Financial Statements December 31, 2009 and 2008

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#### Independent Auditors' Report

To the Board of Directors American Committee for the Tel Aviv Foundation, Inc.

We have audited the accompanying statements of financial position of American Committee for the Tel Aviv Foundation, Inc. (the "Organization") as of December 31, 2009 and 2008, and the related statements of activities, and cash flows for the years then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Organization's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of American Committee for the Tel Aviv Foundation, Inc. as of December 31, 2009 and 2008, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the years then ended, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Weise 22 P New York, N.Y. July 22, 2010



## **Statements of Financial Position**

December 31, 2009 and 2008

	2009			2008	
Assets					
Cash and cash equivalents Pledges and grants receivable Property and equipment, net Other	\$	487,412 8,991,227 5,773 86,508	\$	584,352 8,684,623 3,458 97,197	
Total assets	\$	9,570,920	\$	9,369,630	
Liabilities and Net Assets					
Accounts payable and accrued expenses Due to Tel Aviv Foundation Deferred rent Security deposit Total liabilities	\$	17,364 991,055 - - 1,008,419	\$	21,381 847,820 9,953 3,950 883,104	
Commitments					
Net assets Unrestricted deficiency Temporarily restricted  Total net assets	·	(463,410) 9,025,911 8,562,501		(463,410) 8,949,936 8,486,526	
Total liabilities and net assets	\$	9,570,920	\$	9,369,630	

#### Statements of Activities

Years Ended December 31, 2009 and 2008

380	Years Ended December 31,						
		2009		2008			
	Temporarily			Temporarily			
	Unrestricted	Restricted	Total	Unrestricted	Restricted	Total	
Support and Revenues							
Tel Aviv Foundation	\$ 409,450	\$ -	\$ 409,450	\$ 614,303	\$ -	\$ 614,303	
Individuals	28,174	4,126,975	4,155,149	44,523	3,392,803	3,437,326	
Special events, net		501,834	501,834	<u></u>	105,230	105,230	
Interest income	2,500	<u> </u>	2,500	9,962		9,962	
	440,124	4,628,809	5,068,933	668,788	3,498,033	4,166,821	
Net assets released from restrictions							
due to satisfaction of program and							
time restrictions	3,934,334	(3,934,334)	<u> </u>	3,583,179	(3,583,179)		
	4,374,458	694,475	5,068,933	4,251,967	(85,146)	4,166,821	
Expenses							
Program services:							
Tel Aviv Foundation	4,150,044	-	4,150,044	3,764,286	-	3,764,286	
Supporting services:							
Management and general	100,317	·	100,317	243,799		243,799	
Fund raising	124,097		124,097	243,882		243,882	
	4,374,458	-	4,374,458	4,251,967		4,251,967	
Loss on uncollectible pledges		(618,500)	(618,500)	<u>-</u>	(938,000)	(938,000)	
Change in net assets	Ħ	75,975	75,975	=	(1,023,146)	(1,023,146)	
Net assets							
Beginning	(463,410)	8,949,936	8,486,526	(463,410)	9,973,082	9,509,672	
Ending	\$ (463,410)	\$ 9,025,911	\$ 8,562,501	\$ (463,410)	\$ 8,949,936	\$ 8,486,526	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

#### Statements of Cash Flows

Years Ended December 31, 2009 and 2008

		2009		2008
Cash flows from operating activities				
Change in net assets	\$	75,975	\$ (	1,023,146)
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to				
cash flows (used in) provided by operating activities:				
Depreciation and amortization		1,151		2,115
Loss on uncollectible pledges		618,500		938,000
Deferred rent		(9,953)		(14,840)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:				
Pledges receivable		(925,104)		74,005
Other assets		10,689		(52,932)
Accounts payable and accrued expenses		(4,017)		18,113
Due to Tel Aviv Foundation		143,235		385,722
Security deposit		(3,950)		S=8
Net cash flows (used in) provided by operating activities	1 <del>33</del>	(93,474)	7. <del></del>	327,037
Cash flows used in investing activity				
Purchase of equipment	( <del>I</del>	(3,466)	Sterring	(1,038)
Net (decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents		(96,940)		325,999
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Beginning		584,352		258,353
Ending	\$	487,412	\$	584,352

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#### 1. Organization and Nature of Activities

American Committee for the Tel Aviv Foundation, Inc. (the "Organization") is a not-for-profit organization that provides humanitarian, charitable assistance and overall improvement of quality of life to the residents of Tel Aviv-Jaffa, Israel. Support is provided to daycare centers, cultural and educational institutions, sport centers and medical facilities located throughout the city but mostly in disadvantaged areas.

The Organization is exempt from federal income taxes under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

#### 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### **Use of Estimates**

In its preparing of the financial statements, management makes estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of support and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Organization considers all highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less when purchased to be cash equivalents.

The Organization maintains cash in bank accounts which, at times, may exceed federally-insured limits. The Organization has not experienced any losses in such accounts.

#### Pledges and Grants Receivable

Unconditional promises to give that are expected to be collected within one year are recorded at net realizable value. Unconditional promises to give that are expected to be collected in future years are recorded at the present value of their future cash flows. The discounts on those amounts are computed using risk-adjusted interest rates applicable to the years in which the promises are received. Amortization of the discounts is included in contribution revenue. Conditional promises to give are not included as support until the conditions are substantially met.

#### **Property and Equipment**

Property and equipment are stated at cost. Depreciation of furniture and fixtures and equipment is provided using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the related asset. Leasehold improvements are being amortized over the shorter of the lease term or estimated useful life.

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#### Support and Revenues

The Organization reports gifts of cash and other assets as considered to be available for unrestricted use unless received with donor stipulations designating them for future periods or that limit the use of the donated assets. Assets with donor stipulations are recorded as temporarily restricted. When a donor restriction expires, that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restricted is accomplished, temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the statement of activities as net assets released from restrictions.

A number of volunteers have made a contribution of their time to the Organization to develop its programs and serve on the board of directors. The value of this contributed time is not reflected in these financial statements since it does not meet the criteria for recognition.

Two donors accounted for 48% and 24% in 2009 and 23% and 20% in 2008, of the Organization's gross pledges receivables, respectively.

#### 3. Pledges and Grant Receivable

Pledges and grant receivable include unconditional promises to give as follows:

	December 31,			
	2009	2008		
Receivable in less than one year	\$ 3,859,491	\$ 3,890,394		
Receivable in one to five years	5,640,529	5,328,334		
Receivable after five years	60,000	150,000		
	9,560,020	9,368,728		
Less: Discount to present value	(440,793)	(556,105)		
Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts	(128,000)	(128,000)		
	<u>\$ 8,991,227</u>	\$ 8,684,623		

Pledges and grants receivable have been discounted over the payment period using a discount rate of 4%.

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#### 4. Related Party Transactions

Contributions received from members of the Organization's Board of Directors, its officers or entities affiliated with these individuals, were approximately \$934,000 and \$553,000 in 2009 and 2008, respectively.

On July 31, 2008, the Organization issued a note receivable to its Executive Director in the amount of \$50,000. The note bears interest at the rate of 5% per annum and the principal is payable in monthly installments of \$1,000 through August 2011. The terms for the repayment of interest will be determined at the time when the principal is repaid in full. The amount outstanding under the note at December 31, 2009 and 2008 amounted to \$33,000 and \$45,000, respectively, and is included in other assets in the accompanying statement of financial position. Interest income on the note amounted to approximately \$2,000 and \$1,000, respectively, for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008.

#### 5. Property and Equipment, Net

Property and equipment are summarized as follows:

	1	Decem	Estimated Useful		
	-	2009	19	2008	Life
Furniture and fixtures	\$	16,390	\$	16,390	5 years
Equipment		25,529		22,063	5 years
Leasehold improvements		-		12,298	Term of lease
-		41,919		50,751	
Less: Accumulated depreciation					
and amortization	-	36,146		47,293	
	\$	5,773	<u>\$</u>	3,458	

#### 6. Temporarily Restricted Net Assets

At December 31, 2009 and 2008, temporarily restricted net assets are available for capital improvement projects in Israel in the amount of \$9,025,911 and \$8,949,936, respectively.

#### 7. Due to Tel Aviv Foundation

The balance due to Tel Aviv Foundation ("Tel Aviv") amounted to \$991,055 and \$847,820 as of December 31, 2009 and 2008, respectively. The amounts represent funds that have been designated by donors for specific projects in Israel which were not remitted prior to their respective year end dates.

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#### 8. Commitments

The Organization previously leased its office facilities under a non-cancelable operating lease which expired on August 31, 2009, a portion of which was sublet to unaffiliated entities on a month-to-month basis. In September 2009, the Organization entered into a new lease expiring on August 31, 2012. There are no sublets in the new lease agreement. The lease is subject to escalations for the Organization's pro-rata share of increases in real estate taxes.

Future minimum rental payments at December 31, 2009 are as follows:

Year Ending December 31,	
December 51,	
2010	\$ 30,300
2011	31,209
2012	 21,218
Total	\$ 82,727

Rent expense approximated \$74,000 in 2009 and \$23,000 in 2008, net of sublease income of approximately \$54,000 in 2009 and \$136,000 in 2008.

#### 9. Special Events

Income from the Organization's special events is shown, net of direct expenses, as follows:

	December 31,				
	-	2008			
Benefit receipts	\$	795,219	\$	131,700	
Less: direct benefit costs		(293,385)	-	(26,470)	
	<u>s</u>	501,834	\$	105,230	

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#### 10. Functional Expenses

Expenses were incurred as follows:

	Years Ended December 31,							
	2009							2008
		Management					Summarized	
	9	Program		and	nd Fund-		Total	Comparative
		Services	G	eneral	_	Raising	Expenses	Total
Salaries	\$	88,030	S	22 008	\$	E0 265	£ 160.202	¢ 100 555
	3		3	22,008	Ф	59,265	\$ 169,303	\$ 182,555
Payroll taxes		10,875		2,719			13,594	15,704
Employee benefits		21,698		5,425			27,123	19,288
Grants - Tel Aviv		3,934,334		1 < 100			3,934,334	3,583,179
Occupancy		64,750		16,188			80,938	44,441
Telephone and other		11,731		2,933			14,664	10,063
Office supplies and								
printing		12,769		3,192			15,961	8,673
Tel Aviv Centennial								
Campaign						23,778	23,778	264,495
Database						4,456	4,456	28,340
Postage and delivery		2,687		672			3,359	3,596
Accounting				24,700			24,700	24,200
Insurance				8,033			8,033	7,903
Repairs and maintenance	2			3,273			3,273	3,594
Promotion and advertising				- 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1		4,970	4,970	2,006
Travel and entertainmen						31,628	31,628	37,883
Computer		3,170		792		02,020	3,962	5,959
Depreciation and		0,210		.,_			0,702	0,,,,,
amortization				1,151			1,151	2,115
Miscellaneous				9,231			9,231	7,973
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Total expenses	<u>s</u>	4,150,044	<u>s</u>	100,317	\$	124,097	\$4,374,458	\$4,251,967

The functional expenses above include certain prior-year summarized comparative information in total but not by functional expense. Accordingly, such information should be read in conjunction with the Organization's financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2008, from which the summarized information was derived.

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### 11. Subsequent Events

The Organization has evaluated subsequent events through July 22, 2010, the date the financial statements were available for issuance.