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Annual Report



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I am pleased to present the 2011 Annual Report on behalf of the Board of Trustees of the FRPA Foundation. The priority of the Trustees continues to be reinvesting in the parks and recreation professional and the profession. This was critical as many were faced with economic conditions not like any before. The commitment by our donors and auction supporters allowed us to meet the financial goals to support this effort.

The Foundation Booth once again came alive in the center of the EXPO Hall at the Annual FRPA Conference. The recipients of the professional grants volunteered with Foundation Trustees providing a networking and leadership opportunity in a festive and fun environment.

The 2nd annual Foundation VIP Social was held in advance of the Auction. This event allowed VIP donors to gain a sneak peak at the hundreds of items available later in the evening.

Funds generated through donations and the auction provided the opportunity to again support the priorities of the FRPA. In an effort to maximize the funds available, the Foundation funding directly reached the largest education gatherings of professionals: The Joe Abrahams Academy for Leadership Excellence, and the Annual FRPA Conference closing session speaker. In addition, numerous scholarships were given to professionals.

The financial health of the Foundation remains sound as evidenced in the financial report. Prudent decisions were made in consultation with the Foundation financial advisor. The Trustees would like to give a special Thank you to T. Michael and Charlie Stavres for their sizable donation. The funds were to establish a scholarship fund specifically for students majoring in Recreation. The Trustees and the Stavres' hope to have the scholarships available beginning in the Foundation's 2012 fiscal year.

On a personal note, I am truly inspired by the giving of my fellow professionals during another difficult economic year. One particular donation was a young professional who paid 100% of his own way to conference. He was one of the lucky ones to win some cash at the drawing at the end of the Expo. Rather than use the cash to help fund his attendance at conference, he immediately came to the booth and donated half of his winnings so other professionals who may need help, can have it. To me, this is a fine example of truly giving back to a profession that gives you so much. I want to thank the Trustees for their dedication. Their energy and vision is inspiring. It is truly an honor to serve as President of the Foundation.

I invite you to celebrate the success of this past year, and join with us to ensure that the Foundation remains strong.

Sincerely,

Bruce Fassett, CPRP President

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Donor Giving Activities





Silent and Live Auctions

By purchasing items during the silent and live auctions, the following individuals collectively raised \$16,726 to benefit the Foundation funding priorities. Thank you for your generosity!

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THANK YOU to the individuals, departments and vendors who donated items for the auctions!

Reinvestment in the Professional

Joe Abrahams Academy for Leadership Excellence

joined by participants of the Emerging Leaders Institute



Professional Grants

Scholarships were provided to nine professionals, enabling them to attend the 2011 Annual FRPA Conference.

Mark Abdo

Amy Blackman

Walt Bratton

Michelle Dean

Terri Messler

Chip Potts

Kelvin Richardson

Nancy Taback

Kimberly Troiano

Closing Session Keynote Speaker

"What Makes the Great Ones Great" Don Yaeger



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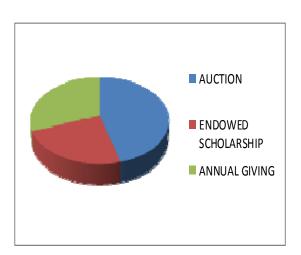


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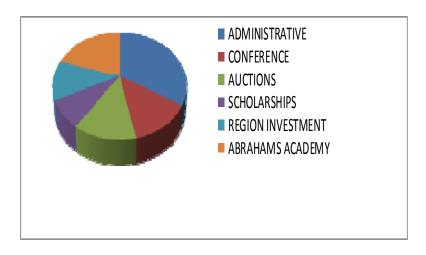
FRPA FOUNDATION ASSETS

December 31, 2010		31, 2010	December 31, 2011	
CHECKING ACCOUNT	\$	37,033	\$	51,045
ENDOWMENT ACCOUNT	\$	117,985	\$	112,298
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	155,018	\$	163,343
SOURCE OF FUNDS		<u>2010</u>		<u>2011</u>
AUCTION (LIVE & SILENT)	\$	16,712	\$	17,695
ART TICKET SALES	\$	900		
ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP			\$	9,359
DONATIONS (ANNUAL GIVING)	\$	13,122	\$	11,800
SPONSORSHIPS	\$	1,189		
TOTAL	\$	31,923	\$	38,854
USE OF FUNDS		<u>2010</u>		<u>2011</u>
ADMINISTRATIVE	\$	6,880	\$	8,363
CONFERENCE	\$	2,945	\$	3,228
AUCTIONS (LIVE & SILENT)	\$	2,563	\$	3,200
SCHOLARSHIPS			\$	2,050
REGION INVESTMENT			\$	3,000
JOE ABRAHAMS ACADEMY	\$	5,000	\$	5,000
TOTAL	\$	24,496	\$	24,841

FRPA FOUNDATION SOURCE OF FUNDS 2011



FRPA FOUNDATION USE OF FUNDS 2011



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The FRPA Foundation Board of Directors is extremely grateful to the donors who contributed a total of \$21,151 in support of the Foundation in 2011(an endowed scholarship grant of \$9,360 is included). In recognition of their support we proudly list donors by their cumulative donation levels of giving.

We have carefully reviewed the names and donors listed in this annual report. However, errors may occur in a list of this scope. If your name has been omitted, misspelled, or incorrectly listed, please accept our apology and call the office so that we may correct our records. Donors in purple type achieved a new level or donated for the first time in 2011.

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