

## NFP FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS IMPLEMENTATION CHECKLIST

## **Net Asset Classification**

- Identify net assets with donor restrictions (formerly temporarily restricted and permanently restricted) and without donor restrictions.
- Reformat the Balance Sheet Net Asset section.
- Reformat the Statement of Activities to remove reference to unrestricted, temporarily restricted and permanently restricted. Use "with donor restriction" and "without donor restriction".
- Update the notes to the financial statements:
  - —Remove reference to unrestricted, temporarily restricted and permanently restricted
  - —Show summary of net assets with donor restrictions including:
    - Time restrictions
    - Purpose restrictions and
    - In perpetuity
  - —Show board designated net assets separately including amounts and purposes of board designations
- Document your organization's policy and procedure regarding board designations.



## **Liquidity Information**

- Develop a board-approved policy for monitoring liquidity (how often, who is responsible, etc.).
- Compile a list of your financial assets and determine which are liquid and which are illiquid.
- Identify the liquid financial assets that you have to meet operational cash needs within one year of your year-end date.
  - Cash and cash equivalents
  - Short-term investments
  - Distributions from investments based on spending policy
  - Receivables and pledges due within one year
- Identify restrictions on availability of financial assets:
  - —Donor restrictions
  - —Board designations
  - —Contractual restrictions
  - —Loan covenants
  - —Collateralized assets
  - —Cash restrictions
  - —Other
- Identify other resources to support operational needs within one year:
  - —Lines of credit
  - —Other
- Draft footnote based on above.

## **Functional Expenses**

- Allocate expenses by function, as well as natural category (if you don't already have a statement
  of functional expenses).
- · Disclose the methods used to allocate costs among function.

Checklist provided by Heveron & Company, CPAs. Contact us at (585) 232-2956 with any questions.