MODIFIED CASH BASIS FINANCIAL STATEMENTS with

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

for the year ended July 31, 2014

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Directors Aurora Area Interfaith Food Pantry, Inc. Aurora, Illinois

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Aurora Area Interfaith Food Pantry, Inc. (a not-for-profit organization) which comprise the statement of assets, liabilities, and net assets - modified cash basis as of July 31, 2014, and the related statement of revenues, expenses and changes in net assets - modified cash basis, for the year 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 the modified cash basis of accounting as described in Note 2; this includes determining that the modified cash basis of accounting is an acceptable basis for the preparation of the financial statements in the circumstances. Management is also responsible 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.

#### **Auditor's Responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from 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 assets, liabilities, and net assets of Aurora Area Interfaith Food Pantry, Inc. as of July 31, 2014, and its revenues, expenses and changes in net assets for the year then ended in accordance with the modified cash basis of accounting as described in Note 2.

#### **Basis of Accounting**

We draw attention to Note 2 of the financial statements, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial statements are prepared on the modified cash basis of accounting, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

#### **Other Matter**

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The schedule of functional expenses - modified cash basis on page 11 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is 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 audit 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 additional 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.

Aurora, Illinois

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March 20, 2015

Statement of Assets, Liabilities and Net Assets - Modified Cash Basis as of July 31, 2014

ASSETS	
Current assets:	
Cash	\$ 104,970
Certificates of deposit	120,822
Refundable deposit	 2,280
	228,072
Property and equipment:	
Property and equipment	1,209,424
Less accumulated depreciation	 (83,761)
	 1,125,663
Other assets:	
Community Foundation Food Pantry Fund	 11,956
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 1,365,691
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	
Liabilities:	
Current liabilities:	
Payroll taxes payable and other payroll liabilities	\$ 6,613
	6,613
Long term liabilities:	 
Notes payable	237,500
Total liabilities	244,113
Net assets:	
Unrestricted:	
Undesignated	1,100,555
Board designated	11,956
Temporarily restricted	 9,067
	1,121,578
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$ 1,365,691

Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Assets - Modified Cash Basis for the year ended July 31, 2014

				mporarily	
	Unrestricted		R	estricted	Total
Revenues and other support:		_			
Contributions, gifts and grants	\$	365,288	\$	125,121	\$ 490,409
Food contributions		3,920,539		-	3,920,539
Donated services		1,677		-	1,677
Interest and dividends		767		-	767
Realized and unrealized gain		328		-	328
Special events		133,384		-	133,384
Net assets released from restrictions		372,036		(372,036)	
Total revenues and other support		4,794,019		(246,915)	4,547,104
Expenses					
Program services		4,229,848		_	4,229,848
Management and general		145,423		-	145,423
Fundraising		159,514			159,514
Total expenses		4,534,785		_	4,534,785
Change in net assets		259,234		(246,915)	12,319
Net assets, beginning of year		853,277		255,982	1,109,259
Net assets, end of year	\$	1,112,511	\$	9,067	\$1,121,578

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#### 1. ORGANIZATION AND PURPOSE

The Aurora Area Interfaith Food Pantry, Inc. (Food Pantry) is a not-for-profit organization that was organized by local individuals, community churches and church groups in 1981. Its objective is to provide food assistance to members of the community who are food insecure and have difficulty meeting their basic nutritional needs on their own. The Food Pantry is supported primarily through donor contributions, as well as grants from private foundations, local and state governmental units, and the Federal Government's Emergency Food and Shelter Program.

#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Basis of Accounting**

The records of the Food Pantry are maintained on the modified cash basis of accounting, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The modified cash basis of accounting differs from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America primarily because the Food Pantry has not recognized receivables, prepayments and payables. The financial statements are presented on the basis of unrestricted, temporarily restricted, and permanently restricted net assets.

#### Donated Services and Materials

Contributions of services are recognized if the services received (a) create or enhance nonfinancial assets or (b) require specialized skills, are provided by individuals possessing those skills, and would typically need to be purchased if not provided by donation.

#### Investments

Investments are carried at fair value and realized and unrealized gains and losses are reflected in the statement of activities.

#### **Property and Equipment**

Property and equipment acquired by purchase are stated at cost while those acquired by gift are stated at the fair market value at time of receipt. Only major replacements and improvements are capitalized and included in the property and equipment account. Depreciation has been provided using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the related assets.

#### Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with the modified cash basis of accounting requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

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#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### Net Assets

The Food Pantry classifies net assets as unrestricted, temporarily restricted, or permanently restricted.

Unrestricted net assets of the Food Pantry are neither permanently restricted nor temporarily restricted by donor-imposed stipulations.

Temporarily restricted net assets of the Food Pantry result (a) from contributions and other inflows of assets whose use by the Food Pantry is limited by donor-imposed stipulations that either expire by passage of time or can be fulfilled and removed by actions of the Food Pantry pursuant to those stipulations, (b) from other asset enhancements and diminishments subject to the same kinds of stipulations, and (c) from reclassifications to (or from) other classes of net assets as a consequence of donor-imposed stipulations, their expirations by passage of time, or their fulfillment and removal by actions of the Food Pantry pursuant to those stipulations. Donor restricted contributions whose restrictions are met in the same reporting periods are reported as unrestricted support.

Permanently restricted net assets of the Food Pantry result (a) from contributions and other inflows of assets whose use by the Food Pantry is limited by donor-imposed stipulations that neither expire by passage of time nor can be fulfilled or otherwise removed by actions of the Food Pantry, (b) from other asset enhancements and diminishments subject to the same kinds of stipulations, and (c) from reclassifications from (or to) other classes of net assets as a consequence of donor-imposed stipulations.

The Food Pantry reports gifts of cash and other assets as restricted support if they are received with donor stipulations that limit the use of the donated assets. When a donor restriction expires, that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished, temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the statement of activities as net assets released from restrictions.

#### **Advertising Costs**

The Food Pantry expenses advertising costs as incurred. Expenses incurred were \$31,414 for the year ended July 31, 2014.

#### 3. IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS

Donated services in the amount of \$1,677 are recognized in the statement of revenues, expenses and changes in net assets - modified cash basis as revenue and expense for the year ended July 31, 2014.

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#### 3. <u>IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS</u> (continued)

A substantial amount of food is donated to the Food Pantry. During 2014 the Food Pantry implemented an adequate system of tracking and valuation of food donated and included the value of the contributed food in the financial statements. Management has estimated the retail value of such donations at a value of \$2.09 per donated pound. The total value of such donations is recorded as both revenue and expense in the statement of revenues, expenses, and changes in net assets - modified cash basis. The Food Pantry recorded \$3,920,539 of donated food in the year ended July 31, 2014.

#### 4. COMMUNITY FOUNDATION ENDOWMENT FUND

In 1998 the Food Pantry established an endowment fund with the Community Foundation of the Fox River Valley to be used for support of the mission or activities of the Pantry. The fund is considered property of the Foundation and the Foundation has ultimate authority and control over all property in the fund and the income derived therefrom. At least annually, the Foundation may distribute the fund's net income to the Pantry, or the Pantry may elect to accumulate the income. At July 31, 2014 the fair value of the endowment fund was \$35,396. Transfers to the Food Pantry Fund were \$1,199 for the year ended July 31, 2014.

#### 5. COMMUNITY FOUNDATION FOOD PANTRY FUND

The Community Foundation Food Pantry Fund in an externally administered fund reported as an other asset of the Food Pantry.

Following is a summary of the investment income reported in the statement of revenues, expenses and changes in nets assets - modified cash basis:

Interest and dividends	\$ 258
Realized and unrealized gain	328
Total investment return	\$ 586

#### 6. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) 820, Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures, establishes a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. This hierarchy consists of three broad levels: Level 1 inputs consist of unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets and have the highest priority, Level 2 inputs consist of observable inputs other than quoted prices for identical assets, and Level 3 inputs consist of unobservable inputs and have the lowest priority.

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#### 6. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (continued)

The Food Pantry uses appropriate valuation techniques based on the available inputs to measure the fair value of its investments. When available, the Food Pantry measures fair value using Level 1 inputs because they generally provide the most reliable evidence of fair value.

The fair value measurements and levels within the fair value hierarchy of those measurements for the assets reported at fair value on a recurring basis at July 31, 2014 are as follows:

			Signi	ficant
			Obser	vable
			Inp	outs
<u>Investment:</u>	Fair Va	alue	(Lev	rel 2)
Community Foundation Food Pantry Fund	\$ 11	,956	<u> </u>	11,956

#### Level 2 Fair Value Measurements

The fair value of the Community Foundation Food Pantry Fund for which quoted market prices are not available is valued based on the fair market values of the individual assets held by the Fund.

#### 7. PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

Investment in property and equipment consists of the following at July 31, 2014:

Building	\$ 378,458
Building Improvements	725,975
Furniture and equipment	104,991
Less accumulated depreciation	(83,761)
Total	\$ 1,125,663

The new pantry facility renovations were completed during the current year. On November 18, 2013, the Food Pantry opened for distribution in the new building. The Food Pantry's new building was partially acquired with loan funds received from the City of Aurora under a Community Development Block Grant Subrecipient Agreement. Under the terms of this contract, title to the property reverts to the City if the property is used for any purpose other than a regional food pantry, the Food Pantry files bankruptcy, transfers or encumbers the real estate, or fails to properly maintain the property.

Depreciation expense was \$42,583 for the year ended July 31, 2014.

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#### 8. LONG TERM DEBT

The Food Pantry entered into agreements with the City of Aurora and Kane County, Illinois dated March 14, 2012, to obtain financing for the purchase of a building on Jericho Road to be used for Food Pantry operations. Both loans were funded through the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. Each agreement specifies that if the Food Pantry complies with various terms, each loan will be forgiven without interest at maturity.

If there is any default on the specified provisions of the loan agreements, the unpaid balances are payable immediately.

At July 31, 2014, long term debt consists of the following:

Mortgage - City of Aurora, matures March 14, 2017,	
0.00% interest rate, collateralized by	
the Jericho Road property	\$ 187,500
Mortgage - Kane County, matures March 14, 2032,	
0.00% interest rate, collateralized by	
the Jericho Road property	50,000
	\$ 237,500

#### 9. CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

The Food Pantry maintains cash balances at four financial institutions. Accounts at each institution are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) up to \$250,000. At various times there were balances in the banks that were over the FDIC limit. The Food Pantry has not experienced any loss in such accounts. As of July 31, 2014, there were no uninsured cash balances. The Food Pantry believes it is not exposed to any significant credit risk on its cash balances.

#### 10. RESTRICTIONS AND DESIGNATIONS OF NET ASSETS

Temporarily restricted net assets at July 31, 2014 are restricted for the following:

Electronic floor scale	\$ 676
Electronic pallet truck scale	1,750
Peanut butter	613
CFL bulb program	563
Medium-duty truck	3,000
Meat	 2,465
	\$ 9,067

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#### 10. RESTRICTIONS AND DESIGNATIONS OF NET ASSETS (continued)

At July 31, 2014, the Food Pantry had Board designated net assets totaling \$11,956, which consists of the investment in the Community Foundation Food Pantry Fund.

#### 11. RETIREMENT PLAN

Retirement benefits for the Food Pantry are provided through a Simple IRA plan. During the year ended July 31, 2014, the Food Pantry elected to make a dollar match of elective deferrals up to 3% of each eligible employee's compensation. The Food Pantry's retirement plan expense for the year ended July 31, 2014 was \$4,799.

#### 12. <u>INCOME TAXES</u>

The Food Pantry has received a determination letter from the Internal Revenue Service indicating that it is exempt from income taxes under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Management has determined that the Food Pantry had no uncertain income tax positions that would require financial statement disclosure. The Food Pantry files income tax returns in the U.S. federal jurisdiction and the state of Illinois. The Food Pantry is no longer subject to U.S. federal or state income tax examinations by tax authorities for years before 2011.

#### 13. LEASE COMMITMENTS

The Food Pantry elected to terminate its lease from Hesed House, Inc on November 30, 2013. During the year ended July 31, 2014, the Food Pantry paid \$4,280 for the space it occupied.

The Food Pantry had a copy machine lease agreement that expired on May 31, 2014. During the year ended July 31, 2014, the Food Pantry paid \$1,967 in rental payments and usage charges for the copy machine.

The Food Pantry also leases certain equipment on a periodic basis. Rent expense was \$11,124 for the year ended July 31, 2014.

#### 14. <u>SUBSEQUENT EVENTS</u>

Management has evaluated subsequent events through March 20, 2015, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.



Schedule of Functional Expenses - Modified Cash Basis for the year ended July 31, 2014

	Program Services	Management and General	Fund- raising	Total
Personnel costs:				
Compensation	\$ 131,510	\$ 47,779	\$ 63,051	\$ 242,340
Payroll taxes and fees	14,250	5,177	6,832	26,259
Other employee benefits	1,149	375	375	1,899
Retirement plan	2,364	1,217	1,218	4,799
Total personnel costs	149,273	54,548	71,476	275,297
Other expenses:				
Contributed food distributed	3,920,539	-	-	3,920,539
Purchased food distributed	80,066	-	-	80,066
Events expense	-	-	41,467	41,467
Advertising and promotion	6,170	-	25,244	31,414
Occupancy	14,645	5,415	2,708	22,768
Telephone	2,156	1,731	1,731	5,618
Office supplies	892	822	892	2,606
Charitable donations	-	8,597	-	8,597
Postage	447	1,772	4,474	6,693
Equipment rental	3,426	1,362	2,056	6,844
Vehicle expense	4,424	-	-	4,424
Repairs and maintenance	6,449	4,186	-	10,635
Conferences and meetings	1,328	-	7,588	8,916
Professional services	2,182	7,936	-	10,118
Insurance	9,708	1,403	-	11,111
Other supplies	4,919	637	-	5,556
Depreciation	-	42,583	-	42,583
Fundraising	-	-	1,878	1,878
Food for Thought	4,391	-	-	4,391
Building expense	18,833	9,785	-	28,618
Miscellaneous		4,646		4,646
Total other expenses	4,080,575	90,875	88,038	4,259,488
Total expenses	\$ 4,229,848	\$ 145,423	\$ 159,514	\$ 4,534,785