717	4,717
Total Expenses	55,208	70,880	4,717	3,191,984
Support over (under) Expenses Acquistion of Property	3,125		(4,717)	55,803
Changes in Net Assets	3,125		(4,717)	55,803
Net Assets at Beginning of Year			29,189	91,677
Net Assets at End of Year	\$ 3,125	\$	\$ 24,472	\$ 147,480

Legal Aid of Arkansas Statements of Private Attorney Involvement For the Years Ended December 31, 2019 and 2018

Cupport	2019	2018
Support Grants and Contracts	\$ 190,399	\$ 194,720
Donated Services	582,820	487,999
Total Support	773,219	682,719
Expenses		
Personnel		
Salaries	130,495	131,118
Fringe Benefits	21,918	22,010
Other		
Professional Dues	480	270
Insurance	758	656
Contracts		60
Training and Travel		3,475
Local Mileage	17,185	14,499
Space Rent	2,538	1,446
Office Supplies	8,153	8,962
Postage	714	887
Telecommunications	3,353	3,058
Library	908	1,038
Repairs and Maintenance	2,139	2,933
Litigation	1,078	2,116
Advertising	680	505
Miscellaneous		1,687
Donated Services	582,820_	487,999
Total Expenses	773,219	682,719_
Support over (under) Expenses	\$	\$

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CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Independent Auditors' 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

Board of Directors Legal Aid of Arkansas Jonesboro, Arkansas

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 Legal Aid of Arkansas (a nonprofit organization), which comprise the statements of financial position as of December 31, 2019 and 2018, and the related statements of activities and cash flows for the years then ended, and related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated April 15, 2020.

Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered Legal Aid of Arkansas'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 Legal Aid of Arkansas's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Legal Aid of Arkansas'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 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.

Compliance and other matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Legal Aid of Arkansas'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*.

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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Benton, Arkansas April 15, 2020

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CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Independent Auditors' Report on Compliance for Each Major Program and on Internal Control over Compliance Required by the Uniform Guidance

Board of Directors Legal Aid of Arkansas Jonesboro, Arkansas

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

We have audited Legal Aid of Arkansas's compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of Legal Aid of Arkansas's major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2019. Legal Aid of Arkansas's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with federal statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of its federal awards applicable to its federal programs.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of Legal Aid of Arkansas's major federal programs based on our audit of the types of compliance requirement referred to above. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance); and Legal Services Corporation Office of Inspector General's Audit Guide for Recipients and Auditors (November 1996) and 2016 Compliance Supplement for Audits of LSC Recipients. Those standards and the Uniform Guidance require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about Legal Aid of Arkansas's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of Legal Aid of Arkansas's compliance.

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

In our opinion, Legal Aid of Arkansas complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2019.

Report on Internal Control over Compliance

Management of Legal Aid of Arkansas is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered Legal Aid of Arkansas's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal program to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for each major federal program and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Legal Aid of Arkansas's internal control over compliance.

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

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

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

Gertified Public Accountants

Benton, Arkansas April 15, 2020

Legal Aid of Arkansas Summary Schedule of Prior Audit Findings For the Year Ended December 31, 2019

There were no prior year audit findings.

Legal Aid of Arkansas Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs For the Year Ended December 31, 2019

A. Summary of Audit Results

- 1. The independent auditors' report expresses an unmodified opinion on the financial statements of Legal Aid of Arkansas.
- 2. No material weaknesses were identified during the audit of the financial statements.
- 3. No instances of noncompliance material to the financial statements of Legal Aid of Arkansas, which would be required to be reported in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, were disclosed during the audit.
- 4. No material weaknesses were identified during the audit of the major federal award program.
- 5. The independent auditors' report on compliance for the major federal award program expresses an unmodified opinion.
- 6. Audit findings that are required to be reported in accordance with 2 CFR Section 200.516(a) are reported in Part C. of this schedule.
- 7. The federal award program tested as a major program was the Legal Services Corporation (CFDA #09.604020).
- 8. The threshold for distinguishing type A and B programs was \$750,000.
- 9. Legal Aid of Arkansas was determined to be a high-risk auditee.
- B. Findings Financial Statements Audit

None Noted

C. Findings and Questioned Costs - Major Federal Award Programs Audit

None Noted