FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
AND
ACCOUNTANT'S REVIEW REPORT

**DECEMBER 31, 2016 AND 2015** 

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IBEW LOCAL UNION NO. 375 AND SUBSIDIARY
ALLENTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA

#### INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REVIEW REPORT

I have reviewed the accompanying financial statements of IBEW Local Union No. 375 and Subsidiary (not-for-profit corporations), which comprise the statements of financial position as of December 31, 2016 and 2015, and the related statements of activities and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements. A review includes primarily applying analytical procedures to management's financial data and making inquiries of management. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion regarding the financial statements as a whole. Accordingly, I do not express such an opinion.

### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes 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

#### Accountant's Responsibility

My responsibility is to conduct the review engagement in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services promulgated by the Accounting and Review Services Committee of the AICPA. Those standards require me to perform procedures to obtain limited assurance as a basis for reporting whether I am aware of any material modifications that should be made to the financial statements for them to be in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. I believe that the results of my procedures provide a reasonable basis for my conclusion.

### **Accountant's Conclusion**

Based on my review, I am not aware of any material modifications that should be made to the accompanying financial statements in order for them to be in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Terry A. Christman, CPA

Allentown, Pennsylvania May 22, 2017

# STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION DECEMBER 31

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ASSETS			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
CURRENT ASSETS Cash -				
Checking-general and savings Custodial fund-vacation On hand	\$1,945,928 29,362		\$1,614,579 17,493	
On hand	<u>685</u>	\$ 1,975,975	<u>685</u>	\$ 1,632,757
Investments		285,364		231,666
Receivable - Working Dues	:	147,263		106,319
Amount due from JATC training fund		7,875		12,298
Other current assets		5,499		5,499
Inventory		<u>12,326</u>		<u>16,236</u>
Total Current Assets		2,434,302		2,004,775
FIXED ASSETS (net of accumulated depreciation)		453,919		486,003
OTHER ASSETS				
Investments (at cost)		<u>470</u>		<u>470</u>
TOTAL ASSETS		\$ 2,888,691		<u>\$ 2,491,248</u>
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS				
CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Accounts payable and other liabilities		\$ 97,096		\$ 104,886
Custodial fund obligation-vacation		29,362		17,493
Total Current Liabilities		126,458		122,379
NET ASSETS				
Unrestricted net assets:		0 700 000		0.005.555
Operations		<u>2,762,233</u>		<u>2,368,869</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		<u>\$ 2,888,691</u>		<u>\$ 2,491,248</u>

### **IBEW LOCAL UNION NO. 375 AND SUBSIDIARY** (NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS) STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES **YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31**

	20	)16	20	)15
UNRESTRICTED NET ASSETS				
SUPPORT AND REVENUE				
Dues	\$ 1,946,638		\$ 1,740,965	
Interest and dividends	7,508		3,773	
Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value	,		,	
of investments	47,205		(20,554)	
Rent income	39,045		39,075	
Picnic, clambake and banquets	18,472		14,410	
Sale of supplies	2,150		2,426	
Training director wage reimbursement	62,661		157,612	
Other	21,156		<u>17,024</u>	
TOTAL SUPPORT AND REVENUE		\$ 2,144,835		\$ 1,954,731
EXPENSES				
Salaries and wages	600,419		661,784	
Payroll taxes and fees	59,088		61,116	
Employee benefits	283,850		243,136	
Per capita taxes	330,211		312,363	
Office supplies and expenses	31,245		34,021	
Education and promotions	52,631		63,264	
Contributions – General	25,283		13,105	
Contributions – Found. For Fair Contracting	12,000		12,000	
Telephone	24,995		13,420	
Insurance	20,927		21,867	
Auto expenses	9,982		10,423	
Utilities	18,219		19,695	
Professional fees and services	25,712		12,466	
Conventions and meetings	42,656		38,481	
Picnic, clambake and banquets	62,925		48,767	
Dues and subscriptions	19,996		5,546	
Depreciation	32,084		32,572	
Repairs and maintenance	20,331		20,446	
General supplies and expense	4,646		5,884	
Gifts and awards	2,887		11,401	
Rent – Equipment and Facilities	32,883		33,435	
Other operating expenses	6,103		3,749	
Computer service and supplies	15,954		17,535	
Taxes - Other	<u>16,444</u>		16,452	
TOTAL EXPENSES	<del></del>	<u>1,751,471</u>	- "	<u>1,712,928</u>
CHANGE IN UNRESTRICTED NET ASSETS		393,364		241,803
UNRESTRICTED NET ASSETS, Beginning of year		2,368,869		2,127,066
UNRESTRICTED NET ASSETS, End of year		\$ 2,762,233		\$ 2,368,869

# STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31

	2016	2015
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES: Change in unrestricted net assets Adjustment to reconcile change in net assets to	\$ 393,364	\$ 241,803
net cash provided by operating activities:  Depreciation  Changes in assets and liabilities:	32,084	32,572
(Increase)decrease in receivables (Increase)decrease in amounts due from affiliates (Increase)decrease in inventory (Increase) decrease in other current assets Increase (decrease) in custodial fund obligation Increase (decrease) in accounts payable	(40,944) 4,423 3,910  11,869 _(7,790)	23,010 (4,567) (11,170) 73 (5,692) _15,867
Net cash provided by (applied to) operating activities	<u>396,916</u>	291,896
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES: Capital expenditures Purchase of investments Net cash provided by (applied to) investing activities	(53,698) (53,698)	(8,800) (231,666) (240,466)
NET CHANGE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	343,218	51,430
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	1,632,757	<u>1,581,327</u>
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR	<u>\$ 1,975,975</u>	<u>\$ 1,632,757</u>

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 AND 2015

#### NOTE A - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Nature of Activities**

IBEW Local Union No. 375 is a nonprofit corporation organized under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the purpose of providing benefits to its members and collective bargaining. It's wholly owned subsidiary, Electricians Home Association, Inc. was also organized as a non-profit corporation for the purpose of conducting real estate activity and the preservation of the Union building and improvements. The net assets and the results of the operating activity of the Electricians Home Association, Inc. are included in these financial statements. All intercompany transactions have been eliminated.

#### **Revenue Recognition**

In accordance with accounting procedures generally followed by labor unions, members' dues and applications fees are taken into income in the period earned. The statement of financial position however, does not include uncollected dues, nor the deferral of dues collected in advance. Dues in arrears are largely doubtful of collection and the union does not consider these or the amount of dues collected in advance as important omissions.

#### Inventory

Inventory is stated at the lower of cost or market determined by the first-in, first-out method.

#### **Fixed Assets**

Fixed assets are carried at cost. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the respective assets. When assets are retired or otherwise disposed of, the cost and related accumulated depreciation are removed from the accounts and any resulting gain or loss is reflected in income for the period. The cost of maintenance and repairs is charged to expense as incurred; significant renewals and betterment's are capitalized. Estimates useful lives are as follows:

	<u>Years</u>
Building and Improvements	40
Furniture, Fixtures, & equip.	5-10
Automobiles	5

#### **Basis of Presentation**

Financial statement presentation follows the recommendation of the Financial Accounting Standards Board in the Statement of Financial Accounting Standards (SFAS) No. 117, Financial Statements of Not-for-Profit Organizations. Under SFAS No. 117, the Organization is required to report information regarding assets, liabilities and changes in net assets according to three classes of net assets: unrestricted net assets, temporarily restricted net assets and permanently restricted net assets. As of December 31, 2016 and 2015, the Organization had no permanently or temporarily restricted net assets.

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 AND 2015

### NOTE A - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### Contributions

All contributions are considered to be available for unrestricted use unless specifically restricted by the donor. Amounts received that are designated for future periods or restricted by the donor for specific purposes are reported as temporarily restricted or permanently restricted support that increases those net asset classes. When a temporary restriction expires, temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the statement of activities as net assets released from restrictions.

#### **Estimates**

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect reported amounts of assets and liabilities and contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of support, revenue and expenses during the the reporting period. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

#### **Income Taxes**

The Organization is exempt from federal income taxes under section 501(c)(5) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Organization is required to file and does file tax returns with the Internal Revenue Service. Accordingly, these financial statements do not reflect a provision for income taxes and the Organization has no tax positions which must be considered for disclosure. The federal income tax returns of the Organization for 2016, 2015, 2014 are subject to examination by the IRS, generally for three years after they were filed. There was no unrelated business income for 2016 and 2015.

#### Cash Equivalents

For purposes of the Statement of Cash Flows, the Organization considers all highly liquid debt instruments purchased with a maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

#### Valuation of Investments

Investments are valued a fair value as of December 31, 2015 and 2016. Quoted market prices are used to value investments. Such investments are valued at the mean of bid and asked prices as obtained from one or more market makers in those securities. Gains and losses on investments that were bought and sold during the year are included in the appreciation or (depreciation) in fair value.

Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Dividend income is recorded in the ex-dividend date.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 AND 2015

#### **NOTE B - INVESTMENTS**

Investments are held in a custodian account at The Philadelphia Trust Company. The investments are stated at fair value as determined by quoted market price. During the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015 the Organization's investments (including investments bought, sold, and held during the year appreciated (depreciated) in value by \$47,205 and \$(20,554) respectively as follows:

	2016	2015
Financial Assets:		
Publicly held corporate		
stocks	<u>\$ 47,205</u>	<u>\$ (20,554)</u>

#### NOTE C - FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The following methods and assumptions were used to estimate the fair value of each class of financial instruments:

<u>Cash and cash equivalents</u> - Fair value approximates carrying value due to the initial maturities of the instruments being three months or less.

<u>Investments</u> – The fair values of investments are based on quoted market prices for those or similar investments.

The estimated fair values of the Organization's financial instruments at December 31, 2016 and 2015 are as follows:

•	20	116	20	)15
	Carrying	Fair	Carrying	Fair
	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Value</u>
Financial Assets:  Cash and Cash equivalents Investments	\$ 1,975,975	\$ 1,975,975	\$1,632,757	\$1,632,757
	\$ 250,111	\$ 285,237	\$ 250,000	\$ 231,666

Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) 820, Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures, provides a framework for measuring fair value. That framework provides a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for indentical assets or libilities. (level 1 measurements) and lower priority to unobservable inputs (level 3 measurements).

Level 1 – Inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or Liabilities in active markets that the Organization has the ability to access.

The following table presents the Organization's fair value hierarchy for the financial assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis:

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# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 AND 2015

### NOTE C - FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

### Fair Value Measurement at Reporting Date Using

•	2016			2015
	Fair Value	Quoted Prices in Active Markets For Identical Assets (Level 1)	Fair Value	Quoted Prices in Active Markets For Identical Assets (Level 1)
Investments	<u>\$ 285,364</u>	<u>\$ 285,364</u>	\$ 231,666	\$ 231,666

#### **NOTE D - FIXED ASSETS**

Fixed assets consists of the following:

	2016	2015
Land	\$ 64,000	\$ 64,000
Building and improvements	629,307	629,307
Furniture, fixtures and equipment	307,982	307,982
Automobiles	<u>98,088</u>	<u>98,088</u>
	1,099,377	1,099,377
Less: accumulated depreciation	<u>(645,458)</u>	<u>(613,374)</u>
	<b>\$</b> 453.919	<b>\$</b> 486,003

#### **NOTE E - RETIREMENT PLAN**

The Organization maintains a defined contribution plan for its covered employees. The Organization is a sponsoring employer under the terms of the collective bargaining agreement dated June 1, 2005 and expiring May 31, 2018. All contributions are directed under the trusteeship of IBEW Local 375 Electrician's Retirement Plan. In addition, the Organization contributes to the NEBF benefit retirement fund for its covered employees. Total retirement costs incurred for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015 were \$131,614 and \$105,441 respectively.

#### **NOTE F - AFFILIATED ORGANIZATION**

The Local Union is represented by the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers National Office. The National Office provides its Local Union organizations with assistance to fulfill the objectives of the Local Union. The per capita tax contributed to the National Office is based upon membership of the Local Union. The amount incurred for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015 were \$316,597 and \$298,365 respectively.

#### **NOTE G - LEASING COMMITMENTS**

The Organization leases certain parking spaces adjacent to the union hall building under a long-term arrangement. The lease, which commences February, 2000, continues for a period of ten years and may be terminated by either party prior to expiration. The rent expense under this lease arrangement for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015 was \$21,400 and \$20,090 respectively.

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### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 AND 2015

#### NOTE H - CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

The Organization maintains cash balances in serveral financial institutions. The balances are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation up to \$250,000. At December 31, 2016 and 2015, the Organization's uninsured cash balances totaled \$1,065,596 and \$702,601 respectively.

Contractor contributions receivable are due primarily from contractors within the work jurisdiction of IBEW Local Union No.375. All contractors are required to sign an agreement with the Organization stating that they will remit contributions by a specific date. Delinquent contractors are subject to fines until payment is rendered. Organization's management has the right to pursue any and all legal proceedings, including prosecution, settlement, adjustment and arbitration, necessary for the collection of contributions. If contractors owing contributions failed to completely perform according to the terms of the collective bargaining agreement, the maximum accounting loss the Organization would incur is limited to the recorded amount of contributions receivable.

### **NOTE I - MAJOR TRANSACTIONS**

The following contractors provided in excess of 10% of the income from contractors for 2016 and 2015:

	20	)16
	Income	Receivable
Albarell Electric, Inc.	\$ 301,933	\$ 21,698
Orlando Diefenderfer Electric	628,215	71,101
West Side Electrical Service	275,797	27,646
	20	15
	Income	Receivable
Albarell Electric, Inc.		
Albarell Electric, Inc. Orlando Diefenderfer Electric	Income	Receivable

#### NOTE J - RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND UNCONSOLIDATED ENTITIES

The Organization's management holds trustee positions with other affiliated organizations. These affiliations provide fringe benefits to IBEW. Local Union No. 375 employees by providing a retirement plan (Note E) and healthcare benefits. The amount of costs incurred by the local union for such benefits amounted to \$265,896 and \$217,767 for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015 respectively.

An affiliate known as IBEW J.A.T.C Trust Fund which is an employer sponsored program, whose primary mission is the training education for apprentice electricians and continuing education for journeymen electricians, reimbursed the local union for various incurred costs, such as training director wage and fringe benefit costs, instructors' fringe benefit costs, and bookkeeping services in the amount of \$74,661 and \$169,621 for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015 respectively. The amount due from this affiliate as of December 31, 2016 and 2015 was \$7,875 and \$12,298 respectively. In addition, this affiliate is obligated to the Electricians Home Association for a lease agreement dated July 15, 1998. The lease has renewal options. The amount of rent recognized as income for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015 follows:

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### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 AND 2015

### NOTE K - RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND UNCONSOLIDATED ENTITIES (continued)

	2016	2015
Total assets	\$1,306,788	\$1,196,512
Total liabilites	<u>8,837</u>	14,892
Net unrestricted assets	<u>1,297,951</u>	<u>1,181,620</u>
Support and revenue	596,705	607,563
Operating expenses	(482,960)	(516,182)
Change in net assets	\$ 113,745	\$ 91,381

An additional affiliate known as IBEW Joint Promotional Trust Fund which is an employer sponsored program, whose primary mission is to promote economic development and safety training related to the electrical industry, did not reimburse the local union for any expenses for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015. Total assets, liabilities, resources, revenue and expense activities for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015 follows:

	2016	2015
Total assets	\$ 99,083	\$ 93,778
Total liabilites Net unrestricted assets	99,083	93,778
Support and revenue	34,742	38,444
Operating expenses	(29,434)	(21,673)
Change in net assets	<u>\$ 5,308</u>	\$ 16,771

#### **NOTE L - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

The management has evaluated subsequent events through May 22, 2017, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

#### NOTE M - IMPAIRMENT OF LONG-LIVED ASSETS

The management reviews long-lived assets for impairment when circumstances indicate the carrying amount of an asset may not be recoverable based on the fair value of the asset. If the carrying amount of an asset may not be recoverable, a write-down to fair value is recorded. Fair values are determined based on quoted market values or external appraisals, as applicable. The organization's management believes that no impairment of assets exist for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015.

### NOTE N - UNCERTAINTIES, CONTINGENCIES, AND RISKS

The Organization invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks such as interest rates, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in values of investment securities will ocurr in the near term and that such changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the statement of financial position.

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## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 AND 2015

### **NOTE O – FUNCTIONAL EXPENSE CLASSIFICATION**

According to 408.16 Financial Accounting Standards Board ASC 958-720-45-2 requires nonprofit organizations to provide information about expenses reported by their functional classification (program services, management and general, and fundraising). That information may be provided in its statement of activities or notes to the financial statements. The Oganization elects to disclose its functional expense classification as a note disclosure. The functional expense classification for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015 are as follows:

2016		2015	
Program service expenses	\$ 1,266,140	Program expenses expenses	\$ 1,221,072
Management and general expenses	485,331	Management and general expenses	491,856
Fundraising expenses Total	\$ <u>1,751,471</u>	Fundraising expenses Total	\$ <del>1,712,928</del>