# NATIONAL FILM PRESERVATION FOUNDATION

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For The Years Ended December 31, 2008 and 2007

with

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

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# **Independent Auditor's Report**

To the Board of Directors NATIONAL FILM PRESERVATION FOUNDATION San Francisco, California

I have audited the accompanying statements of financial position of the National Film Preservation Foundation as of December 31, 2008 and 2007 and the related statements of activities, functional expenses and cash flows for the years then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Foundation's management. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit.

I have conducted my audit in accordance with U. S. generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that I plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the organization's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, I express no such opinion. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. I believe that my audit provides a reasonable basis for my opinion.

In my opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the National Film Preservation Foundation as of December 31, 2008 and 2007 and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the years then ended in conformity with U. S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Carl M. Arutzen, CPA

Carl M. Arntzen, CPA March 18, 2009

# NATIONAL FILM PRESERVATION FOUNDATION Statements of Financial Position December 31, 2008 and 2007

|  | 2008        | 2007        |
|--|-------------|-------------|
| ASSETS   |             |             |
| Current Assets   |             |             |
| Cash and cash equivalents                                | \$1,049,675 | \$571,440   |
| Investments  | 657,417     | 1,245,471   |
| Pledges receivable, current portion, net                 | 204,500     | 225,986     |
| Accounts receivable                                      | 10,154      | 106,417     |
| Inventory  | 190,877     | 154,810     |
| Prepaid expenses   | 7,646       | 6,094       |
| Total current assets                                     | 2,120,269   | 2,310,218   |
| Pledges receivable, non-current, net                     | 89,055      | 200,842     |
| Equipment and furniture, net of accumulated depreciation | 8,232       | 3,282       |
| Deposits   | 1,992       | 1,912       |
| TOTAL ASSETS   | \$2,219,548 | \$2,516,254 |
| LIABILITIES  |             |             |
| Current Liabilities                                      |             |             |
| Accounts payable   | \$59,980    | \$22,388    |
| Grants payable   | 619,636     | 708,849     |
| Accrued compensation                                     | 14,694      | 11,614      |
| Funds held for others                                    | 61,535      | -           |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES  | 755,845     | 742,851     |
| NET ASSETS   |             |             |
| Unrestricted   | 1,170,148   | 1,222,630   |
| Temporarily restricted                                   | 293,555     | 550,773     |
| TOTAL NET ASSETS   | 1,463,703   | 1,773,403   |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS                         | \$2,219,548 | \$2,516,254 |

#### NATIONAL FILM PRESERVATION FOUNDATION Statements of Activities For the Years Ended December 31, 2008 and 2007

|  | 2008         | 2008       | 2008        | 2007         | 2007                     | 2007        |
|--|--------------|------------|-------------|--------------|--------------------------|-------------|
|  | Temporarily  |            |             |              |                          |             |
|  | Unrestricted | Restricted | Total       | Unrestricted | Restricted               | Total       |
| SUPPORT AND REVENUE                      |              |            |             |              |                          |             |
| Grants and contributions                 | \$44,504     | \$654,767  | \$699,271   | \$47,125     | \$868,804                | \$915,929   |
| DVD sales                                | 29,730       | -          | 29,730      | 182,236      | -                        | 182,236     |
| Contract income                          | 5,109        | 1,000      | 6,109       | 304,969      | -                        | 304,969     |
| Grant savings from under-budget projects | 84,551       | -          | 84,551      | -            | -                        | -           |
| Investment income                        | 65,178       | -          | 65,178      | 80,459       | -                        | 80,459      |
| Other income                             | 5,562        | -          | 5,562       | 8,769        | -                        | 8,769       |
| Net assets released from restriction     | 912,985      | (912,985)  | -           | 813,540      | (813,540)                | -           |
| TOTAL SUPPORT AND REVENUE                | 1,147,619    | (257,218)  | 890,401     | 1,437,098    | 55,264                   | 1,492,362   |
| EXPENSES                                 |              |            |             |              |                          |             |
| Program expenses                         | 1,078,303    | -          | 1,078,303   | 1,176,836    | -                        | 1,176,836   |
| Management and general                   | 117,951      | -          | 117,951     | 104,012      | -                        | 104,012     |
| Fundraising                              | 3,847        | -          | 3,847       | 3,631        | -                        | 3,631       |
| TOTAL EXPENSES                           | 1,200,101    | -          | 1,200,101   | 1,284,479    | -                        | 1,284,479   |
| CHANGE IN NET ASSETS                     | (52,482)     | (257,218)  | (309,700)   | 152,619      | 55,264                   | 207,883     |
| NET ASSETS-BEGINNING                     | 1,222,630    | 550,773    | 1,773,403   | 1,070,011    | 495,509                  | 1,565,520   |
|  | 1,222,030    | 550,115    |             | 1,070,011    | т / J <sub>1</sub> J U / | 1,000,020   |
| NET ASSETS-ENDING                        | \$1,170,148  | \$293,555  | \$1,463,703 | \$1,222,630  | \$550,773                | \$1,773,403 |

#### National Film Preservation Foundation Statement of Functional Expenses For the Year Ended December 31, 2008

|  | Program<br>Costs | Management<br>& General | Fund<br>Raising | Total           |
|--|------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Program grants                               |                  |                         |                 |                 |
| Library of Congress                          | \$<br>530,000    | -                       | -               | \$<br>530,000   |
| Avant Garde                                  | 50,000           | -                       | -               | 50,000          |
| In-kind services                             | 60,540           | -                       | -               | 60,540          |
| Archival DVD payouts                         | 31,200           | -                       | -               | 31,200          |
| DVD production and manufacture               | 106,536          | -                       | -               | 106,536         |
| Salaries                                     | 212,402          | \$53,773                | \$2,689         | 268,864         |
| Payroll taxes                                | 16,370           | 4,144                   | 207             | 20,721          |
| Pension plan contributions                   | 5,736            | 1,452                   | 73              | 7,261           |
| Other employee benefits                      | 18,622           | 4,714                   | 236             | 23,572          |
| Accounting services                          | -                | 26,182                  | -               | 26,182          |
| Audit and information returns                | -                | 9,825                   | -               | 9,825           |
| Rent   | 16,156           | 4,090                   | 205             | 20,451          |
| Travel, board meeting, and conferences       | 7,543            | 10,310                  | 69              | 17,922          |
| Legal and consulting                         | 926              | 131                     | 7               | 1,064           |
| Office supplies                              | 2,850            | 711                     | 32              | 3,593           |
| Telephone                                    | 2,186            | 229                     | 148             | 2,563           |
| Postage and delivery                         | 2,649            | 392                     | 82              | 3,123           |
| Copying and printing                         | 6,930            | 270                     | 13              | 7,213           |
| Equipment rental and maintenance             | 1,479            | 374                     | 19              | 1,872           |
| Depreciation                                 | 1,668            | 422                     | 21              | 2,111           |
| Insurance                                    | 2,529            | 641                     | 32              | 3,202           |
| Web hosting and internet                     | 737              | 115                     | 6               | 858             |
| Subscriptions, publications, and memberships | 890              | 87                      | 4               | 981             |
| Miscellaneous                                | 354              | 89                      | 4               | 447             |
| TOTAL EXPENSES                               | <br>\$1,078,303  | \$117,951               | \$3,847         | <br>\$1,200,101 |

#### NATIONAL FILM PRESERVATION FOUNDATION Statement of Functional Expenses For the Year Ended December 31, 2007

|   | I  | Program<br>Costs | nagement<br>General | Fund<br>Raising |    | Total     |
|---|----|------------------|---------------------|-----------------|----|-----------|
| Program grants                              |    |                  |                     |                 |    |           |
| Library of Congress                         | \$ | 530,000          | -                   | -               | \$ | 530,000   |
| Avant-Garde                                 | Ť  | 50,000           | -                   | -               | Ŧ  | 50,000    |
| In-kind services                            |    | 80,120           | -                   | -               |    | 80,120    |
| Salaries                                    |    | 212,994          | \$44,157            | \$2,597         |    | 259,748   |
| Payroll taxes                               |    | 16,412           | 3,402               | 200             |    | 20,014    |
| Pension plan contributions                  |    | 6,307            | 1,308               | 77              |    | 7,692     |
| Other employee benefits                     |    | 17,814           | 3,694               | 217             |    | 21,725    |
| DVD production and manufacture              |    | 216,849          | -                   | -               |    | 216,849   |
| Accounting services                         |    | -                | 28,827              | -               |    | 28,827    |
| Audit and information returns               |    | -                | 8,500               | -               |    | 8,500     |
| Rent  |    | 15,880           | 3,292               | 194             |    | 19,366    |
| Travel and conferences                      |    | 4,304            | 7,827               | 6               |    | 12,137    |
| Legal and consulting                        |    | 1,416            | 35                  | 2               |    | 1,453     |
| Office supplies                             |    | 2,190            | 463                 | 36              |    | 2,689     |
| Telephone                                   |    | 2,228            | 221                 | 151             |    | 2,600     |
| Postage and delivery                        |    | 3,146            | 362                 | 39              |    | 3,547     |
| Copying and printing                        |    | 9,047            | 463                 | 27              |    | 9,537     |
| Equipment rental and maintenance            |    | 1,176            | 244                 | 14              |    | 1,434     |
| Depreciation                                |    | 1,796            | 372                 | 22              |    | 2,190     |
| Insurance                                   |    | 2,456            | 509                 | 30              |    | 2,995     |
| Web hosting and internet                    |    | 483              | 36                  | 2               |    | 521       |
| Subscriptions, publications and memberships |    | 934              | 35                  | 2               |    | 971       |
| Miscellaneous                               |    | 1,284            | 265                 | 15              |    | 1,564     |
| TOTAL EXPENSES                              | \$ | 1,176,836        | \$<br>104,012       | \$<br>3,631     | \$ | 1,284,479 |

### NATIONAL FILM PRESERVATION FOUNDATION Statements of Cash Flows For the Years Ended December 31, 2008 and 2007

|  | 2008         | 2007       |
|--|--------------|------------|
| Cash flows from operating activities:                          |              |            |
| Change in net assets   | \$ (309,700) | \$ 207,883 |
| Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash from |              | . ,        |
| operating activities:  |              |            |
| Depreciation   | 2,111        | 2,190      |
| Decrease (increase) in pledges receivable                      | 133,273      | (25,764)   |
| Decrease (increase) in accounts receivable                     | 92,263       | (53,380)   |
| Increase in inventory  | (36,067)     | (111,349)  |
| Increase in prepaid expenses                                   | (1,552)      | (145)      |
| Increase (decrease) in accounts payable                        | 37,592       | (17,322)   |
| Increase (decrease) in grants payable                          | (89,213)     | 201,667    |
| Increase in accrued compensation                               | 3,080        | 3,077      |
| Increase in funds held for others                              | 61,535       | -          |
| Net cash provided (used) by operating activities               | (106,678)    | 206,857    |
| Cash flows from investing activities:                          |              |            |
| Sale (purchase) of investments                                 | 588,054      | (518,806)  |
| Purchase of equipment  | (7,061)      | (2,083)    |
| Increase of deposits   | (80)         | -          |
| Net cash provided (used by) investing activities               | 580,913      | (520,889)  |
| Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents           | 474,235      | (314,032)  |
| Cash and cash equivalents - beginning of year                  | 571,440      | 885,472    |
| Cash and cash equivalents - end of year                        | \$ 1,045,675 | \$ 571,440 |

#### NATIONAL FILM PRESERVATION FOUNDATION NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### Note 1 – Organization

The National Film Preservation Foundation (www.filmpreservation.org) is the nonprofit organization created by the U.S. Congress to preserve and to make publicly accessible our nation's film heritage. The foundation's programs preserve American films that would be unlikely to survive without public support, improve film access for education and exhibition, and encourage public commitment to preserving film as an art form, historical record, and cultural resource.

The NFPF (1) gives film preservation and access grants to archives, historical societies, libraries, museums, and universities, and (2) organizes, secures funding for, and manages collaborative projects that enable film institutions to work together to promote the preservation and public access to American film. Since starting operations in 1997, the NFPF has provided preservation support to 187 institutions across 46 states, Puerto Rico, and D.C. and helped save 1,420 films. The foundation also produces DVD sets in the *Treasures from American Film Archives* series and books that advance national film preservation efforts. In 2008, we completed production and manufacture of *Treasures IV: American Avant-Garde Film 1947-1986* and a reprint of the *Treasures Encore DVD* set. The *Treasures IV* DVD set will be released in March 2009.

The foundation receives most revenues through contributions from individuals, corporations, and foundations; donated services; government funding; and wholesale DVD sales. In 2008, the NFPF received \$530,000 in federal funds authorized through *The National Film Preservation Foundation Reauthorization Act of 2006* (Public Law 109-9, Title IIIB) and secured through the Library of Congress. These funds were distributed as preservation and access grants. The foundation awarded \$640,540 in cash and laboratory services grants in 2008, and \$660,120 in 2007. Also in 2008, the NFPF shared \$31,200 in revenues from the *Treasures* DVD series with project contributors.

The foundation is the charitable affiliate of the National Film Preservation Board of the Library of Congress.

#### Note 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

- (a) Accrual Basis The financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis.
- (b) Basis of Presentation Net assets, revenues, expenses, gains, and losses are classified based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions. Grants and contributions are recognized at their fair value when an unconditional promise is made to the NFPF. Receivables are recognized net of an allowance for uncollectibles based on management's analysis of specific promises and a discount on long-term pledges for the time value of money based on a risk-free rate of return. Net assets and changes therein are classified and reported as follows:

Unrestricted net assets - Net assets that are not subject to donor-imposed stipulations.

#### NATIONAL FILM PRESERVATION FOUNDATION NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### Note 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

**Temporarily restricted net assets** – These net assets are subject to donor-imposed restrictions that permit the foundation to use or expend the assets as specified. The restriction is either satisfied by the passage of time or the actions of the NFPF. When such conditions are met, temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the statement of activities as net assets released from restrictions.

**Conditional funds** – Conditional funds are recognized as revenue when the conditions stipulated by the funder are fulfilled.

(c) Contributed Services - Contributed services are recognized as contribution support and revenue when pledged if such services require specialized skills and are provided by individuals or firms possessing those skills. These are services that would typically need to be purchased if not provided by donation. Professional services grants, consisting of services donated by laboratory and post-production facilities are recognized when awarded by the foundation.

The NFPF recognized contributed service revenue of \$25,000 in 2008 and \$175,000 in 2007, and made contributed service grants of \$60,540 in 2008 and \$80,120 in 2007.

- (d) Allocation of Expenses Salaries and non-salary administrative costs are allocated to program and supporting services through percentages derived from a staff time sampling taken over the course of the year.
- (e) Cash and Cash Equivalents For the purpose of the statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents include funds in demand deposit accounts, short-term, and liquid investments which carry a maturity date exceeding three months and may be broken without penalty. As of December 31, 2008, cash and cash equivalents were primarily in money market accounts and breakable certificates of deposit at the Bank of America. These are insured up to the limit guaranteed by the FDIC. The NFPF also held \$210,412 in liquid assets in Payden Bunker Hill Money Market Fund. This fund is registered with the SEC.
- (f) Equipment and Furniture Equipment and furniture are stated at cost if purchased and fair value if acquired through donation. Depreciation is calculated using the straight-line depreciation method and is applied over the estimated useful lives of the assets. As of December 31, 2008, equipment and furniture had a basis of \$15,520, less accumulated depreciation of \$7,288.
- (g) Inventory The NFPF's inventory consists of assembled DVD sets in the *Treasures from American Film Archives* series. Two sets—*Treasures IV* and a reprint of *Treasures Encore* edition—were manufactured and added to inventory in 2008. The former will be released for sale in 2009. As specified by generally accepted accounting principles, the inventory value of the DVD sets is based on the lesser of manufacturing cost or net realizable value.

#### Note 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

- (h) Contract Income In 2008 and 2007, contract income represents grant revenue received for the production of the *Treasures III* and *Treasures IV* DVD sets.
- (i) Funds held for others In 2008, the NFPF agreed to handle the financial management of a National Film Registry project on behalf of National Film Preservation Board. Funds for this effort are listed under "Funds held for others." As of December 31, 2008, the NFPF held \$61,535 in this account.
- (j) Estimates The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires the use of management's estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Actual results could differ from those estimates.
- (k) Income Tax Status The NFPF is a nonprofit organization under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. As a public charity, the NFPF is exempt from federal and state income tax.
- (I) Investments For the purpose of the financial statements, investments are certificates of deposit having a maturity date exceeding three months and carrying a penalty for early withdrawal. Investments are recorded at fair market value. Unrealized gains and losses are included in the changes to unrestricted net assets. In 2008, return from investments and interest from bank deposits was \$65,178. Return in 2007 represented \$80,459 from investments and interest. On December 31, 2008, investments were as follows:

Bank of America 7-month investment CD \$ 441,218 Bank of America 7-month investment CD \$ 216,199

#### Note 3 – Pledges Receivable

Pledges receivable as of December 31, 2008 are as follows:

|   |                 | Contributed     |                 |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|   | Cash            | Services        | Total           |
| Due in 2009                               | \$190,000       | \$40,000        | \$230,000       |
| Less: Allowance for uncollectible pledges | <u>(9,500)</u>  | <u>(16,000)</u> | <u>(25,500)</u> |
| Net current pledged receivable            | <u>180,500</u>  | <u>24,000</u>   | <u>204,500</u>  |
| Due in 2010 through 2013                  | 50,000          | 70,000          | \$120,000       |
| Less: Allowance for uncollectible pledges | (2,500)         | (28,000)        | (30,500)        |
| Less: Discount at .05%                    | <u>(236)</u>    | <u>(209)</u>    | <u>(445)</u>    |
| Net noncurrent pledges receivable         | <u>\$47,264</u> | <u>\$41,791</u> | <u>\$89,055</u> |

#### NATIONAL FILM PRESERVATION FOUNDATION NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### Note 4 - Temporarily Restricted Net Assets

| Temporarily restricted net assets are available for the following purposes:    |                  |
|--|------------------|
| Support for 2009, net of allowances  | \$130,500        |
| Avant-Garde Masters  | 50,000           |
| In-kind service grants for 2009, net of allowances                             | 24,000           |
| In-kind service grants for 2010-13, net of allowances & present value discount | 41,791           |
| Support for 2010 through 2013, net of allowances & present value discount      | <u>47,264</u>    |
|  | <u>\$293,555</u> |

#### Note 5 – Retirement Plan

The NFPF initiated a SEP IRA plan for employees in 2002 and contributed to the plan in 2008 and 2009, for the years 2007 and 2008 respectively. The foundation also has a contributory 403 (b) plan that is funded solely by voluntary participant salary deferrals.

#### Note 6 – Related Party Transactions

Contribution revenues from organizations to which board members are related were \$132,500 in 2008 and \$160,000 in 2007. Payments to related parties for services provided to the NFPF were \$4,000 in 2008 and \$21,373 in 2007.

#### Note 7 – Commitments, Contingencies and Concentrations

The office lease runs through November 2009. The monthly payment was \$1,678 from January to November 2008, increasing to \$1,992 in December 2008.

The National Film Preservation Foundation continues to seek to broaden its base of program support. Receivables are subject to credit risk. The NFPF incurs various contractual obligations in the course of delivering grant programs and executing special projects supported by outside funders. The foundation makes every effort to meet these obligations.

In 2008, the NFPF received \$530,000 in federal funds authorized through *The National Film Preservation Foundation Reauthorization Act of 2006* and appropriated through the Library of Congress. These monies are set aside "to promote and ensure the preservation and public accessibility of the nation's film heritage held at the Library of Congress and other public and nonprofit archives throughout the United States." Under the terms of this legislation, the funds are made available "to match any private contributions (whether in currency, services or property) made to the corporation by private persons and State and local governments."

*The Library of Congress Sound Recording and Film Preservation Programs Reauthorization Act of 2008* (Public Law 110-336), signed into law on October 2, 2008, renewed the NFPF's authorization through federal fiscal year 2016.