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## Fiscal Year 2022 Annual Report October 1, 2021 – September 30, 2022

## **Mission Statement**

Our mission at the Wyoming Children's Society is to build healthy families through adoption, and to advocate for birth families, children, and adoptive families.

Wyoming Children's Society was founded in 1911. Our services throughout the last 112 years has evolved over time. Today, we provide an array of services, including providing support and counseling to birth parents and working with potential adoptive parents to grow their families through infant, waiting child, and international adoption.

The past year was both challenging and rewarding. Every single person and family that comes through our doors has a unique story and unique needs. We have amazing staff that provide guidance, support, and a listening ear to each and every one of our clients. Fiscal year 2022, saw an easing of COVID requirements but it also saw an increase in all expenses across the board. We continue to have amazing and generous donors that help us to serve the women, children, and families that come through our doors every day. Some of the highlights from this past year were:

- Conducted outreach and training throughout the state to better equip people to talk about the option of adoption
- Assisted 8 women with needed resources such as counseling, food, rent, utilities, and financial assistance with medical appointments and another 22 with letters, pictures, and visits with children placed in adoptive homes
- 2 infant placements
- 4 international placements
- 1 waiting child placement
- 15 home studies completed and 4 more started
- 5 post placement families

We could not do all of this without the generosity of our donors! Each dollar donated makes a big difference in the number of people we can serve each and every day!

## **Financial Overview**

The following is an overview of Wyoming Children's Society's income and expenses for the fiscal year that ended September 20, 2022:





Revenues	
Program Service Fees	\$62,286
Contributions	\$108,321
111 <sup>th</sup> Gala Event	\$59,331
Rental Income	\$21,200
Other Income	\$669
Investment (loss), net of fees	(\$150,869)
Total support and revenue	\$209,886
Expenses	
Program Services	\$379,109
Management and general	\$84,424
Fundraising	\$38,498
Total expenses	\$502,031
Change in net asset	(\$292,145)
Net Assets, Beginning of Year	\$1,317,922
Net Assets, End of Year	\$1,025,777

We are grateful for all of our clients, supporters, donors, volunteers, staff, and board members. We will continue to evolve and together 2023 will be our best year yet.

Kristin Burkart CEO

Wyoming Children's Society is tax exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Donations are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.