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Social & Economic Justice for All

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Namaskar,

It is that time of year again! Make travel plans, take in the summer season, and spend much of the time outdoors. We hope all of you have planned for an exciting summer that we all have been waiting for. At Maharashtra Foundation (MF) we also await arrival of the summer for three main reasons. First, it helps us continue the conversation with our donors via the newsletter and the Annual General Body meeting, which is scheduled for July 17, 2016 this year. Second, it marks the start of planning for our annual fundraiser in New Jersey, which is scheduled for November 19, 2016 this year. And third, an important one, it also marks the start of the selection process for initiatives and projects to be funded in the next calendar year (2017).

Throughout the year we receive several project proposals from NGOs requesting funding. However, starting in the summer we carefully review each proposal and put it through our selection process. This typically involves making sure the applying NGO has a valid FCRA registration, ensuring that the proposed project aligns with MF principles, and finally ensuring that the project is set to have both short-term and long-term impacts to its beneficiaries. Throughout the selection process, we also engage in conversations with NGOs to get additional information, and also work with our volunteers to visit NGOs in India before a decision is made on the proposal. I remain confident, that for next year we will have a good mix of projects that are aligned with our principles of social and economic justice for all and the emphasis on women’s empowerment, and are poised to deliver maximum long-term benefit to their beneficiaries. We have continued the trend to deliver successful initiatives by launching ‘Save The Farmers’ initiative at last year’s fundraiser. I am happy to report that we have had a tremendous response, and have partnered with BMM and other local organizations to raise significant amount of donations for this initiative. We have a specific project with a non-profit ‘Save Indian Farmers’, that is targeted to assist beneficiaries in the drought affected regions. We also have a project underway to address the long term issue related to the drought, by connecting with the local officials, spreading awareness, and educating the beneficiaries on preventive measures in the affected region. One of our volunteers is on the ground in affected areas leading this initiative. This year alone, we have supported seven projects, one initiative, and partnered with an NGO in Nepal to help rebuild schools in areas affected by earthquake. All-in-all, we have raised substantial amount through May 2016.

Looking ahead, our team will continue to grow this organization by partnering with local organizations across the country, conducting events in major cities, and more importantly by listening to you, our donors. We are fortunate to have a geographically dispersed team, allowing us to have conversations with our donors. So please feel free to reach out! We like to hear from you! Lastly, we hope to see you all this year in person at one or more of our events. Please stay connected and visit our website to hear about all upcoming events and news. We truly appreciate your support!

Ankush Karnik

Maharashtra Foundation Annual general Body Meeting

Dear Maharashtra Foundation Member,

As required by the constitution, the Annual General Body Meeting will be held on July 17, 2016. All members are invited to attend and participate in the meeting.

The details of the meeting are as follows:

Place: Residence of Rajiv Bhalerao
82 Rocky Hill Rd,
Princeton NJ 08540

Date: Sunday, July 17, 2016 .

Time: 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM

Agenda:

1. Approval of minutes of General Body Meeting 2015
2. President's Report
3. Treasurer's Report
4. Introduction of BoD members/Ratification of terms
5. Election of new members
6. Project Reports - On-going Projects and New Projects
7. Annual Fund Raising Event in NJ
8. Any other item with the permission of the Chair.

Members are requested to send RSVP to MF secretary
(secretary@maharashtrafoundation.org) or call 908-534-4894 by July 15, 2016.

It will help us plan the seating and food arrangements.

Yours Sincerely,
Shirish Gupte.

Save the Date

Annual Fund raising event in NJ

MAHARASHTRA FOUNDATION ANNOUNCES Annual Fund raising event in New Jersey

DATE: 19 Novemebr 2016. VENUE: St. Demetrius Ukrainian Hall

(Just minutes from Exit 12 of the NJ Turnpike at 691 Roosevelt Ave in Carteret New Jersey)

Maharashtra Foundation Inc. Balance Sheet as of December 31, 2015

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Accrual Basis

MAHARASHTRA FOUNDATION INC

Balance Sheet

As of December 31, 2015

	Dec 31, 15
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	
1000 - Citibank Operating	29,724.22
1030 - Citibank Imma	20,128.67
1040 - Bank Of America Checking Acct	354,489.53
1055.1 - Td Bank America	
1055-4 - TD Bank Ameritrade1686	205,261.18
1055.2 - Td Bank Ameritrade 0844	374,172.34
Total 1055.1 - Td Bank America	579,453.52
1055.3 - Td Bank Ameritrade 1186	319,633.56
Total Checking/Savings	1,303,429.50
Other Current Assets	
1065 - Pay Pal Account	27,130.75
Total Other Current Assets	27,130.75
Total Current Assets	1,330,560.25
Fixed Assets	
2400 - Office Equipment	10,443.26
2450 - Accumulated Depreciation	-10,443.26
Total Fixed Assets	0.00
Other Assets	
2500 - RJ Investments	
2510 - RJ Deehpande 85967850	197,581.47
2520 - RJ Elite 52273430	30,777.70
2540 - RJ Khedkar 52518847	128,160.34
2550 - RJ Tulshibawale 17797798	527,293.48
2560 - RJ Jahagirdar fund	831,342.76
Total 2500 - RJ Investments	1,715,155.75
Total Other Assets	1,715,155.75
TOTAL ASSETS	3,045,716.00
LIABILITIES & EQUITY	
Liabilities	
Current Liabilities	
Accounts Payable	
Accrued Expenses	5,275.00
Total Accounts Payable	5,275.00
Total Current Liabilities	5,275.00
Total Liabilities	5,275.00
Equity	
Unrestricted Net Assets	984,078.21
3000 - General Fund	279,638.73
3150 - Temporarily Restricted Funds	
3200 - Khedkar Fund	101,767.00
3210 - Deehpande Fund	125,439.28
3220 - Tulshibagwale Fund	439,601.12
3230 - Jahagirdar Fund	357,937.11
Total 3150 - Temporarily Restricted Funds	1,024,744.51
3500 - Endowment Fund Life/Patron & LI	792,462.31
Net Income	-40,482.76
Total Equity	3,040,441.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	3,045,716.00

Maharashtra Foundation Inc. Profit and Loss Statement as of December 31, 2015

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MAHARASHTRA FOUNDATION INC Profit & Loss January through December 2015

	Jan - Dec 15
Ordinary Income/Expense	
Income	
4000 - Direct Public Support	
4025 - Individual Donations	59,019.18
4000 - Direct Public Support - Other	509,868.12
Total 4000 - Direct Public Support	568,887.30
4500 - Investments	
4520 - Capital Gains/Losses Unrealized	-200,365.12
4530 - Investment Dividends	68,140.16
4540 - Investment Income CG Distribute	39,335.41
4550 - Interest-Savings, Short-term CD	113.10
Total 4500 - Investments	-92,776.45
4600 - Other Types of Income	
4610 - Miscellaneous Revenue	1,232.11
Total 4600 - Other Types of Income	1,232.11
4900 - Release from temporarily Restrict	135,600.00
Total Income	612,942.96
Gross Profit	612,942.96
Expense	
5000 - Donations/Disbursements	600,321.95
5100 - Business Expenses	50.00
5400 - Facilities and Equipment	250.00
5500 - Bank Charges	759.65
5510 - Investment fees	11,746.03
5600 - Contract Services	
5610 - Accounting Fees	3,500.00
Total 5600 - Contract Services	3,500.00
5640 - Fundraising Exp	27,369.27
5700 - Operations	
5710 - Advertisements Exp	960.00
5730 - Postage, Mailing Service	708.41
5740 - Printing and Copying	4,627.60
5770 - Taxes & Fees	550.00
5780 - Office Exp	1,433.81
Total 5700 - Operations	8,279.82
5800 - Other Types of Expenses	
5810 - Insurance - Liability, D and O	1,149.00
Total 5800 - Other Types of Expenses	1,149.00
Total Expense	653,425.72
Net Ordinary Income	-40,482.76
Net Income	-40,482.76

Atlanta Fundraiser Report—May 8, 2016

Maharashtra Foundation hosted a fundraiser in Atlanta on May 8th in association with Maharashtra Mandal of Atlanta (MMA). The event was attended by over 200 people at Berkmar High School in Lilburn, GA on Mothers' Day.

The event started with the famous satire written by "Mulgi Jhali Ho" written by Jyoti Mhapsekar of Stree Mukti Sanghatana (SMS). This play was performed by "Sakhi Group" from Research Triangle Park (RTP), North Carolina. The musical street play was very well received by the attendees. Thanks to the team led by Vaibhavi Arekar that performed this play in Atlanta in support of SMS. The event generated over \$5000 in pledges and donations for SMS.



The first play was followed by Maharashtra Foundation fundraiser. Shaila Vidwans, the current trustee of Maharashtra Foundation attended the event as the chief guest. Shaila and Vaibhav Sathe conducted the fundraiser and made the audience aware of the various projects undertaken by MF.



A small new group named Anna and Niwara (AAN) Foundation that is led by young volunteers from Atlanta Milind Thakre, Subodh Chintawar, Venkatesh Hiware and Suyog Buche that is working to support families of farmers affected by drought in Vidarbha district, has tied up with MF. Their presentation was

well received by the attendees and generated over \$4000 in pledges and donations.



The fundraiser was followed by the comedy "Sakhkhe Shejari" written by Sai Paranjpye, directed by Rajesh Joshi and presented by Kalasamwaad Team. The play was instrumental in attracting large audience for the fundraiser event and it is available for shows in other cities in the USA.

A large group of volunteers helped to make this event successful including Suresh Sane, Pallavee Patwardhan, Sonal and Tushar Mirajkar, Shreyas and Manisha Joshi, Chandan Gokhale, Rajesh Joshi, Swapna Kumthekar, Pallavi Sathe, Ritwik Sathe, Milind Shingne (Photography). Thanks to the generous donors from Atlanta, that helped in raising over \$24,000 in pledges and donations for SMS, AAN and various MF 2016 projects.

Vaibhav Sathe

Director-Maharashtra Foundation

Suwanee, GA

List of NGOs from September– December 2015

"Swa"-Roop Wardhinee
Aalochana Centre for Documentation & Research on Women
Aavishkar Society for Development of Mentally Handicapped
Abalashram, Bangalore
Adarsh Mahila Gruha Udyog, Latur
Anti Human Trafficking
Apne Aap Women's Collective
Aseema Charitable Trust
Barister Nath Pai Sevaangan, Malvan
Bharatiya Samaj Seva Kendra
BJ MC - PATH Project
Blind Relief Association
Cancer prevention - PRAYAS
Central Society of Education for Blind
Chaitanya: Promote Healthcare Jankars
Chembur Education Society, Mumbai
Community Aid & Sponsorship Program (CASP)
David Sassoon Infirm Asylum-Nivaran
Devi Ahalya Bai Smarak Samiti
Door Step School
Dr Dabholkar Award
Educate for Life (Hunar Ghar)
Family Counseling center project - AMGU
Gender based violence - HALO
Gender Sensitization - MAVA
Halo Medical Foundation
Helpers of the Handicapped
Indian Cancer Society, Solapur
Jagruti Seva Sanstha
Janseva Foundation (Mahad Flood Relief)
Janvikas Pratishthan
Janvikas Project
Jeevan Jyot Mandal
Jnana Prabodhini Medical Trust/Sanjeewan Hospital
Jnana Prabodhini- Solapur (Harali)
Jnana Prabodhini, Pune
JVK :Jamked Vikas Kendra - Support Orphans & Vulnerable Groups
Keshav Gore Smarak Trust (KGST)
Khedkar Project
KHEL project
Lata Mangeshkar Medical Foundation
Lions Comprehensive Eyecare Foundation
Lok Bharati
Maharishi Karve Stree Sikshan Sanstha
Maharogi Sewa Samiti
Maharogi Sewa Samiti - BMM collection
Maharogi Sewa Samiti- Warora
Maharshi Vinod Research Foundation
Maharshi Vinod Siddhashram Seva Mandal
Maitri
Malvan Education Society, Malvan
Manavya
Mata Balak Uttarkasha Pratishthan

MAVA: Men Against Violence & Abuse
Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center
WRCS: Prevent Deforestation
Muktangan Mitra
NAAM
Nari Samata Manch
Nepal Earthquake Relief fund
Parivartan
Pathak Vishwastha Nidhi (Trust)
Pragat Shikshan Sanstha
Pragat Shikshan Sansthan Potli Project -PSS
Prayas, Initiatives in Health, Energy, Learning and Parenthood
Public Health Foundation India
Purush Samvad Kendra - NSM
QUEST: Train the Trainer, Math Education
Ramkrishna Mission
Rayat Sikshan Sanstha
Rehabilitation of Mentally ill - Amrutvahini
Sadhana Village
Sakal India Foundation
Samkaleen Prakashan: Inspirational Books for Rural Schools
Saraswat Vidyarthi Sahayak Mandali
Saraswati Anath Shikshan Ashram (SASA)
Savali Seva Trust
Save Indian Farmers: Adopt-a-widow (MF)
SCHIZOPHRENIA AWARENESS ASSOCIATION
SEARCH-Society For Education & Research In Community Health
Shelter Associates, Pune
Shikshan Prasarak Mandal, Pune
Shree Amrutvahini Gram Vikas
Shri Apang Vikas Mandal
Shri Gajanan Maharaj Sansthan, Shegaon
Snehalaya (Anam Prem)
SOFOSH
Stree Mukti Sanghatana
Students Welfare Association, Pune
Suhrud Mandal
Swadhar
Swadhar IDWC
The Central Society for the Education of the Deaf
The Society for Door Step School
THINK Foundation
United Way of Central Jersey
Ushatai Lokhande Charitable Trust
V R Ruia Deaf & Dumb School
Vanchit Vikas
Vasundhara Public Charitable Trust
Vatsalya Trust
Vidnyan Vahini Project
Vikas Sadhak Vahini
Vision Maharashtra Foundation
Visuddhaloka
Vivekanand Kendra Kanyakumari

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Annual	\$20 \$	4. Save Indian Farmers: Adopt-a-widow		\$	
(B) General Funds	\$	5. QUEST: Train-the-Trainer, Math Education		\$	
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