

2021 Annual Report



HPLD
Friends &
Foundation

Building a Community of
Library Lovers

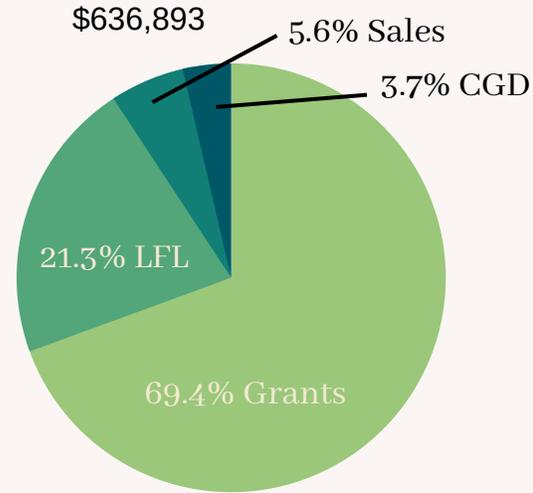
2021 Financials

Revenue	Expense	Undesignated Assets	Quasi Endowment
\$236,000	\$148,165	\$93,373	\$636,893

2021 Solicitation Analysis

Links for Literacy	\$38,724	Monthly Gifts	\$1,200
End of Year	\$6,391	Sales	\$10,184
Grants*	\$126,010	Colorado Gives Day	\$6,600
Employee Giving	\$3,763		

*The IMLS and NEA grants are not reflected in our 2021 Audit Revenue as the funds went directly to HPLD



Thank You to Our 2021 Top Sponsors

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Board Designated Funds



The HPLD Friends & Foundation Board of Directors distributed \$26,000 among District programs and a capital project. \$20,000 was designated to the construction of LINC: Library Innovation Center which will be open to our Northern Colorado community in 2023. The remaining funds were distributed to Summer Reading Adventure (\$2,500), Widening the Window (\$1,000), and Signature Author Series (\$2,500). These programs, led by Amy Ortiz and Carolyn Valencia, not only encourage reading among our community members but also provide space for conversations about literacy and the challenges of growing up in the modern age.

Writer in Residence: Dr. Melanie Peffer

Dr. Peffer spent her residency working and publishing a children's spin-off series titled *The Biology Adventurers: On the River* which won Gold in the Children's Story books category at the 2022 CIPA EVVY Awards. In the children's book, we follow a small child exploring the biology in their immediate environment in Weld County. The children's book targets children in late elementary grades when children begin to read to learn (rather than learn to read). This is also an age when groups underrepresented in the sciences, such as girls, begin to feel less like a scientist and lose interest in the sciences.

