

**Fresh Milk Art Platform Inc.**

Report and Financial Statements

December 31, 2023

(Expressed in Barbados Dollars)

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Accountants' Comments to the Trustees of  
**Fresh Milk Art Platform Inc.**

I have prepared the accompanying balance sheet of **Fresh Milk Art Platform Inc.** ("Fresh Milk") as of December 31, 2023 and the related statement of comprehensive income and expenditure, statement of changes in general fund, the statement of cash flows and accompanying notes for the period then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the company's management. I have prepared the financial statements based on the records presented to me and explanations received from management.

I have not conducted an audit and consequently do not express an opinion on these financial statements. However, based on my review, nothing has come to my attention that causes me to doubt the accuracy of the financial statements, which are presented in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards for Small and Medium-sized Entities.

Sincerely,



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Ashok Merai FCCA (UK), FCA (Barbados)  
Barbados  
May 17, 2024

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Corporate Information

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Directors

Annalee D. Davis

Simone Mangal

Natalie A. McGuire

Secretary / Chief Executive Officer

Annalee D. Davis

Registered Office

The Milking Parlour

Walkers Dairy, St George,

Barbados

Bankers

First Caribbean International Bank

Sheraton Branch

Christ Church, Barbados

**Registered Company number: 36049**

# FRESH MILK ART PLATFORM INC.

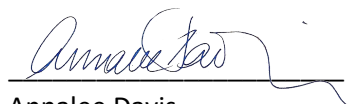
## Statement of Financial Position

As at December 31, 2023

(expressed in Barbados dollars)

	<u>Notes</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
<b>Assets</b>			
<b>Current Assets</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents	4	6,905	8,623
<b>Other Assets</b>			
Security deposit and other receivables	5	1,000	1,000
<b>Inventory, Furniture &amp; Equipment</b>	6	(0)	810
<b>Total Assets</b>		<u><b>7,905</b></u>	<u><b>10,433</b></u>
<b>Current Liabilities</b>			
Accounts payables and accrued liabilities		0	0
<b>Fund</b>			
General Fund		7,905	10,433
<b>Total Fund &amp; Liabilities</b>		<u><b>7,905</b></u>	<u><b>10,433</b></u>

Approved by the Trustees on the 17 day of May, 2024

  
Annalee Davis

17/05/2024

# FRESH MILK ART PLATFORM INC.

## Statement of Comprehensive Income and Expenditure

For the year ending December 31, 2023

(expressed in Barbados dollars)

	<u>Notes</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
<b>Revenue</b>			
Contributions in Kind	7	78,050	90,641
Donations	8	370	1,870
Grant funding	9	36,863	30,460
Other Income	10	9,027	0
Total Revenue		<u>124,309</u>	<u>122,971</u>
<b>Expenditure</b>			
Salaries and wages	11	84,000	84,000
Consulting expenses		0	0
Programme expenses		19,500	7,485
Residency Programme expense		762	0
Artist & Workshop expenses	12	7,152	12,112
Rent		6,000	6,000
Utilities		2,946	3,241
Miscellaneous expenses		125	244
Depreciation	6	810	975
Accounting services		2,400	2,400
Stationery and office expenses		1,973	407
Travel		646	239
Repairs and maintenance		0	0
Bank charges		522	524
Total Expenditure		<u>126,836</u>	<u>117,627</u>
<b>Net (Deficit) / Surplus</b>		<u><u>(2,527)</u></u>	<u><u>5,344</u></u>

# FRESH MILK ART PLATFORM INC.

**Statement of changes in general fund**  
**For the year ending December 31, 2023**  
*(expressed in Barbados dollars)*

	<u><b>General Fund</b></u>
<b>Balance - December 31, 2019</b>	<u>12,338</u>
Comprehensive deficit	<u>(2,491)</u>
<b>Balance - December 31, 2020</b>	<u>9,847</u>
Comprehensive deficit	<u>(4,759)</u>
<b>Balance - December 31, 2021</b>	<u>5,088</u>
Comprehensive surplus	<u>5,344</u>
<b>Balance - December 31, 2022</b>	<u>10,433</u>
Comprehensive deficit	<u>(2,528)</u>
<b>Balance - December 31, 2023</b>	<u><u>7,905</u></u>

# FRESH MILK ART PLATFORM INC.

## Statement of cash flows

For the year ending December 31, 2023

(expressed in Barbados dollars)

	<u>Notes</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
<b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>			
Net surplus / (deficit)		(2,527)	5,344
Adjustments for:			
Depreciation		810	975
Operating surplus before working capital changes		(1,717)	6,319
Change in other assets and receivables		0	2,113
<b>Net cash used in operating activities</b>		<u>(1,717)</u>	<u>8,432</u>
Cash flows used in investing activities			
Purchase of inventory, furniture and equipment		0	0
Cash flows used in investing activities		0	0
Cash flows from financing activities		0	0
Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		(1,717)	8,432
Cash and cash equivalents - beginning of year		8,623	191
<b>Cash and cash equivalents - end of year</b>		<u><b>6,906</b></u>	<u><b>8,623</b></u>
<b><u>Cash and cash equivalents comprise of:</u></b>			
Cash at bank		6,874	8,592
Petty cash		32	32
		<u><b>6,906</b></u>	<u><b>8,623</b></u>



## **Fresh Milk Art Platform Inc.**

### Notes to the Financial Statements

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#### **1. Incorporation and principal activity**

The Fresh Milk Art Platform Inc. ("the Company") was incorporated in Barbados as a not-for-profit company registered under the Companies Act 1982 of Barbados, registration number 36049 on July 6, 2012. The Company commenced operations from July 2011 and formally launched its first public event in August 2011.

The Company has no share capital, and is carried on without pecuniary gain to its members. Any surplus is used in furthering its undertakings. Its registered office is situated at The Milking Parlour, St. George, Barbados.

The Company is restricted to :

- (a) Providing an informal platform for discussion and exchange of ideas among contemporary art makers and writers for the advancement of contemporary Caribbean art;
- (b) Providing support to art makers and writers to develop their skills; and
- (c) Accepting charitable donations to be used for the development of contemporary Caribbean art.

#### **2. Summary of significant accounting policies**

##### **(a) Basis of preparation**

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standard for Small and Medium-sized Entities issued by the International Accounting Standards Board. The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis.

##### **(b) Revenue recognition**

Grant income is recognized when the terms of the grant have been fulfilled. Interest income is recognized as earned. There has been no apportionment of revenue between restricted and non-restricted contributions. All other income is recognized when received

##### **(c) Contribution-in-Kind**

Volunteers contribute significant time every year to assist the Company in carrying out its service delivery activities. Wherever possible, a fair value of these services has been recognized in the financial statements, especially for major expense items like salaries and wages, rent and accounting services.

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#### **(d) Currency**

The financial statements are expressed in Barbados dollars, the primary currency in which the Company operates. Assets and liabilities in denominated in foreign currencies are translated in Barbados dollars at the rates of exchange prevailing at the year end. Transactions are translated at the rate of exchange prevailing at the time of each transaction. Exchange gains and losses are included in the statement of comprehensive income and expenditure.

#### **(e) Taxation**

The Company is registered as a benevolent not-for-profit organization with the Barbados Revenue Authority and is not subject to taxation in Barbados

#### **(f) Impairment of assets**

At each reporting date, the Company's assets are reviewed to determine whether there is any indication that these assets have suffered an impairment loss. If there is an indication of possible impairment, the recoverable amount of the assets is estimated and compared with its carrying amount. If the estimated recoverable amount is lower, the carrying amount is reduced to its estimated recoverable amount and an impairment loss is recognized immediately in the statement of comprehensive income and expenditure.

#### **(g) Inventory, Furniture and Equipment**

Inventory (books), furniture and equipment are recorded at cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment loss. Depreciation is provided on a straight-line basis at a rate sufficient to write off the cost of the assets over their expected useful lives. The annual rates for this purpose are as follows:

Inventory (books)	10 %
Furniture	20 %
Computer equipment	33.3 %

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#### **3. Critical accounting judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty**

In the application of the Company's accounting policies, management is required to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts of assets and liabilities within the financial statements. Estimates and judgements are continually evaluated and based on historical experience and other factors, including expectation of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to the accounting estimates are recognized in the period in which the estimates are revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

The Company reviews the estimated lives of Inventory, furniture and equipment at the end of each reporting period. There have been no changes to the estimates of the useful lives of inventory, furniture and equipment for the current year.

#### **4. Cash and cash equivalents**

<b><u>Cash and cash equivalents</u></b>	<b><u>2023</u></b>	<b><u>2022</u></b>
FCIB Bank account	6,874	8,592
Petty cash Float	32	32
	<u>6,905</u>	<u>8,623</u>

#### **5. Security Deposit and other receivables**

This represents a refundable security deposit of \$ 1,000 with First Caribbean Bank to secure a business credit card for Fresh Milk Art Platform Inc.

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**6. Inventory, furniture, and equipment**

<b>2022</b>	<b>Inventory</b>	<b>Furniture</b>	<b>Equipment</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b><u>Cost</u></b>				
Beginning of year	9,451	3,550	3,005	16,006
Additions	0	0		0
Disposal during the year				0
Balance, end of year	<u>9,451</u>	<u>3,550</u>	<u>3,005</u>	<u>16,006</u>
<b><u>Accumulated Depreciation</u></b>				
Beginning of year	7,696	3,550	2,975	14,221
Charge for year	945		30	975
Disposal during the year				0
Balance, end of year	<u>8,641</u>	<u>3,550</u>	<u>3,005</u>	<u>15,196</u>
<b><u>Net Book Value</u></b>				
Beginning of year	<u>1,755</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>1,785</u>
<b><u>Net Book Value</u></b>				
End of year	<u>810</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>810</u>

<b>2023</b>	<b>Inventory</b>	<b>Furniture</b>	<b>Equipment</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b><u>Cost</u></b>				
Beginning of year	9,451	3,550	3,005	16,006
Additions	0	0		0
Disposal during the year				0
Balance, end of year	<u>9,451</u>	<u>3,550</u>	<u>3,005</u>	<u>16,006</u>
<b><u>Accumulated Depreciation</u></b>				
Beginning of year	8,641	3,550	3,005	15,196
Charge for year	810			810
Disposal during the year				0
Balance, end of year	<u>9,451</u>	<u>3,550</u>	<u>3,005</u>	<u>16,006</u>
<b><u>Net Book Value</u></b>				
Beginning of year	<u>810</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>810</u>
<b><u>Net Book Value</u></b>				
End of year	<u>(0)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(0)</u>

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**7. Contributions in Kind**

<b><u>Contributions in Kind</u></b>	<b><u>2023</u></b>	<b><u>2022</u></b>
Professional Services	2,400	2,400
Rent	6,000	6,000
Salaries	38,669	45,500
Wages	28,034	33,500
Utilities	2,946	3,241
	<u>78,050</u>	<u>90,641</u>

**8. Donations**

<b><u>Donations</u></b>	<b><u>2023</u></b>	<b><u>2022</u></b>
Donations - Individuals	370	1,870
Donations - Corporate		
	<u>370</u>	<u>1,870</u>

**9. Grant funding**

<b><u>Grant funding</u></b>	<b><u>2023</u></b>	<b><u>2022</u></b>
Grant funding - Restricted	36,863	30,460
Grant funding - Unrestricted	0	0
	<u>36,863</u>	<u>30,460</u>

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**10. Other income**

<b><u>Other income</u></b>	<b><u>2023</u></b>	<b><u>2022</u></b>
Programme fee income -	2,530	0
Residency fee income	6,497	0
	<u>9,027</u>	<u>0</u>

**11. Salaries and wages**

<b><u>Salaries and wages</u></b>	<b><u>2023</u></b>	<b><u>2022</u></b>
Salaries	48,000	48,000
Wages and casual	36,000	36,000
	<u>84,000</u>	<u>84,000</u>

**12. Artists and workshop expenses**

<b><u>Artist and workshop expenses</u></b>	<b><u>2023</u></b>	<b><u>2022</u></b>
Artists expenses - residency		
Artists expenses - general	7,152	12,112
	<u>7,152</u>	<u>12,112</u>

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**13. Related Party Transactions**

<u>Related Party Transactions</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
The following transactions were carried out with related parties :		
Barbara Davis - Rent of premises	<u>6,000</u>	<u>6,000</u>

**14. Key Management Compensation**

<u>Key Management Compensation</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2022</u>
<u>Annalee Davis - CEO</u>		
Paid	9,331	2,500
Contribution-In-Kind	<u>38,669</u>	<u>45,500</u>
Total	<u>48,000</u>	<u>48,000</u>
 Katherine Kennedy - Office Management		
Paid	7,966	2,500
Contribution-In-Kind	<u>28,034</u>	<u>33,500</u>
Total	<u>36,000</u>	<u>36,000</u>
	<u>84,000</u>	<u>84,000</u>