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ANNUAL REPORT 2023

Unaudited Fiscal Year 2023:
July 1, 2022 to June 30, 2023

Letter from the Board President

Dear LIFE CIL Team and Friends,

While I am sorry to miss the first in-person Annual Meeting since 2019 I am happy to know that our Vice President is there on my behalf. Reflecting on the success of this year, I am reminded of the commitment and passion demonstrated by the LIFE CIL team, supporters, volunteers, and friends. On behalf of the LIFE CIL Board, I extend my sincere thanks to all of you.

The past year has brought many changes, including the full re-opening of our offices, and making durable medical equipment loans available at our Pontiac branch office. Our LIFE CIL team has once again proven their resilience and it is my pleasure to share a few of this year's highlights with all of you.

Over the past year, LIFE CIL has provided information and referral services over 3,139 times, provided durable medical equipment through the equipment loan closet to 1,387 people, and provided individual advocacy services to 16 people.

LIFE CIL taught 27 school-age youth about transitioning to adult lives after high school and supported 239 seniors with vision loss in getting the assistive technology needed to remain living independently. Through our Community Reintegration efforts, LIFE CIL helped 4 people transition out of nursing homes into their own homes!

LIFE CIL staff members continue to raise awareness and visibility in the community through a variety of efforts. The team provided over 150 hours of education about our work and people with disabilities to community members and nearly 250 hours conducting outreach. Additionally, over 375 hours were spent advocating for community change so that people with disabilities can be active participants in society. All these activities are helping to reduce and remove the barriers that limit the choices of people with disabilities.

Once again, I want to thank *each of you* for being a part of this wonderful organization whose mission is to advance equality and integration of all persons with disabilities through promoting local, state, and national advocacy, educating persons with disabilities about their rights and responsibilities, providing support services, and raising community awareness about disability issues.

Together, we *will* achieve equality and integration for all. All my best to you and yours for a happy and safe holiday season!

Sincerely,

Liz Malone

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Directors whose terms ended during this year:

Melissa Kearney (resigned)

LIFE CIL Team

Management Team:

Brianne Anderson, Administrative Services Director
Conan Calhoun, Advocacy and Advancement Director
Meri Helbig, Program Director
Rickielee Benecke, Executive Director

Direct Service Staff:

Andrea Kindseth, Community Reintegration Advocate
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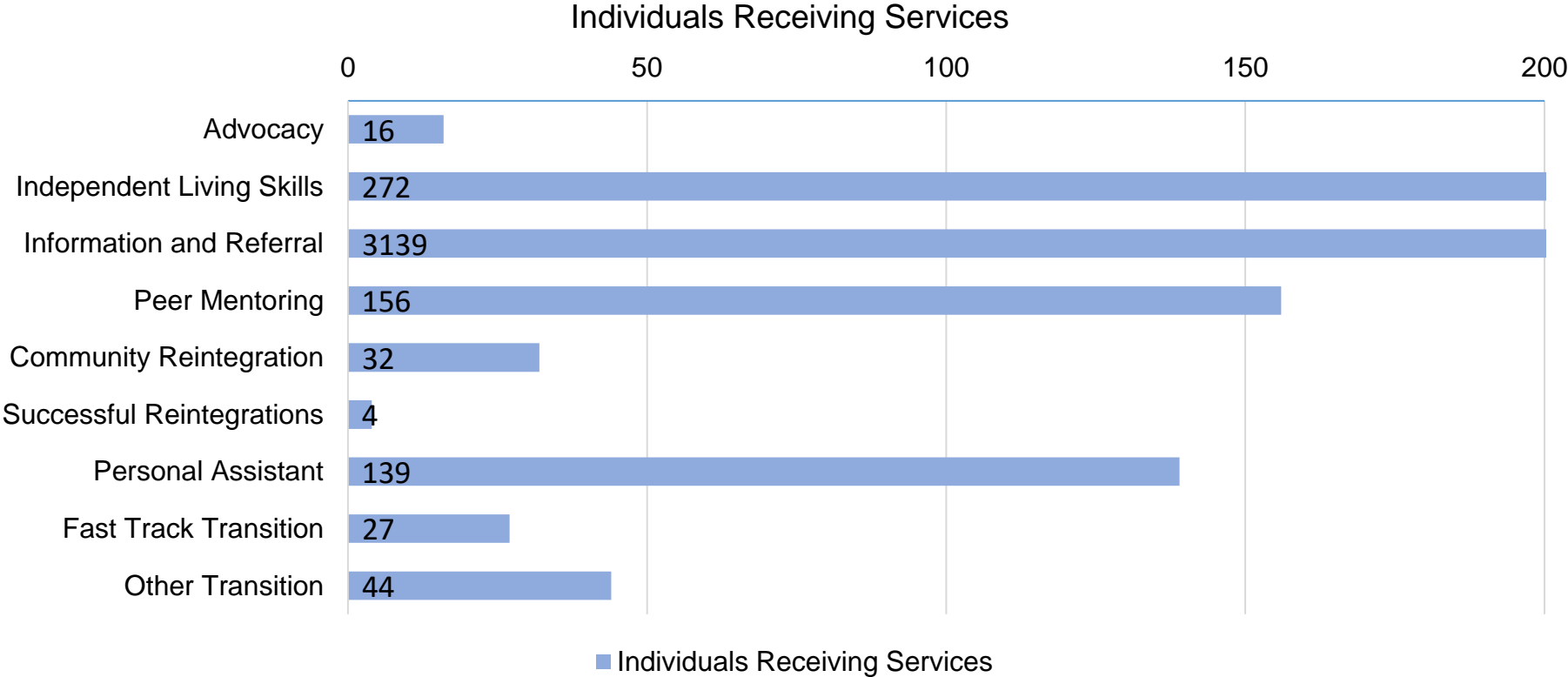
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Chris Bergstrand, Accountant

Program and Service Highlights

3,356 lives impacted from July 1, 2022 to June 30, 2023

Type of Service Provided:



Individual Services

176 individuals received extended individual services this year.

Ages

Ages	Number Served
Under 5	0
5-19	2
20-24	2
25-59	35
Over 59	137
Unknown	0
TOTAL	176

Gender

Gender	Number Served
Male	45
Female	131
TOTAL	176

Ethnicity

Ethnicity	Number Served
Native American	0
Asian	2
African American	17
Native Hawaiian	0
White	150
Hispanic	2
Two or more races	1
Unknown	4
TOTAL	176

Primary Disability

Primary Disability	Number Served
Cognitive	4
Mental	12
Physical	16
Hearing	1
Vision	142
Multiple	1
Other	-0-
TOTAL	176

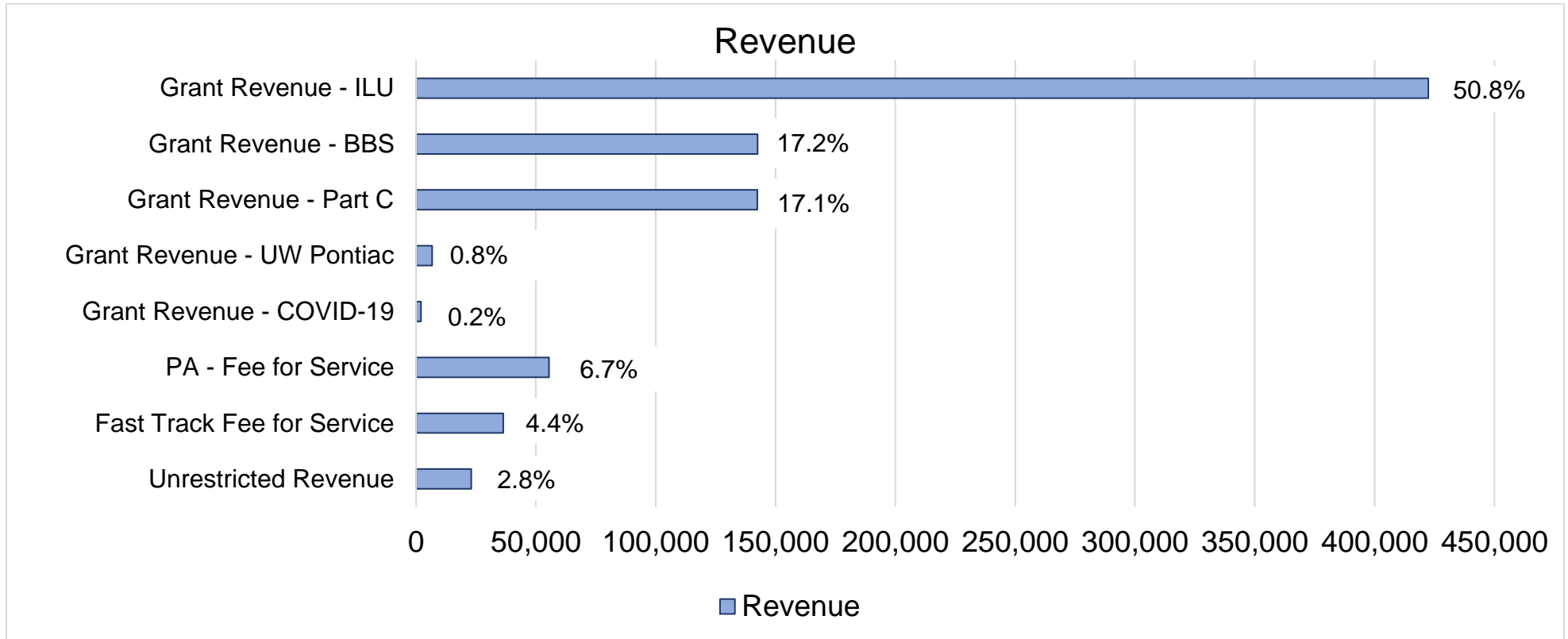
Staff Time Spent on Community Activities

Staff Activity	Hours of Staff Time
Staff Training	539.75
Systems Advocacy	375.50
Community Education	150.25
Outreach	249.75
Collaboration & Networking	478.75
Technical Assistance	16.00
TOTAL	1810.00

Revenue and Expenses

July 1, 2022 to June 30, 2023 (unaudited)

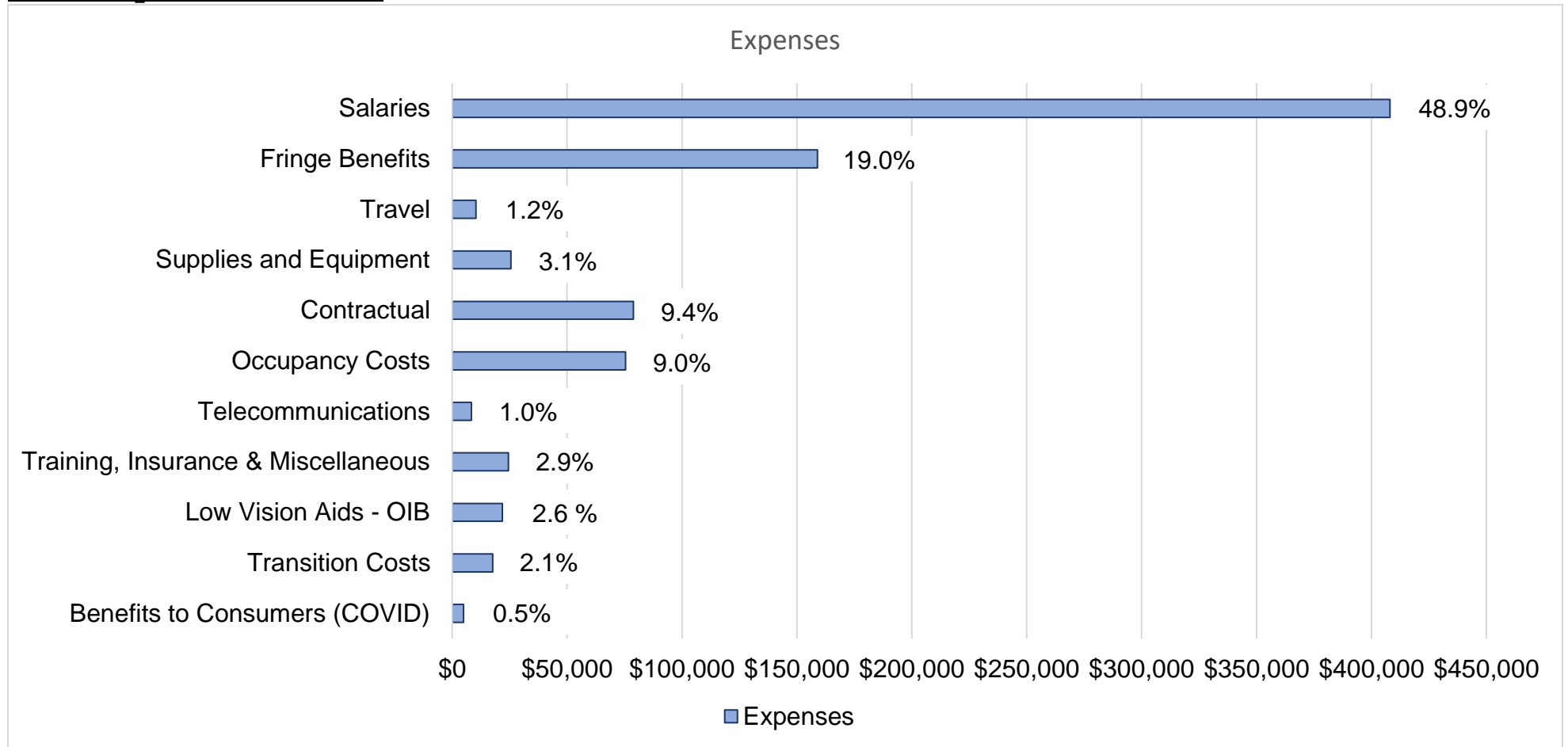
Total Revenue: \$830,870



NOTE: Unrestricted Revenue includes:

- Donations and Memorials
- Fundraising Income
- ITAC Revenue
- Membership Dues
- Interest Income

Total Expenses: \$834,355



Income over expenses: -\$3,484.54



Up 24.4% from last fiscal year

FY2022 Income over Expenses = **-\$14,287**

Last year, income was \$860,381 and expenses were \$874,668

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We greatly appreciate everyone's support!

Congratulations to LIFE CIL's 2023 award winners!

Advancing Community Access Award – **Art Rodriguez**

Building Independence Award – **Westminster Village**

Do the Right Thing Award – **Town of Normal ADA Committee**

Leader of Tomorrow Award – **Nick Pedernana**

Star PA Award – **Brenda Smith**

Volunteer of the Year Award – **Monica Innis**

*Without people like you, our work would be a lot tougher.
Thank you for your dedication and for supporting our mission.*