



# 2020 FINANCIAL REPORT



## THANK YOU FOR AN IMPACTFUL YEAR.

Last year at this time, we at the Hudson Area Library Foundation sent out a message of celebration after thirty years of growth, support, and commitment to our Library. This year, we ask you to join us in acknowledging our Librarians, their tremendous energy, innovative ideas, and the countless hours spent rethinking how to better serve the Hudson community. The effect of COVID-19 impacted every aspect of our lives. Our Library quickly became a resource for critical information, an online hub for activities and familiar faces, a lifeline to materials for our most vulnerable citizens, and so much more.

Every gift matters to the Library. But this year, if you are unable to give, please know the Library is here for you. The Library can provide access to technology if you need to search and apply for jobs online, and it offers free wifi outside the building, and hot spots you can check out and take home.

Every week they provide activities you can pick up and take home for your family. And with your Library card you have access to countless digital resources. All of this, as always, is free to our community.

Wishing you and your family good health,

Samuel Cari  
President, Hudson Area Library Foundation

**THE MISSION OF THE HUDSON AREA LIBRARY FOUNDATION IS TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT WAYS THAT PROVIDE SUPPORT FOR THE GROWTH AND ENHANCEMENT OF THE HUDSON AREA PUBLIC LIBRARY.**

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WE ALSO RAISE FUNDS FOR PLANFUL SUPPORT THAT WILL IMPACT FUTURE GENERATIONS.

AS OUR FUNDING INCREASES, SO WILL THE OPPORTUNITIES FOR OUR FOUNDATION TO HELP THE LIBRARY EXPAND ITS OFFERINGS.

*Please note that in 2019, we shifted to a calendar year reporting system as opposed to our previous calendar with a Q3 fiscal year end.*

**BEGINNING BALANCE \$91,369 | ENDING BALANCE \$89,274**

## INCOME

Unrestricted Contributions  
\$52,211

Special Events  
\$1,988

Misc. Income  
\$277

**INCOME TOTAL \$54,476**

## EXPENSES

Library Awareness  
(\$17,294)

Donor Communications  
(\$2,079)

Special Events  
(\$512)

Other Expenses  
(\$686)

Grants to the Library  
(\$36,000)

**EXPENSE SUBTOTAL (\$56,571)**

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The Hudson Area Library Foundation makes every effort to publish a comprehensive and accurate list of donors. This year, we changed our organization's reporting year to align with the calendar year. Below, the lists reflect contributions received during the 2019 calendar year, which may overlap with the donors reporting in the 2018/2019 Giving Report. If you do find any errors, or wish to update your recognition preference, email us at [info@hudsonarealibraryfoundation.org](mailto:info@hudsonarealibraryfoundation.org).

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