Independent Auditors' Report as Required by Title 2 *U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards and Government Auditing Standards* and Related Information

# **COLD SPRING HARBOR LABORATORY**

December 31, 2022 and 2021

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#### REPORT OF INDEPENDENT CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

To the Board of Trustees of Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory

### Report on the financial statements

#### **Opinion**

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory (the "Laboratory"), which comprise the consolidated balance sheets as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, and the related consolidated statements of activities and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Laboratory as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, and the changes in their net assets and their cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (US GAAS) and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (*Government Auditing Standards*). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Laboratory and to meet our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

### Responsibilities of management for the financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Laboratory's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date the financial statements are issued.



#### Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with US GAAS and *Government Auditing Standards* will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the consolidated financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with US GAAS and Government Auditing Standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to
  design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for
  the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Laboratory's
  internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Laboratory's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

#### **Supplementary information**

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the consolidated financial statements as a whole. The schedule of expenditures of federal awards, as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the consolidated financial statements. Such supplementary information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates



directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the consolidated financial statements and certain additional procedures. These additional procedures included comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements or to the consolidated financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with US GAAS. In our opinion, the accompanying supplementary information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the consolidated financial statements as a whole.

## Other reporting required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated May 5, 2023 on our consideration of the Laboratory's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the Laboratory's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Laboratory's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Melville, New York July 11, 2023

Grant Thornton LLP

# **Consolidated Balance Sheets**

As of December 31, 2022 and 2021

ASSETS	 2022	 2021
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 77,167,975	\$ 110,039,037
Grants receivable	9,660,138	11,023,970
Contributions receivable, net	107,020,461	109,223,435
Investments	683,077,580	785,156,520
Investments in certificate of deposits	39,302,433	-
Investment in employee residences	6,588,394	6,366,321
Restricted use assets	3,015,801	3,391,191
Other assets	7,145,053	7,585,315
Land, buildings, and equipment, net	 307,777,062	 286,004,083
Total assets	\$ 1,240,754,897	\$ 1,318,789,872
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
Liabilities		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$ 11,471,782	\$ 11,290,659
Deferred revenue	34,208,363	42,817,598
Interest rate swap	12,586,718	33,914,521
Bonds payable	 96,072,771	 96,006,502
Total liabilities	 154,339,634	 184,029,280
Commitments and contingencies		
Net assets		
Without donor restrictions	696,891,054	695,295,250
With donor restrictions	 389,524,209	 439,465,342
Total net assets	 1,086,415,263	 1,134,760,592
Total liabilities and net assets	\$ 1,240,754,897	\$ 1,318,789,872

# **Consolidated Statement of Activities**

For the year ended December 31, 2022 (with summarized financial information for the year ended December 31, 2021)

Public support			Without Donor Restrictions		With Donor Restrictions		2022 Total		2021 Total
grant awards         \$ 40,629,104 \$ 41,388,611 \$ 82,017,715 \$ 70,945,564           Federal grant awards         39,188,764 \$ \$ 39,188,764 \$ 38,821,208           Indirect cost allowances         30,876,743 \$ \$ 30,876,743 \$ \$ 30,972,451           Investment return utilized         34,93,868 \$	Revenue and other support								
Federal grant awards         39,188,764         -         39,188,764         38,821,308           Indirect cost allowances         30,876,743         -         30,876,743         30,972,451           Investment return utilized         34,493,868         -         34,493,868         32,860,963           Royally & license revenue         10,165,173         -         10,165,173         14,066,754           Program fees         8,583,126         -         8,583,126         6,774,775           Publications sales         9,389,318         -         9,889,318         9,932,14           Dining services         4,895,902         -         4,895,902         416,061           Rooms and apartments         4,240,693         -         4,240,693         1,036,749           Miscellancous         1,016,985         -         1,016,985         96,292           Net assets released from restrictions         44,574,731         (44,574,731)         -         -           Total revenue and other support         228,054,407         (3,186,120)         224,868,287         205,486,831           Expenses         8         111,828,147         -         111,828,147         110,705,498           Educational programs         18,789,514         -         18	Public support - contributions and nonfederal								
Indirect cost allowances   30,876,743   - 30,876,743   30,972,451     Investment return utilized   34,493,868   - 34,493,868   32,860,963     Royalty & Genes revenue   10,165,173   - 10,165,173   14,066,754     Program fees   8,583,126   - 8,583,126   6,177,475     Publications sales   9,389,318   - 9,389,318   9,193,214     Diming services   4,895,902   - 4,899,902   416,061     Rooms and apartments   42,40,693   - 42,40,693   1,036,749     Miscellaneous   11,016,985   - 10,105,985   996,292     Net assets released from restrictions   44,574,731   (44,574,731)	grant awards	\$	40,629,104	\$	41,388,611	\$	82,017,715	\$	70,945,564
Investment return utilized   34,493,868   - 34,493,868   32,860,963   Royally & license revenue   10,165,173   - 10,165,173   14,066,754   61,77475   74	Federal grant awards		39,188,764		-		39,188,764		38,821,308
Royalty & license revenue         10,165,173         - 10,165,173         14,066,754           Program fees         8,583,126         - 8,583,126         6,177,475           Publications sales         93,89,318         - 9,389,318         9,193,214           Dining services         4,895,902         - 4,895,902         416,061           Rooms and apartments         4240,693         - 4240,693         1,036,749           Miscellaneous         1,016,985         - 10,16985         996,292           Net assets released from restrictions         44,574,731         (44,574,731)	Indirect cost allowances		30,876,743		-		30,876,743		30,972,451
Program fees         8,583,126         -         8,583,126         6,177,475           Publications sales         9,389,318         -         9,389,318         9,189,318         9,189,318         9,189,318         9,189,318         9,189,318         9,189,214         1,166,952         -         4,895,902         4,489,5002         -         4,895,902         1,06,749         1,06,749         Miscellaneous         1,016,985         -         1,016,985         996,292         96,292         Net assets released from restrictions         44,574,731         (44,574,731)         - <t< td=""><td>Investment return utilized</td><td></td><td>34,493,868</td><td></td><td>-</td><td></td><td>34,493,868</td><td></td><td>32,860,963</td></t<>	Investment return utilized		34,493,868		-		34,493,868		32,860,963
Publications sales         9,389,318         -         9,389,318         9,193,214           Diming services         4,895,902         -         4,895,902         4,6061         1,036,749           Rooms and apartments         4,240,693         -         1,240,693         1,036,749           Miscellaneous         1,1016,985         -         1,1016,985         996,292           Net assets released from restrictions         44,574,731         (44,574,731)         -         -         -           Total revenue and other support         228,054,407         (3,186,120)         224,868,287         205,486,831           Expenses         -         111,828,147         -         111,828,147         110,705,498           Educational programs         18,789,514         -         18,789,514         13,781,654           Publications         10,202,241         -         10,202,241         10,202,241         9,755,900           Banbury Center conferences         2,323,893         -         2,323,893         1,327,685           DNA Learning Center programs         3,274,739         -         2,549,192         5,819,821         5,414,845           School of Biological Sciences programs         3,274,739         -         29,975,299         29,975,299	Royalty & license revenue		10,165,173		-		10,165,173		14,066,754
Diming services         4,895,902         -         4,895,902         4,895,902         4,240,693         1,036,749           Rooms and apartments         4,240,693         -         4,240,693         1,016,985         906,292           Miscellaneous         1,016,985         -         -         -         -           Net assets released from restrictions         44,574,731         (44,574,731)         -         -         -           Total revenue and other support         228,054,407         (3,186,120)         224,868,287         205,486,831           Expenses         8         -         111,828,147         -         111,828,147         110,705,498           Educational programs         18,789,514         -         18,789,514         13,781,654           Educational programs         18,289,514         -         11,828,147         111,828,147         111,828,147         110,705,498           Educational programs         18,289,514         -         18,789,514         13,781,654         13,781,654         14,645         13,781,655         14,645         13,727,685         14,484         14,665         14,685         14,484         14,665         14,484         14,686         14,484         14,686         14,484         14,686         14,4	Program fees		8,583,126		-		8,583,126		6,177,475
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Miscellaneous         1,016,985         -         1,016,985         996,292           Net assets released from restrictions         44,574,731         (44,574,731)         -         -           Total revenue and other support         228,054,407         (3,186,120)         224,868,287         205,486,831           Expenses         8         8         8         111,828,147         -         111,828,147         110,705,498           Educational programs         18,789,514         -         18,789,514         13,781,654           Publications         10,202,241         -         10,202,241         9,555,000           Banbury Center conferences         2,323,893         -         2,323,893         1,377,685           DNA Learning Center programs         3,274,739         -         2,819,821         5,414,845           School of Biological Sciences programs         3,274,739         -         3,274,739         2,966,837           General and administrative         29,975,299         -         29,975,299         2,2975,299         2,2975,299         2,28,765         18,213,654         168,640,293           Excess (deficiency) of revenue and other support over expenses         45,840,753         (3,186,120)         42,654,633         36,846,538           Investment	Dining services		4,895,902		-		4,895,902		416,061
Net assets released from restrictions         44,574,731         (44,574,731)         -	Rooms and apartments		4,240,693		-		4,240,693		1,036,749
Total revenue and other support         228,054,407         (3,186,120)         224,868,287         205,486,831           Expenses         Research         111,828,147         -         111,828,147         110,705,498           Educational programs         18,789,514         -         18,789,514         13,781,654           Publications         10,202,241         -         10,202,241         9,555,000           Banbury Center conferences         2,323,893         -         2,323,893         1,327,685           DNA Learning Center programs         5,819,821         -         5,819,821         5,414,845           School of Biological Sciences programs         3,274,739         -         3,274,739         2,966,837           General and administrative         29,975,299         -         29,975,299         24,888,774           Total expenses         182,213,654         -         182,213,654         168,640,293           Excess (deficiency) of revenue and other support over expenses         45,840,753         (3,186,120)         42,654,633         36,846,538           Other changes in net assets         1nvestment (loss) income excluding amount utilized         (65,572,752)         (46,755,013)         (112,327,803         7,281,769           Increase (decrease) in net assets         1,34,760,592<	Miscellaneous		1,016,985		-		1,016,985		996,292
Expenses	Net assets released from restrictions	_	44,574,731	_	(44,574,731)		<u>-</u>		
Research         111,828,147         -         111,828,147         110,705,498           Educational programs         18,789,514         -         18,789,514         13,781,654           Publications         10,202,241         -         10,202,241         9,555,000           Banbury Center conferences         2,323,893         -         2,323,893         1,327,685           DNA Learning Center programs         5,819,821         -         5,819,821         5,414,845           School of Biological Sciences programs         3,274,739         -         3,274,739         2,966,837           General and administrative         29,975,299         -         29,975,299         24,888,774           Total expenses         182,213,654         -         182,213,654         168,640,293           Excess (deficiency) of revenue and other support over expenses         45,840,753         (3,186,120)         42,654,633         36,846,538           Other changes in net assets         Investment (loss) income excluding amount utilized         (65,572,752)         (46,755,013)         (112,327,765)         56,413,911           Change in fair value of interest rate swap         21,327,803         -         21,327,803         7,281,769           Increase (decrease) in net assets         1,595,804         (49,941,133)<	Total revenue and other support	_	228,054,407	_	(3,186,120)	_	224,868,287		205,486,831
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General and administrative         29,975,299         -         29,975,299         24,888,774           Total expenses         182,213,654         -         182,213,654         168,640,293           Excess (deficiency) of revenue and other support over expenses         45,840,753         (3,186,120)         42,654,633         36,846,538           Other changes in net assets         Investment (loss) income excluding amount utilized         (65,572,752)         (46,755,013)         (112,327,765)         56,413,911           Change in fair value of interest rate swap         21,327,803         -         21,327,803         7,281,769           Increase (decrease) in net assets         1,595,804         (49,941,133)         (48,345,329)         100,542,218           Net assets at beginning of year         695,295,250         439,465,342         1,134,760,592         1,034,218,374	DNA Learning Center programs		5,819,821		-		5,819,821		5,414,845
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Excess (deficiency) of revenue and other support over expenses 45,840,753 (3,186,120) 42,654,633 36,846,538  Other changes in net assets  Investment (loss) income excluding amount utilized (65,572,752) (46,755,013) (112,327,765) 56,413,911  Change in fair value of interest rate swap 21,327,803 - 21,327,803 7,281,769  Increase (decrease) in net assets 1,595,804 (49,941,133) (48,345,329) 100,542,218  Net assets at beginning of year 695,295,250 439,465,342 1,134,760,592 1,034,218,374	General and administrative		29,975,299	_			29,975,299		24,888,774
Other changes in net assets         (65,572,752)         (46,755,013)         (112,327,765)         56,413,911           Change in fair value of interest rate swap         21,327,803         -         21,327,803         7,281,769           Increase (decrease) in net assets         1,595,804         (49,941,133)         (48,345,329)         100,542,218           Net assets at beginning of year         695,295,250         439,465,342         1,134,760,592         1,034,218,374	Total expenses	_	182,213,654	_	-		182,213,654		168,640,293
Investment (loss) income excluding amount utilized         (65,572,752)         (46,755,013)         (112,327,765)         56,413,911           Change in fair value of interest rate swap         21,327,803         -         21,327,803         7,281,769           Increase (decrease) in net assets         1,595,804         (49,941,133)         (48,345,329)         100,542,218           Net assets at beginning of year         695,295,250         439,465,342         1,134,760,592         1,034,218,374	Excess (deficiency) of revenue and other support over expenses		45,840,753		(3,186,120)		42,654,633		36,846,538
Change in fair value of interest rate swap         21,327,803         -         21,327,803         7,281,769           Increase (decrease) in net assets         1,595,804         (49,941,133)         (48,345,329)         100,542,218           Net assets at beginning of year         695,295,250         439,465,342         1,134,760,592         1,034,218,374	Other changes in net assets								
Increase (decrease) in net assets 1,595,804 (49,941,133) (48,345,329) 100,542,218  Net assets at beginning of year 695,295,250 439,465,342 1,134,760,592 1,034,218,374	Investment (loss) income excluding amount utilized		(65,572,752)		(46,755,013)		(112,327,765)		56,413,911
Net assets at beginning of year 695,295,250 439,465,342 1,134,760,592 1,034,218,374	Change in fair value of interest rate swap	_	21,327,803	_	-	_	21,327,803	_	7,281,769
	Increase (decrease) in net assets		1,595,804		(49,941,133)		(48,345,329)		100,542,218
	Net assets at beginning of year		695,295,250		439,465,342		1,134,760,592		1,034,218,374
	Net assets at end of year	\$	696,891,054	\$	389,524,209	\$	1,086,415,263	\$	

# **Consolidated Statement of Activities**

For the year ended December 31, 2021

Revenue and other support - outributions and nonfederal grant awards         \$ 40,759,409         \$ 30,186,155         \$ 70,945,564           Federal grant awards         38,821,308         -         38,821,308           Indirect cost allowances         30,972,451         -         30,972,451           Investment return utilized         32,860,963         -         32,860,963           Royalty & Icense revenue         14,066,754         -         14,066,754           Program fees         6,177,475         -         6,177,475           Publications sales         9,193,214         -         9,193,214           Dining services         416,061         -         416,061           Rooms and apartments         1,036,749         -         1,036,749           Miscellaneous         996,292         -         996,292           Net assets released from restrictions         58,910,562         (58,910,562)         2-           Total revenue and other support         234211,238         (28,724,407)         205,486,831           Expenses         8         13,781,654         -         110,705,498           Research         110,705,498         -         13,781,654           Publications         9,555,000         -         9,555,000<		_	Without Donor Restrictions		With Donor Restrictions		Total
grant awards         \$ 40,75,400         \$ 30,186,155         \$ 70,945,564           Federal grant awards         38,821,308         -         38,821,308         -         38,821,308         -         38,821,308         -         30,972,451         -         30,972,451         -         30,972,451         -         30,972,451         -         30,972,451         -         30,972,451         -         30,972,451         -         32,860,963         -         32,860,963         -         32,860,963         -         14,066,754         -         14,066,754         -         6,177,477         -         6,177,477         -         6,177,477         -         9,193,214         -         9,193,214         -         9,193,214         -         9,193,214         -         9,193,214         -         9,193,214         -         9,193,214         -         9,193,214         -         9,193,214         -         9,193,214         -         9,193,214         -         9,193,214         -         9,193,214         -         9,193,214         -         9,193,214         -         9,193,214         -         9,193,214         -         9,193,214         -         1,036,49         -         -         1,036,49         -         -         1	Revenue and other support		_		_		
Federal grant awards   38,821,308   - 38,821,308   Indirect cost allowances   30,972,451   - 30,972,451   - 30,972,451   - 30,972,451   - 30,972,451   - 30,972,451   - 32,860,963   - 32,912,214   - 32,912,214   - 32,912,214   - 32,912,214   - 32,912,214   - 32,912,214   - 32,912,214   - 32,912,214   - 32,912,214   - 32,912,214   - 32,966,937   - 3	Public support - contributions and nonfederal						
Indirect cost allowances   30,972,451   - 30,972,451   Investment return utilized   32,860,963   - 32,860,963   - 32,860,963   - 32,860,963   - 14,066,754   - 14,066,754   - 14,066,754   - 14,066,754   - 14,066,754   - 14,066,754   - 14,066,754   - 14,066,754   - 14,066,754   - 14,066,754   - 14,066,754   - 14,066,754   - 14,066,174,75   - 14,066,174	grant awards	\$	40,759,409	\$	30,186,155	\$	70,945,564
Investment return utilized   32,860,963   - 32,860,963   Royalty & license revenue   14,066,754   - 14,066,754   Program fees   61,777,475   - 6,177,475   Publications sales   9,193,214   - 9,193,214   Dining services   416,061   - 416,061   Rooms and apartments   1,036,749   - 10,36,749   Miscellaneous   996,292   - 96,292   Post assets released from restrictions   58,910,562   (58,910,562)   - 7   Total revenue and other support   234,211,238   (28,724,407)   205,486,831	Federal grant awards		38,821,308		-		38,821,308
Royalty & license revenue         14,066,754         -         14,066,754           Program fees         6,177,475         -         6,177,475           Publications sales         9,193,214         -         9,193,214           Dining services         416,061         -         416,061           Rooms and apartments         1,036,749         -         1,036,749           Miscellaneous         996,292         -         996,292           Net assets released from restrictions         58,910,562         (58,910,562)         -           Total revenue and other support         234,211,238         (28,724,407)         205,486,831           Expenses         110,705,498         -         110,705,498           Educational programs         13,781,654         -         13,781,654           Publications         9,555,000         -         9,555,000           Banbury Center conferences         1,327,685         -         1,327,685           DNA Learning Center programs         5,414,845         -         2,966,837           General and administrative         24,888,774         -         24,888,774           Total expenses         168,640,293         -         168,640,293           Excess (deficiency) of revenue and other su	Indirect cost allowances		30,972,451		-		30,972,451
Program fees         6,177,475         -         6,177,475           Publications sales         9,193,214         -         9,193,214           Dining services         416,061         -         416,067           Rooms and apartments         1,036,749         -         1,036,749           Miscellaneous         996,292         -         996,292           Net assets released from restrictions         58,910,562         (58,910,562)         -           Total revenue and other support         234,211,238         28,724,407)         205,486,831           Expenses         8         -         110,705,498           Research         110,705,498         -         110,705,498           Educational programs         13,781,654         -         13,781,654           Publications         9,555,000         -         9,555,000           Banbury Center conferences         1,327,685         -         1,327,685           DNA Learning Center programs         5,414,845         -         2,966,837           School of Biological Sciences programs         29,66,837         -         2,966,837           General and administrative         24,888,774         -         24,888,774           Total expenses         168,640,293	Investment return utilized		32,860,963		-		32,860,963
Publications sales         9,193,214         -         9,193,214           Dining services         416,061         -         416,061           Rooms and apartments         1,036,749         -         1,036,749           Miscellaneous         996,292         -         996,292           Net assets released from restrictions         58,910,562         (58,910,562)         -           Total revenue and other support         234211,238         (28,724,407)         205,486,831           Expenses         8         -         110,705,498         -         110,705,498         -         110,705,498         -         13,781,654         -         13,781,654         -         13,781,654         -         13,781,654         -         9,555,000         -         9,555,000         -         9,555,000         -         9,555,000         -         9,555,000         -         9,555,000         -         1,327,685         -         1,327,685         -         1,327,685         -         1,327,685         -         1,344,845         -         5,414,845         -         2,488,774         -         2,4888,774         -         2,4888,774         -         2,4888,774         -         2,4888,774         -         2,4888,774         -	Royalty & license revenue		14,066,754		-		14,066,754
Dining services         416,061         -         416,061           Rooms and apartments         1,036,749         -         1,036,749           Miscellaneous         996,292         -         996,292           Net assets released from restrictions         58,910,562         (58,910,562)         -           Total revenue and other support         234,211,238         (28,724,407)         205,486,831           Expenses         8         -         110,705,498           Educational programs         13,781,654         -         13,781,654           Publications         9,555,000         -         9,555,000           Banbury Center conferences         1,327,685         -         1,327,685           DNA Learning Center programs         5,414,845         -         5,414,845           School of Biological Sciences programs         2,966,837         -         2,966,837           General and administrative         24,888,774         -         24,888,74           Total expenses         168,640,293         -         168,640,293           Excess (deficiency) of revenue and other support over expenses         65,570,945         (28,724,407)         36,846,538           Other changes in net assets         1,221,669         -         7,281,769	Program fees		6,177,475		-		6,177,475
Rooms and apartments         1,036,749         -         1,036,749           Miscellaneous         996,292         -         996,292           Net assets released from restrictions         58,910,562         (58,910,562)         -           Total revenue and other support         234,211,238         (28,724,407)         205,486,831           Expenses         8         -         110,705,498         -         113,781,654         -         1,327,685         -         1,327,685         -         1,327,685         -         1,327,685         -         -         1,4484         -         -         2,488,774         -         2,488,774         -         2,488,774         -	Publications sales		9,193,214		-		9,193,214
Miscellaneous         996,292         -         996,292           Net assets released from restrictions         58,910,562         (58,910,562)         -           Total revenue and other support         234,211,238         (28,724,407)         205,486,831           Expenses         8         -         110,705,498         -         110,705,498         -         110,705,498         -         110,705,498         -         110,705,498         -         110,705,498         -         13,781,654         -         13,781,654         -         13,781,654         -         9,555,000         -         9,555,000         -         9,555,000         -         9,555,000         -         9,555,000         -         9,555,000         -         1,327,685         -         1,327,685         -         1,327,685         -         1,327,685         -         1,327,685         -         1,327,685         -         5,414,845         -         5,414,845         -         5,414,845         -         5,414,845         -         2,966,837         -         2,966,837         -         2,296,6837         -         2,286,6837         -         2,286,6837         -         -         2,488,774         -         -         2,488,774         -         - <td>Dining services</td> <td></td> <td>416,061</td> <td></td> <td>-</td> <td></td> <td>416,061</td>	Dining services		416,061		-		416,061
Net assets released from restrictions         58,910,562         (58,910,562)         -           Total revenue and other support         234,211,238         (28,724,407)         205,486,831           Expenses         8         -         110,705,498         -         110,705,498           Educational programs         13,781,654         -         13,781,654           Publications         9,555,000         -         9,555,000           Banbury Center conferences         1,327,685         -         1,327,685           DNA Learning Center programs         5,414,845         -         5,414,845           School of Biological Sciences programs         2,966,837         -         2,966,837           General and administrative         24,888,774         -         24,888,774           Total expenses         168,640,293         -         168,640,293           Excess (deficiency) of revenue and other support over expenses         65,570,945         (28,724,407)         36,846,538           Other changes in net assets         1nvestment income excluding amount utilized         24,282,348         32,131,563         56,413,911           Change in fair value of interest rate swap         7,281,769         -         7,281,769           Increase in net assets         97,135,062	Rooms and apartments		1,036,749		-		1,036,749
Total revenue and other support         234,211,238         (28,724,407)         205,486,831           Expenses         8         -         110,705,498         -         110,705,498           Educational programs         13,781,654         -         13,781,654         -         13,781,654           Publications         9,555,000         -         9,6837         -         2,966,837         -         2,966,837         -         2,966,837         -         24,888,774         -         24,888,774         -         24,888,774         -         2,888,774         -         168,640,293         -         168,640,293         -         168,640,293         -         168,640,293         -         - <td< td=""><td>Miscellaneous</td><td></td><td>996,292</td><td></td><td>-</td><td></td><td>996,292</td></td<>	Miscellaneous		996,292		-		996,292
Expenses       Increase in net assets       Intrease in net	Net assets released from restrictions	_	58,910,562	_	(58,910,562)		<u>-</u>
Research         110,705,498         -         110,705,498           Educational programs         13,781,654         -         13,781,654           Publications         9,555,000         -         9,555,000           Banbury Center conferences         1,327,685         -         1,327,685           DNA Learning Center programs         5,414,845         -         5,414,845           School of Biological Sciences programs         2,966,837         -         2,966,837           General and administrative         24,888,774         -         24,888,774           Total expenses         168,640,293         -         168,640,293           Excess (deficiency) of revenue and other support over expenses         65,570,945         (28,724,407)         36,846,538           Other changes in net assets         Investment income excluding amount utilized         24,282,348         32,131,563         56,413,911           Change in fair value of interest rate swap         7,281,769         -         7,281,769           Increase in net assets         97,135,062         3,407,156         100,542,218           Net assets at beginning of year         598,160,188         436,058,186         1,034,218,374	Total revenue and other support	_	234,211,238	_	(28,724,407)		205,486,831
Educational programs         13,781,654         -         13,781,654           Publications         9,555,000         -         9,555,000           Banbury Center conferences         1,327,685         -         1,327,685           DNA Learning Center programs         5,414,845         -         5,414,845           School of Biological Sciences programs         2,966,837         -         2,966,837           General and administrative         24,888,774         -         24,888,774           Total expenses         168,640,293         -         168,640,293           Excess (deficiency) of revenue and other support over expenses         65,570,945         (28,724,407)         36,846,538           Other changes in net assets         -         7,281,769         -         7,281,769           Increase in net assets         97,135,062         3,407,156         100,542,218           Net assets at beginning of year         598,160,188         436,058,186         1,034,218,374	Expenses						
Publications         9,555,000         -         9,555,000           Banbury Center conferences         1,327,685         -         1,327,685           DNA Learning Center programs         5,414,845         -         5,414,845           School of Biological Sciences programs         2,966,837         -         2,966,837           General and administrative         24,888,774         -         24,888,774           Total expenses         168,640,293         -         168,640,293           Excess (deficiency) of revenue and other support over expenses         65,570,945         (28,724,407)         36,846,538           Other changes in net assets         Investment income excluding amount utilized         24,282,348         32,131,563         56,413,911           Change in fair value of interest rate swap         7,281,769         -         7,281,769           Increase in net assets         97,135,062         3,407,156         100,542,218           Net assets at beginning of year         598,160,188         436,058,186         1,034,218,374	Research		110,705,498		-		110,705,498
Banbury Center conferences         1,327,685         -         1,327,685           DNA Learning Center programs         5,414,845         -         5,414,845           School of Biological Sciences programs         2,966,837         -         2,966,837           General and administrative         24,888,774         -         24,888,774           Total expenses         168,640,293         -         168,640,293           Excess (deficiency) of revenue and other support over expenses         65,570,945         (28,724,407)         36,846,538           Other changes in net assets         Investment income excluding amount utilized         24,282,348         32,131,563         56,413,911           Change in fair value of interest rate swap         7,281,769         -         7,281,769           Increase in net assets         97,135,062         3,407,156         100,542,218           Net assets at beginning of year         598,160,188         436,058,186         1,034,218,374	Educational programs		13,781,654		-		13,781,654
DNA Learning Center programs         5,414,845         -         5,414,845           School of Biological Sciences programs         2,966,837         -         2,966,837           General and administrative         24,888,774         -         24,888,774           Total expenses         168,640,293         -         168,640,293           Excess (deficiency) of revenue and other support over expenses         65,570,945         (28,724,407)         36,846,538           Other changes in net assets         Investment income excluding amount utilized         24,282,348         32,131,563         56,413,911           Change in fair value of interest rate swap         7,281,769         -         7,281,769           Increase in net assets         97,135,062         3,407,156         100,542,218           Net assets at beginning of year         598,160,188         436,058,186         1,034,218,374	Publications		9,555,000		-		9,555,000
School of Biological Sciences programs         2,966,837         -         2,966,837           General and administrative         24,888,774         -         24,888,774           Total expenses         168,640,293         -         168,640,293           Excess (deficiency) of revenue and other support over expenses         65,570,945         (28,724,407)         36,846,538           Other changes in net assets         Investment income excluding amount utilized         24,282,348         32,131,563         56,413,911           Change in fair value of interest rate swap         7,281,769         -         7,281,769           Increase in net assets         97,135,062         3,407,156         100,542,218           Net assets at beginning of year         598,160,188         436,058,186         1,034,218,374	Banbury Center conferences		1,327,685		-		1,327,685
General and administrative         24,888,774         -         24,888,774           Total expenses         168,640,293         -         168,640,293           Excess (deficiency) of revenue and other support over expenses         65,570,945         (28,724,407)         36,846,538           Other changes in net assets	DNA Learning Center programs		5,414,845		-		5,414,845
Total expenses         168,640,293         -         168,640,293           Excess (deficiency) of revenue and other support over expenses         65,570,945         (28,724,407)         36,846,538           Other changes in net assets	School of Biological Sciences programs		2,966,837		-		2,966,837
Excess (deficiency) of revenue and other support over expenses 65,570,945 (28,724,407) 36,846,538  Other changes in net assets  Investment income excluding amount utilized 24,282,348 32,131,563 56,413,911  Change in fair value of interest rate swap 7,281,769 - 7,281,769  Increase in net assets 97,135,062 3,407,156 100,542,218  Net assets at beginning of year 598,160,188 436,058,186 1,034,218,374	General and administrative	_	24,888,774				24,888,774
Other changes in net assets         24,282,348         32,131,563         56,413,911           Change in fair value of interest rate swap         7,281,769         -         7,281,769           Increase in net assets         97,135,062         3,407,156         100,542,218           Net assets at beginning of year         598,160,188         436,058,186         1,034,218,374	Total expenses	_	168,640,293	_	-	_	168,640,293
Investment income excluding amount utilized         24,282,348         32,131,563         56,413,911           Change in fair value of interest rate swap         7,281,769         -         7,281,769           Increase in net assets         97,135,062         3,407,156         100,542,218           Net assets at beginning of year         598,160,188         436,058,186         1,034,218,374	Excess (deficiency) of revenue and other support over expenses		65,570,945		(28,724,407)		36,846,538
Change in fair value of interest rate swap         7,281,769         -         7,281,769           Increase in net assets         97,135,062         3,407,156         100,542,218           Net assets at beginning of year         598,160,188         436,058,186         1,034,218,374	Other changes in net assets						
Increase in net assets         97,135,062         3,407,156         100,542,218           Net assets at beginning of year         598,160,188         436,058,186         1,034,218,374	Investment income excluding amount utilized		24,282,348		32,131,563		56,413,911
Net assets at beginning of year         598,160,188         436,058,186         1,034,218,374	Change in fair value of interest rate swap	_	7,281,769	_			7,281,769
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Increase in net assets		97,135,062		3,407,156		100,542,218
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Net assets at beginning of year		598,160,188		436,058,186		1,034,218,374
		\$		\$		\$	

# **Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows**

For the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021

	2022	2021
Cash flows from operating activities		
(Decrease) increase in net assets	\$ (48,345,329) \$	100,542,218
Adjustments to reconcile (decrease) increase in net assets		
to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Change in fair value of interest rate swap	(21,327,803)	(7,281,769)
Depreciation and amortization	16,456,459	16,065,677
Amortization of deferred bond costs	66,269	66,268
Net depreciation (appreciation) in fair value of investments	77,377,459	(73,881,062)
Contributions restricted for long-term investment or capital	(539,385)	(3,810,763)
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
Grants receivable	1,363,832	(2,125,152)
Contributions receivable, net	(751,688)	13,930,309
Restricted use assets	375,390	318,395
Other assets	440,262	(753,454)
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	(3,052,624)	(6,446,246)
Deferred revenue	 (8,609,235)	(12,143,419)
Net cash provided by operating activities	 13,453,607	24,481,002
Cash flows from investing activities		
Capital expenditures	(34,995,691)	(35,769,196)
Proceeds from sales and maturities of investments	214,969,326	123,699,817
Purchases of investments	(190,267,845)	(104,193,227)
Purchases of investments in certificate of deposits	(39,302,433)	=
Net change in investment in employee residences	 (222,073)	54,015
Net cash used in investing activities	 (49,818,716)	(16,208,591)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Contributions restricted for long-term investment	35,168	123,296
Contributions restricted for investment in capital	504,217	3,687,467
Decrease (increase) in contributions receivable	 2,954,662	(11,034,865)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	 3,494,047	(7,224,102)
Net (decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents	(32,871,062)	1,048,309
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	 110,039,037	108,990,728
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$ 77,167,975 \$	110,039,037
Supplemental disclosure:		
Interest paid	\$ 3,675,221 \$	3,773,160
Purchases of capital expenditures in accounts payable	\$ 4,400,815 \$	1,167,068
Operating cash flows from operating leases	\$ 327,294 \$	317,790

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

**Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements** 

December 31, 2022 and 2021

#### 1. DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS

## **Discussion of Operations**

Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory (the "Laboratory") is organized as an educational corporation under the laws of New York State. The Laboratory's primary objectives are to conduct research in cancer, neurobiology, bioinformatics, genomics, plants, and related subjects; to disseminate information; and to provide instruction and training through courses, meetings, publications, and a wide range of other educational activities. A significant portion of the Laboratory's revenue is derived from federal government grants, which are awarded on a competitive basis. If there were a significant cutback in federal government research funding, it could have a material impact on the operations and cash flows of the Laboratory.

The Laboratory operates a graduate education program and confers the degrees of Doctor of Philosophy, Master of Science, and Doctor of Science, Honorary. The program was approved by the Board of Regents of the State of New York and operates under the name "Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory, School of Biological Sciences" ("SBS"). Funding has been provided through the establishment of an endowment dedicated to the graduate school.

The consolidated financial statements of the Laboratory include two wholly owned subsidiaries. The first, the Robertson Research Fund, Inc. ("Robertson"), is a not-for-profit organization incorporated in Delaware in 1972 to provide funds for the benefit of the Laboratory on a continuing basis, unless the Laboratory ceases to be exempt from taxation under the Internal Revenue Code. Robertson is administered by a nine-member Board of trustees, five of whom represent the Laboratory. The Laboratory is entitled to receive all of the income of Robertson. In years when the distribution has been less than the total annual income of the fund, the difference has been reinvested along with the principal of the fund to offset the effects of inflation and to provide for future programs at the Laboratory.

The second, Cold Spring Harbor Asia (SIP) Ltd. ("CSH Asia"), is a wholly owned for-profit subsidiary established in Suzhou, People's Republic of China, in 2008. CSH Asia was created to expand the educational outreach of the Laboratory with the creation of a meetings and conferences program at a state-of-the-art conference center, owned by a private company, located in Suzhou. CSH Asia has an exclusive license to conduct scientific conferences and training courses in academic life sciences and applied biological sciences at the conference center. The license, originally a 10-year term expiring in 2018, was renewed for an additional 10-year term through December 31, 2028.

All intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

#### **Tax Status**

The Laboratory and Robertson are exempt from federal income taxes under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Accordingly, they are not subject to income taxes except to the extent there is taxable income from activities that are not related to their exempt purposes. The Laboratory receives income from unrelated activities, including advertising income on its journals and various alternative investment vehicles. The Laboratory recognizes the effects of income tax positions only if those positions are more likely than not of being sustained. CSH Asia was established as a taxable organization in China.

Provisions for both local and unrelated business income taxes are included in accounts payable and accrued expenses in the 2022 and 2021 consolidated balance sheets. The Laboratory estimates unrelated business income tax expense of \$4,800 in 2022 and paid \$1,000 in 2021.

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#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Basis of Presentation**

The Laboratory prepares its consolidated financial statements on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with standards established by the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") for external financial reporting by not-for-profit organizations. Those standards require the classification of activities and net assets into two classes of net assets as follows:

Net assets without donor restrictions - Net assets that are not subject to donor-imposed restrictions, including the carrying value of all land, buildings, and equipment. Items that affect this net asset category include revenue and expenses associated with the primary objectives of the Laboratory, as well as gifts without restrictions, including those designated by the Board of Trustees of the Laboratory ("Trustees") to function as endowments. In addition, changes to this category of net assets include gifts with restrictions whose donor-imposed restrictions were met in the year received, through the passage of time or through fulfillment of the restricted purpose.

Net assets with donor restrictions - Net assets subject to donor-imposed restrictions that will be met by either the actions of the Laboratory or the passage of time. Expirations of donor restrictions on net assets are reported as net assets released from restrictions in the accompanying consolidated statement of activities. This category also includes net assets subject to donor-imposed restrictions to be maintained permanently by the Laboratory, the investment-related income from which is available to support research, education, and training. Realized and unrealized gains (losses) are added to (subtracted from) these net assets if so required by the donor. Absent specific donor requirements, gains are available to support research and educational activities.

### **Cash and Cash Equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents consist principally of short-term money market funds and certificates of deposits that mature in three months or less. Cash equivalents approximated \$74,789,400 and \$83,837,900 at December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

#### **Use of Estimates**

The preparation of consolidated financial statements in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ("U.S. GAAP") requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingencies at the date of the consolidated financial statements, and revenue and expenses recognized during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates. Significant estimates and assumptions include the valuation of alternative investments, collectability of receivables, the interest rate swap liability, amortization of deferred revenue, the determination of medical and prescription benefit costs and the related liability, and the allocation of expenses to their functional classification.

#### **Fair Value Measurements**

The Laboratory classifies its assets and liabilities measured at fair value into three levels based on the inputs used to measure them (see Note 5):

Level 1 - Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities. Level 1 assets and liabilities include debt and equity securities that are traded in an active exchange market, as well as U.S. Treasury securities.

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### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

- Level 2 Observable inputs other than Level 1 prices, such as quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities; quoted prices in markets that are not active; or other inputs that are observable or can be corroborated by observable market data for substantially the full term of the assets or liabilities. Level 2 assets and liabilities may include debt securities with quoted market prices that are traded less frequently than exchange-traded instruments. The Laboratory did not possess any Level 2 assets at December 31, 2022 or 2021.
- Level 3 Unobservable inputs that are supported by little or no market activity and that are significant to the fair value of the assets or liabilities. Level 3 assets and liabilities include financial instruments whose value is determined using pricing models, discounted cash flow methodologies, or similar techniques, as well as instruments for which the determination of fair value requires significant management judgment or estimation. This category generally includes certain private debt and equity instruments.

Fair value estimates are made at a specific point in time, based on available market information and judgments about the asset or liability, including estimates of timing, amount of expected future cash flows, and the credit standing of the issuer. In some cases, the fair value estimates cannot be substantiated by comparison to independent markets. In addition, the disclosed fair value may not be realized in the immediate settlement of the financial asset or the disclosed fair values do not reflect any premium or discount that could result from offering for sale at one time an entire holding of a particular financial asset. Potential taxes and other expenses that would be incurred in an actual sale or settlement are not reflected in amounts disclosed.

#### **Investments**

Investments are stated at fair value. Contributions of investment securities are recorded at their fair value at the date of the gift and are sold as soon as practicable following receipt. Publicly traded investments are valued at the last reported sales price on the date of valuation, as quoted on major securities exchanges. Securities that are not traded on major securities exchanges are valued based on quotations received from leading vendors.

Pooled investments are funds that are not held at the Laboratory's or Robertson's custodian bank. These funds are part of multiple investors' commingled funds that are invested in one or more asset classes by a fund manager. The Laboratory and Robertson invest in limited partnerships, limited liability corporations, and offshore investment funds for the purpose of earning returns from alternative investment strategies. These investments are presented, under procedures established by the fund management, at net asset value or its equivalent, which generally represents the Laboratory's or Robertson's proportionate share of the net assets of the investment managers, as reported by them and reviewed by Laboratory management for reasonableness.

The proportionate share of net assets subject to the investment manager's estimates of fair value may differ significantly, due to the inherent uncertainty of the valuations, from the values that would have been used had a ready market existed. The proportionate share of the change in fair values of the investment managers is recorded as an increase or a decrease in investment return, in other changes in net assets, in the consolidated statements of activities.

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### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Included in investments are common and preferred stocks that do not have a readily determinable fair value which were received by the Laboratory from biotechnology companies in return for various rights to Laboratory-developed intellectual property. Upon the receipt of founders stock from a newly formed company, the value of each share of stock is based on the amount paid per share by the outside investor(s). The amount is reduced by an appropriate valuation allowance, reflecting the high risk associated with start-up companies and limitations on the transferability of such stock, to arrive at the initial cost basis of the stock. The values of the stocks are not adjusted until either a) the company is determined to have no value, at which time the value of the stock is written off; b) the company is sold, at which time a gain or loss is recognized; or c) the company completes an initial public offering ("IPO") and its stock becomes publicly traded on a securities exchange. At the time of the IPO, the value of the stock is increased to fair value based on the quoted price of the stock. The fair value is reduced by an appropriate valuation allowance if the stock is restricted by governmental or contractual requirements or the Laboratory owns a large block of stock that could not be sold without potentially affecting the market price.

### **Investments in Certificate of Deposits**

Certificate of deposits that have a maturity of greater that three months are included in investments in certificate of deposits and are valued based on cost plus accrued interest. As of December 31, 2022, all certificates of deposit will mature within one year.

#### **Contributions Receivable**

Contributions receivable are recorded at their estimated net realizable value (discounted to present value at a risk-adjusted rate), less a reserve for bad debts.

### Land, Buildings, and Equipment

Land, buildings, and equipment are reported at cost. Donated books and periodicals and other assets are recorded at appraised value as of the date of gift. Depreciation is computed on the straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives (ranging from three to forty years) of all buildings and equipment. Land, buildings, and equipment and other long-lived assets are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value of the asset may not be recoverable. Long-lived assets deemed to be permanently impaired are written down to fair value. There were no impairment charges in 2022 or 2021.

### **Derivative Instrument**

The Laboratory measures its derivative instrument (interest rate swap) at fair value. The fair value of the derivative held is based upon values provided by third-party financial institutions. It is not held for speculation purposes.

#### **Deferred Revenue**

On June 12, 2018, the Laboratory entered into a royalty purchase agreement for the right, title and interest in, and to, the future sales ("Purchased Receivables") associated with a drug created based upon patented Laboratory technology. The Laboratory received a \$127,500,000 upfront payment. The payment was distributed in accordance with the Laboratory's commercial relations policy. The Laboratory accounted for the retained portion of the sale of the Purchased Receivables in accordance with Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") 470-10-25, Sales of Future Revenues or Various Other Measures of Income, which resulted in the deferral of revenue recognition over the life of the patent using the units of revenue method.

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### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Future revenues require amortization for the period being calculated by computing a ratio of the proceeds received to the total payments expected to be made over the term of the agreement and then applying that ratio to the period's cash payment. The retained cash proceeds received from the investor were designated by the Trustees to function as an endowment, whereby the income generated from such funds will be used to support ongoing research programs. For the years ending December 31, 2022 and 2021, the Laboratory recognized approximately \$10 million and \$12 million a year, respectively, in royalty revenue pertaining to the Purchased Receivables.

A significant portion of the Laboratory's revenue is derived from cost-reimbursable federal and state contracts and grants, which are conditioned upon certain performance requirements and/or the incurrence of allowable qualifying expenses. Amounts received are recognized as revenue when the Laboratory has incurred expenditures in compliance with specific contract or grant provisions. Amounts received prior to incurring qualifying expenditures are reported as deferred revenue (refundable advances) in the consolidated balance sheets. The Laboratory received advanced payments of approximately \$2,402,200 and \$370,400 for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively, recognized in the consolidated balance sheets as a refundable advance. Deferred revenue also includes amounts received for publication subscriptions and fees received but not yet earned. Revenue is recognized in future periods as fees are earned and publications are shipped or made available to the subscriber.

#### Revenue

The Laboratory receives grants and contributions from a number of sources, including the federal government, foreign governments, private foundations, and other donors in support of primary programs of research and education. The Laboratory recognizes government and private contracts and grants as either contributions or exchange transaction revenues, depending on whether the transaction is reciprocal or nonreciprocal. Unconditional grants and contributions, including promises to give cash and other assets, are reported at fair value at the date the contribution or grant is received. Conditional contributions, including conditional promises to give, are recognized when they become unconditional, that is, when the conditions, such as a barrier and right of return or release, are substantially met. Grants are evaluated as to whether they qualify as exchange transactions or contributions. Grants that are treated as exchange transactions are reported as revenue without donor restrictions when performance obligations within the terms of the agreement are met. The excess of amounts received in exchange transactions over revenue recognized are classified as deferred revenue on the consolidated balance sheets.

If a contract or grant agreement contains a right of return or right of release from the respective obligation provision on the part of the grantor and the agreement also contains a barrier to be overcome, the Laboratory recognizes revenue for these conditional contributions when the related barrier to entitlement has been overcome. Funds received in advance of conditions being met are reported as deferred revenue within the accompanying consolidated balance sheets. At December 31, 2022, the Laboratory did not have any conditional contributions from reimbursable federal contracts.

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### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

In addition, the Laboratory receives payments from customers for goods or services associated with the educational programs offered by the Laboratory. Educational programs include programs through the Banbury Conference Center, DNA Learning Center, and the Meetings and Courses program. These programs generate revenues through program fees, dining services, and rooms and apartment fees. In accordance with FASB ASC Topic 606, *Revenue from Contracts with Customers* ("ASC 606"), the Laboratory recognizes revenue when control of promised goods or services are transferred to outside parties in an amount that reflects the consideration the Laboratory expects to be entitled to in exchange for those goods or services.

### **Royalty and License Revenue**

Royalty and license revenues result from the transfer of intellectual property rights developed by Laboratory employees. In accordance with the Laboratory's policy, royalty and license revenues are distributed to the inventor, author or collaborator, and the Laboratory using an income sharing formula. The portion retained and recognized by the Laboratory is recorded on the consolidated statements of activities as royalty and license revenue.

#### **Indirect Cost Allowances**

Indirect cost allowances recovered under certain government and other grants are accrued in the period the research and other services are performed. For federal grants, these accruals are based on an approved indirect cost rate negotiated with the cognizant government granting agency. In 2021, the Laboratory negotiated a new agreement establishing an unadjusted final rate for the year ended December 31, 2020 and establishing a provisional rate for the calendar years 2021 thru 2023. As required under the agreement, an indirect cost proposal for the year ended December 31, 2022 is due on June 30, 2023. The Laboratory believes that, except for unforeseen changes in the federal regulations, the Laboratory should not be subject to a revision of its indirect cost rate through the end of 2023. For nongovernment grants, indirect cost recoveries are accrued at various rates as allowed by the grantor.

### Allocation of Expenses on a Functional Basis

Expenses are reported in the accompanying consolidated statements of activities by their programmatic classifications. The Laboratory's primary program services are research, education, instructional training through meetings, courses and conferences, and publications. Expenses reported as general and administrative are incurred in support of these primary program services.

The Laboratory allocates certain types of expenses that relate to more than one program or supporting activity. Expenses of this nature include, but are not limited to, depreciation, interest, operations and maintenance of plant, library, direct research support, and information technology. Amounts have been allocated to the specific programs and support services using methods such as square footage, usage, and other financial methods determined by management and are consistently applied.

### **Measure of Operations**

The Laboratory includes in its definition of operations all revenues and expenses associated with its primary program services, which include research, education, instructional training through meetings, courses and conferences, and publications. Investment return excluding amounts utilized and change in fair value of interest rate swap agreements are excluded from the measure of operations.

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### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### **Accounting Standards Update**

In September 2020, the FASB issued Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") No. 2020-07, *Presentation and Disclosure by Not-for-Profit Entities for Contributed Nonfinancial Assets* to increase the transparency of contributed nonfinancial assets. The new guidance requires contributed nonfinancial assets to be presented as a separate line item on the consolidated statement of activities, apart from cash and other financial asset contributions. This guidance also requires disclosure of the types of contributed nonfinancial assets and, whether the assets were monetized or utilized, a description of the policies for such assets, a description of donor-imposed restrictions on the contributions, and a description of the valuation techniques used to arrive at a fair value measure at initial recognition. The Laboratory adopted ASU No. 2020-07 during the year ending December 31, 2022. ASU No. 2020-07 did not have a material effect on the consolidated financial statements.

## 3. LIQUIDITY AND AVAILABILITY OF FINANCIAL RESOURCES

The Laboratory regularly monitors the availability of resources required to meet operating needs and other contractual commitments, while also striving to maximize the investment of its available funds. For purposes of analyzing resources available to meet general expenditures over a 12-month period, the Laboratory considers all expenditures related to its ongoing activities of research, educational programs and publications, as well as, the conduct of services to support those activities.

The Laboratory's Trustees have designated a portion of its net assets without donor restrictions for endowment and other purposes. These amounts are identified in the table below as Board designated funds. These funds are invested for long-term appreciation and current income but remain available and may be spent at the discretion of the Trustees.

In addition to financial assets available to meet general expenditures over the next 12 months, the Laboratory operates with a balanced budget and anticipates collecting sufficient revenue, including federal funds, to cover general expenditures not covered by donor-restricted resources. The Laboratory typically generates positive cash flows from operations, as evidenced by the consolidated statements of cash flows for 2022 and 2021.

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# 3. LIQUIDITY AND AVAILABILITY OF FINANCIAL RESOURCES (CONTINUED)

As of December 31, 2022, financial assets and liquidity resources available within one year for general expenditure were as follows:

		2022
Financial assets due within one year:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	77,167,975
Grants receivable, net	•	9,660,138
Contributions receivable due within one year		34,181,778
Investments		683,077,580
Investments in certificate of deposits		39,302,433
		843,389,904
Less:		
Amounts unavailable for general expenditures within one year due to:		
Donor-restricted gifts for research programs		18,059,926
Donor-restricted gifts for capital projects		150,000
Donor-restricted gifts for educational programs		1,473,365
Restricted by donor in perpetuity		119,524,930
Unappropriated accumulated endowment gains		169,071,074
Total amounts unavailable due to donor restrictions or law		308,279,295
Total financial assets available to management for general		
expenditure before amounts subject to the Trustees' approval		535,110,609
Less Board designated funds:		
Quasi-endowment		410,037,211
Reserve for recruiting		5,174,384
Reserve for capital expansion		90,709,590
		505,921,185
Total financial assets available for general		_
expenditure before endowment draw		29,189,424
Plus:		
Amounts authorized for appropriation within one year		31,894,190
Total financial assets available for general expenditure within one year	\$	61,083,614

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# 3. LIQUIDITY AND AVAILABILITY OF FINANCIAL RESOURCES (CONTINUED)

As of December 31, 2021, financial assets and liquidity resources available within one year for general expenditure were as follows:

	 2021
Financial assets due within one year:	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 110,039,037
Grants receivable, net	11,023,970
Contributions receivable due within one year	30,405,648
Investments	 785,156,520
	 936,625,175
Less:	
Amounts unavailable for general expenditures within one year due to:	
Donor-restricted gifts for research programs	22,511,908
Donor-restricted gifts for capital projects	1,825,000
Donor-restricted gifts for educational programs	1,916,517
Restricted by donor in perpetuity	119,489,763
Unappropriated accumulated endowment gains	 215,826,095
Total amounts unavailable due to donor restrictions or law	 361,569,283
Total financial assets available to management for general	
expenditure before amounts subject to the Trustees' approval	 575,055,892
Less board designated funds:	
Quasi-endowment	451,942,397
Reserve for recruiting	5,165,303
Reserve for capital expansion	 80,110,891
	 537,218,591
Total financial assets available for general	
expenditure before endowment draw	37,837,301
Plus: Amounts authorized for appropriation within one year	30,821,617
Amounts audiorized for appropriation within one year	 20,021,017
Total financial assets available for general expenditure within one year	\$ 68,658,918

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#### 4. INVESTMENTS

Fair value of investments at December 31 is as follows:

	2022		 2021
Mutual funds:			
Money market	\$	75,914,141	\$ 51,163,410
Large/mid cap growth		36,810,228	90,830,923
Diversified fixed income		63,118,350	34,387,995
Stocks - domestic		1,127,678	2,834,308
Alternative investments:			
Multi-strategy, fund of funds, and absolute return		121,491,630	137,690,996
Long/short equity		264,640,901	322,531,042
Global/international equity		88,878,121	109,620,035
Emerging markets		22,730,253	28,856,099
Private investments		8,366,278	 7,241,712
	\$	683,077,580	\$ 785,156,520

Money market mutual funds represent cash held for investment on a short-term basis as part of the investment portfolio, which will be invested upon the direction of the Investment Committees of the Laboratory or of Robertson, as applicable.

Stocks principally include publicly traded common stock holdings in domestic organizations. Also included are the Laboratory's investments in common and preferred stock holdings in biotechnology companies principally received for Laboratory-developed intellectual property, as discussed in Note 2. The biotechnology companies have a fair value of approximately \$494,000 and \$532,000, respectively, for years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, net of a valuation allowance of approximately \$1,744,000 and \$2,088,000, respectively, on the shares that do not have a readily determinable fair value.

The alternative investment portfolio includes limited partnerships, limited liability corporations, and offshore investment funds. The underlying investments include, among other financial instruments, futures and forward contracts, options, and securities sold but not yet purchased, intended to hedge against changes in the market value of investments. These financial instruments involve varying degrees of off-balance sheet risk. All investments are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, market, and credit risks.

Due to the level of risk associated with certain investments, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investments will occur in the near term and such changes could materially affect the consolidated balance sheets.

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### 4. INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

Alternative investments are diversified across five basic investment strategies as follows (amounts included are as of December 31, 2022):

Multi-strategy, fund of funds, and absolute return (\$121,491,630) - represent investments in a broad range of investment strategies that seek to exploit opportunities as they occur in the markets due to temporary dislocations or structural inefficiencies. This category includes managers that utilize a fund of funds philosophy.

Long/short equity (\$264,640,901) - primarily investments in funds that, in turn, invest in liquid marketable securities, attempting to realize gains through the identification of mispriced securities, involving buying long equities that are expected to increase in value and selling short equities that are expected to decrease in value.

Global/international equity (\$88,878,121) - consists of investments in both growth and value oriented equity securities of companies located outside the United States. Investment instruments include convertible investment grade securities, options, warrants, physical currencies, spot and forward currency contracts. At December 31, 2022, the Laboratory did not have any outstanding commitments.

*Emerging markets* (\$22,730,253) - an absolute return focused investment in debt and equity securities in emerging markets. Debt securities include both dollar-denominated and local currency sovereign debt, corporate debt, and inflation-protected securities.

Private investments (\$8,366,278) - consists of investments in private funds, including buyouts and growth capital, international private equity, and other stressed and distressed opportunities. At December 31, 2022, the Laboratory had outstanding commitments of \$7,020,000.

Alternative investments contain various redemption restrictions with required written notice ranging from five to seventy-five days. In addition, certain of these investments are restricted by initial lockup periods.

As of December 31, 2022, the following table summarizes the composition of the alternative investments at fair value of such investments by the various redemption provisions and lockup periods:

Redemption Period		Amount
Weekly-Monthly	\$	207,168,253
Two to three months		88,757,567
Semiannual		35,056,772
Annual		124,710,938
Lockups expiring 2023-2024		41,998,792
No redemptions	_	8,414,861
	\$	506,107,183

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## 5. FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL ASSETS

The following tables present the Laboratory's fair value hierarchy for those assets measured at fair value on an annual basis as of December 31:

2022								
Financial Assets		Fair Value Level 1 L		L	Level 2 Level 3			
Investment in employee residences	\$	6,588,394	\$	-	\$	-	\$	6,588,394
Limited liability partnership (1)		246,000		-		-		246,000
Investment in trust assets (2)		16,207,138		-		-		16,207,138
Investments:								
Mutual funds:								
Money market		75,914,141		75,914,141		-		-
Large/mid cap growth		36,810,228		36,810,228		-		-
Diversified fixed income		63,118,350		63,118,350		-		-
Stocks - domestic		1,127,678		633,892		-		493,786
Subtotal		176,970,397		176,476,611		-		493,786
Investments at net asset value ("NAV"):								
Alternative investments:								
Multi-strategy, fund of funds, and absolute return		121,491,630		-		-		-
Long/short equity		264,640,901		-		-		-
Global/international equity		88,878,121		-		-		-
Emerging markets		22,730,253		-		-		-
Private investments		8,366,278		-		-		-
Subtotal		506,107,183						
Total investments		683,077,580	_	176,476,611		_		493,786
Total assets at fair value	\$	706,119,112	\$	176,476,611	\$	-	\$	23,535,318

<sup>(1)</sup> Included in other assets on the consolidated balance sheets.

<sup>(2)</sup> Included in contributions receivable on the consolidated balance sheets.

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# 5. FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL ASSETS (CONTINUED)

	2021							
Financial Assets	Fair Value	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3				
Investment in employee residences	\$ 6,366,321	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 6,366,321				
Limited liability partnership (1)	246,000	-	-	246,000				
Investment in trust assets (2)	18,213,275	-	-	18,213,275				
Investments:								
Mutual funds:								
Money market	51,163,410	51,163,410	-	-				
Large/mid cap growth	90,830,923	90,830,923	-	-				
Diversified fixed income	34,387,995	34,387,995	-	-				
Stocks - domestic	2,834,308	2,302,316	<u>-</u>	531,992				
Subtotal	179,216,636	178,684,644		531,992				
Investments at net asset value ("NAV"):								
Alternative investments:								
Multi-strategy, fund of funds, and absolute return	137,690,996	-	-	-				
Long/short equity	322,531,042	-	-	-				
Global/international equity	109,620,035	-	-	-				
Emerging markets	28,856,099	-	-	-				
Private investments	7,241,712	-	-	-				
Subtotal	605,939,884	-	-	-				
Total investments	785,156,520	178,684,644	-	531,992				
Total assets at fair value	\$ 809,982,116	\$ 178,684,644	\$ -	\$ 25,357,588				

<sup>(1)</sup> Included in other assets on the consolidated balance sheets.

# 6. CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVABLE, NET

Contributions receivable, net, consist of the following at December 31:

	 2022		2021
Contributions receivable	\$ 94,930,693	\$	93,917,225
In-kind receivable	 20,359,318		21,120,414
	115,290,011		115,037,639
Less: discount to present value at			
rates ranging from 0.20% to 4.17%	(7,070,550)		(4,838,204)
Reserve for bad debts	 (1,199,000)		(976,000)
Contributions receivable, net	\$ 107,020,461	\$	109,223,435

<sup>(2)</sup> Included in contributions receivable on the consolidated balance sheets.

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### 6. CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVABLE, NET (CONTINUED)

Contributions receivable are expected to be collected as follows:

		2022	 2021
Within one year	\$	34,181,778	\$ 30,405,648
One to five years		40,826,219	39,064,384
More than five years		40,282,014	 45,567,607
	<u>\$</u>	115,290,011	\$ 115,037,639

Unconditional promises to give are recognized initially at fair value as contributions revenue in the period such promises are made by donors. Fair value is estimated giving consideration to anticipated future cash receipts (after allowance is made for uncollectible contributions) and discounting such amounts at a risk-adjusted rate commensurate with the duration of the donor's payment plan. In subsequent periods, the discount rate is unchanged and the allowance for uncollectible contributions is reassessed and adjusted if necessary. Amortization of the discounts is recorded as additional contribution revenue. Contributions receivable at December 31, 2022 included twenty-seven individual pledges, five of which represent approximately 74% of the amount due, with a total of \$38 million due from a single donor, and \$57.4 million due from Trustees. Contributions receivable at December 31, 2021 included twenty-five individual pledges, four of which represent approximately 78% of the amount due, with a total of \$50 million due from a single donor, and \$61.3 million due from Trustees.

A donor has established and funded a gift instrument which is administered by the donor's investment firm. Under the terms of this agreement, the Laboratory has the irrevocable right to receive all the assets at the end of the agreement in 2040. The Laboratory does not control the assets. The Laboratory records the value of the assets as increases in net assets with donor restrictions at the fair value of the assets. Adjustments to the assets to reflect changes in the fair value are reported in the consolidated statements of activities as an investment return excluding amount utilized. The change in fair value reported for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021 were (\$2,006,137) and \$14,935,774, respectively.

Also included in contributions receivable is the Laboratory's interest in charitable remainder unitrusts. In accordance with the terms of the trusts, the Laboratory will receive a defined interest upon the death of the designated beneficiaries. The Laboratory's interest, net of the present value discount, approximated \$8,043,000 and \$10,595,000 at December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

On October 1, 2019, the Laboratory entered into a lease agreement with a third-party to open the DNA Learning Center at City Tech in Brooklyn, New York. The agreement provides for the Laboratory to make below market rental payments through September 30, 2049. The Laboratory is recording this lease as an in-kind pledge receivable. For the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, the net fair market value of the in-kind lease pledge is valued at \$12,135,046 and \$12,393,400, respectively.

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#### 7. RESTRICTED USE ASSETS

Restricted use assets principally include a supplemental executive retirement plan ("SERP") established by the Laboratory for certain members of its management and scientific staff. The Laboratory has established a grantor trust, whereby the assets and income of the trust are assets and income of the Laboratory. At December 31, 2022 and 2021, the fair value of the assets in the trust was \$2,607,829 and \$2,913,542, respectively.

### 8. INVESTMENT IN EMPLOYEE RESIDENCES

Investment in employee residences consists of (a) notes receivable collateralized by mortgages on residential properties owned by several senior employees; and (b) the Laboratory's percentage ownership in residences inhabited by employees. Upon sale of these residences, the Laboratory will either share in market value fluctuations of the real estate in proportion to its ownership in the residence or receive reimbursement of the outstanding mortgage balance. These investments were authorized by the Trustees to enable such employees to purchase local residences. All costs of property ownership, including real estate taxes, are borne by the employees.

### 9. LAND, BUILDINGS, AND EQUIPMENT

Land, buildings, and equipment at December 31 consist of the following:

	 2022	 2021
Land and land improvements	\$ 31,727,785	\$ 18,785,953
Buildings	364,853,861	351,062,364
Furniture, fixtures, and equipment	33,721,404	33,323,779
Laboratory equipment	78,675,831	76,455,532
Library books and periodicals	365,630	365,630
Construction in progress	 28,190,806	 22,014,676
1 0	537,535,317	502,007,934
Less accumulated depreciation and amortization	 (229,758,255)	 (216,003,851)
Land, buildings, and equipment, net	\$ 307,777,062	\$ 286,004,083

Construction in progress at December 31, 2022 represents the cost of various campus renovations ongoing at the Laboratory, of which, one is a large multi-year construction project. The large multi-year project is the beginning of the Foundations for the Future project; which is a major expansion adding multiple buildings to the campus to support the research, education and housing programs. There was \$26.1 million included in construction in progress for this project at December 31, 2022. Also in 2022, the Laboratory completed and placed in service the renovation of the six housing cabins and the renovation of the Laboratory's seawall project and capitalized approximately \$6.9 million and \$13.1 million, respectively.

At December 31, 2022, amounts committed for construction contracts was approximately \$3,100,000.

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#### 10. BONDS PAYABLE

Bonds payable at December 31 consist of the following:

	 2022	 2021
Nassau County Industrial Development Agency ("NCIDA") Bonds, Series 1999. (a)	\$ 42,200,000	\$ 42,200,000
NCIDA Bonds, Series 2006. (b)	 55,000,000	 55,000,000
	97,200,000	97,200,000
Less bond issuance costs	 (1,127,229)	(1,193,498)
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- (a) On April 1, 1999, the Laboratory executed an agreement to obtain \$42.2 million of bond financing through the Nassau County Industrial Development Agency ("NCIDA"). Approximately \$15 million of the proceeds were used to finance the purchase and renovation of a building located in Woodbury, New York. The remaining \$27 million of the proceeds were used to refund \$20 million 1989 Series bonds and \$7 million 1993 Series bonds issued through the NCIDA. The bonds require principal payments only at maturity on January 1, 2034; bear interest at a variable daily rate, which is payable on a monthly basis (4.39% and .09% as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively); and are secured by a liquidity facility agreement issued by a financial institution scheduled to expire on June 24, 2026. The interest rate is negotiated with the bondholders by the remarketing agent. The agreement contains certain covenants, including those relating to net worth as defined, restrictions of additional liens on certain Laboratory property, and assumption of additional debt. The Laboratory was in compliance with the required covenants as of December 31, 2022 and 2021.
- (b) On June 27, 2006, the Laboratory executed an agreement to obtain \$55 million of bond financing through the NCIDA for the purpose of paying a portion of the cost of construction, installation, and equipping of six research buildings and a chiller building, consisting of approximately 120,000 square feet of space, on the Laboratory's main campus in Laurel Hollow. On April 2, 2020, the entire outstanding principal amount was purchased by a single financial institution under an agreement that terminates on June 19, 2025, unless extended. The bonds bear interest at a fixed percent of the sum of the federal funds rate (reported daily as H.15), plus a spread. The agreement contains certain covenants, including those relating to net worth as defined, restrictions of additional liens on certain Laboratory property, and assumption of additional debt. The Laboratory was in compliance with the required covenants as of December 31, 2022 and 2021. Upon termination of the agreement, the bonds may thereafter be converted in whole or in part to bear interest at any of the acceptable rates of interest under the bond documents until maturity on January 1, 2042. The bonds require annual principal payments beginning January 1, 2035 through maturity at amounts between \$6 million to \$8 million. Interest is payable the first business day of each month, and the interest rate resets at the end of each month (3.37% and 0.66% as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively).

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### 10. BONDS PAYABLE (CONTINUED)

In April 2006, the Laboratory entered into an interest rate swap agreement with a notional principal amount of \$97.2 million to mitigate the risk of interest rates associated with the Series 1999 and Series 2006 bond issues. Under the terms of the original agreement, the Laboratory paid interest at a predetermined fixed rate of 3.81% and received 68% of one-month LIBOR on the notional principal amount. The swap agreement had an effective date of October 1, 2006 and a termination date of January 1, 2042. On December 10, 2008, the swap agreement was amended and the Laboratory paid interest at a predetermined fixed rate of 3.80% and received 68% of 3-month LIBOR on the notional principal amount. On October 18, 2018, the swap agreement was amended, and the Laboratory now pays interest at a predetermined fixed rate of 3.80% and receives 68% of the federal funds rate (reported daily as H.15), plus a spread on the notional principal amount.

The fair value of the interest rate swap was a liability of \$12,586,718 and \$33,914,521 at December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively. The fair value of the interest rate swap was determined using pricing models developed based on the federal funds rate and other observable market data (Level 2 inputs). The change in fair value is reported as other changes in net assets in the accompanying consolidated statements of activities. According to the agreement with JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., when the fair value of the liability exceeds \$40 million, the Laboratory is required to post collateral equal to the amount in excess.

In connection with the bond issues, financing costs of approximately \$2,357,000 are being reported as a direct deduction of the face amount of the related bond and are amortized over the life of the bonds. Financing costs, net of amortization, were \$1,127,229 and \$1,193,498 at December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively. Interest expense on bonds outstanding during 2022 and 2021 was approximately \$3,703,600 and \$3,764,200, respectively. The effective average interest rate on all of the bonds outstanding during 2022 and 2021 approximated 3.81% and 3.87%, respectively.

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## 11. NET ASSETS WITH DONOR RESTRICTIONS

Net assets with donor restrictions at December 31 are available for the following purposes or periods as follows:

		2022		2021
Net assets subject to expenditure for specified purposes or time periods:				
Capital projects	\$	249,522	\$	2,223,047
Research programs		17,613,996		24,163,893
Educational programs		13,608,422		14,309,917
Time restricted		69,456,265		63,452,627
Total subject to expenditure for specified purposes or time periods	1	100,928,205		104,149,484
Endowments subject to the Laboratory's spending policy:				
Donor contributions to be maintained in perpetuity:				
Primary program services		75,672,526		75,737,527
School of Biological Sciences programs		42,340,600		42,240,432
Operation and improvement of Banbury Center facilities		1,511,804		1,511,804
Total donor contributions to be maintained in perpetuity	1	19,524,930		119,489,763
Unappropriated income on endowment funds available to support:				
Primary program services	1	38,263,955		172,537,154
School of Biological Sciences programs		15,023,700		24,848,098
Operation and improvement of Banbury Center facilities		15,783,419		18,440,843
Total unappropriated income on endowment funds	1	69,071,074		215,826,095
Total endowment subject to appropriation under the Laboratory's spending policy	2	288,596,004	_	335,315,858
Total net assets with donor restrictions	\$ 3	389,524,209	\$	439,465,342

The following table summarizes the net assets released from restrictions for the years ended December 31:

	 2022	2021			
Purpose restrictions accomplished Time restriction expired	\$ 19,122,097 25,452,634	\$	26,584,639 32,325,923		
	\$ 44,574,731	\$	58,910,562		

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### 12. INVESTMENT RETURN UTILIZED

Investment return utilized includes amounts appropriated from donor-restricted endowment funds, as reported in Note 13, and investment return on working capital funds. The following tables summarize the Laboratory's total investment return for the years ended December 31:

		2022	
	Without Donor	With Donor	
	Restrictions	Restrictions	Total
Net investment income	\$ 3,226,312	\$ 923,069	\$ 4,149,381
Net depreciation of investments	(47,051,661)	(34,931,617)	(81,983,278)
Total net investment loss	(43,825,349)	(34,008,548)	(77,833,897)
Investment return utilized	(21,747,403)	(12,746,465)	(34,493,868)
Investment return excluding amount utilized	\$ (65,572,752)  Without Donor	\$ (46,755,013)  2021	\$ (112,327,765)
		With Donor	7F. 4 1
	Restrictions	Restrictions	Total
Net investment expense Net appreciation of investments	\$ (610,681) 57,753,992	\$ (638,642) 32,770,205	\$ (1,249,323) 90,524,197
Total net investment gain	57,143,311	32,131,563	89,274,874
Investment return utilized	(32,860,963)		(32,860,963)
Investment return excluding amount utilized	\$ 24,282,348	\$ 32,131,563	\$ 56,413,911

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#### 13. ENDOWMENT FUNDS

The Laboratory's endowment, including Robertson, consists of approximately 180 individual funds established for a variety of purposes. Its endowment includes both donor-restricted endowment funds and funds designated by the Trustees to function as endowments. As required by U.S. GAAP, net assets associated with the endowment funds, including funds designated by the Trustees to function as endowments, are classified and reported based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions. The Laboratory's management and investment of donor-restricted endowment funds are subject to the provisions of the New York Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act ("NYPMIFA"). The Laboratory adopted NYPMIFA as of December 31, 2010 for all institutional endowment assets. The Laboratory and Robertson have interpreted the law as not requiring the preservation of the fair value of the original gift as of the gift date of the donor-restricted endowment funds absent explicit donor stipulations to the contrary. As a result of this interpretation, the Laboratory classifies as endowment funds within net assets with donor restrictions (a) the original value of gifts donated to the endowment, (b) the original value of subsequent gifts to the endowment, and (c) accumulations to the endowment made in accordance with the explicit direction of the applicable donor gift instrument at the time the accumulation is added to the fund. The remaining portion of the net assets with donor restrictions within the endowment fund are those net assets that have not yet been appropriated for expenditure by the Laboratory in a manner consistent with the standard of prudence prescribed by NYPMIFA.

The Laboratory's investment policy for its endowment and similar funds emphasizes long-term capital appreciation as a primary source of return while balancing the dual objectives of growth in capital and principal preservation. Investments are expected to earn long-term returns sufficient to maintain or grow the purchasing power of assets, net of spending and investment expenses, within acceptable risk parameters. The portfolio is invested in domestic and international equities, private, and other nontraditional investments, broadly diversified fixed income and cash equivalents. The portfolio is expected to earn returns higher than the "market" as represented by a benchmark constructed as a blended rate of indices. The portfolio oversight rests with the Investment Committees of the Laboratory and Robertson, including the selection of external managers, the allocation of investments, and the type of investments.

The following factors are considered in making a determination to appropriate or accumulate donor-restricted endowment funds:

- (1) The duration and preservation of the fund
- (2) The purposes of the Laboratory and the donor-restricted endowment fund
- (3) General economic conditions
- (4) The possible effect of inflation or deflation
- (5) The expected total return from income and the appreciation of investments
- (6) Other resources of the Laboratory
- (7) Where appropriate and circumstances would otherwise warrant, alternatives to expenditure
- (8) The investment policies of the Laboratory

In accordance with the spending policies of the Laboratory and Robertson, the Trustees authorized a 4.5% spend-down on endowment funds based on a 12-quarter moving average of the market value of endowment investments. If interest, dividends, and gains are not sufficient to support the current year drawdown, the balance is provided from prior year earnings. If investment return is in excess of the authorized spending level, the balance is reinvested.

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### 13. ENDOWMENT FUNDS (CONTINUED)

In accordance with the above spending, \$30,929,768 and \$28,439,435 were made available to support operations of the Laboratory for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively. The total planned appropriation for expenditure for the year ending December 31, 2023 is \$31,894,190.

From time to time, the fair value of assets associated with individual donor-restricted endowment funds may fall below the level that the donor or NYPMIFA requires the Laboratory to maintain as a fund of perpetual duration. In accordance with U.S. GAAP, deficiencies of this nature are reported in net assets with donor restrictions and totaled \$1,999,637 and \$1,013,162 at December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively. These deficiencies resulted from unfavorable market fluctuations that occurred shortly after the investment of new donor-restricted contributions and continued appropriation for certain programs that was deemed prudent by the Trustees. Amounts included in reported deficiencies, which resulted from specific language of the gift instrument requiring appropriation regardless of fund balance were \$1,675,229 and \$688,755 at December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

The following table presents endowment net asset composition by type of fund as of December 31:

	2022											
				W	ith D	onor Restriction	ns			Total		
	Without			Original Accumulated					I	Endowment		
	Donor	Restrictions		Gift	G	ains (Losses)		Total		Funds		
Donor-restricted:												
Underwater	\$	-	\$	8,907,732	\$	(1,999,637)	\$	6,908,095	\$	6,908,095		
Other		-		110,617,198		171,070,711		281,687,909		281,687,909		
Board-designated		410,037,211				<u>-</u>	_			410,037,211		
Total endowment funds	\$	410,037,211	\$	119,524,930	\$	169,071,074	\$	288,596,004	\$	698,633,215		

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# 13. ENDOWMENT FUNDS (CONTINUED)

The following table presents the changes in endowment net assets for the year ended December 31:

	2022								
	Wit	hout Donor	V	Vith Donor					
	Restrictions			estrictions		Total			
Endowment net assets									
at beginning of year	\$	451,942,397	\$	335,315,859	\$	787,258,256			
Net investment income		1,347,571		923,069		2,270,640			
Net depreciation									
(realized and unrealized)		(48,737,020)		(34,931,627)		(83,668,647)			
Total investment return		(47,389,449)		(34,008,558)		(81,398,007)			
Contributions		-		35,168		35,168			
Appropriation of endowment assets for expenditure		(18,183,303)		(12,746,465)		(30,929,768)			
Transfer to board-designated endowment		23,667,566		<u> </u>		23,667,566			
Endowment net assets									
at end of year	\$	410,037,211	\$	288,596,004	\$	698,633,215			

Included in amounts above is approximately \$16.5 million in pledges receivable.

	2021											
					With D	onor Restrictions	;			Total		
	Without			Original Accumulated					1	Endowment Funds		
	Don	or Restrictions		Gift Gains (Losses)		Total						
Donor-restricted:												
Underwater	\$	-	\$	8,407,732	\$	(1,013,162)	\$	7,394,570	\$	7,394,570		
Other		-		111,082,030		216,839,259		327,921,289		327,921,289		
Board-designated		451,942,397	_			<u>-</u>	_		_	451,942,397		
Total endowment funds	\$	451,942,397	\$	119,489,762	\$	215,826,097	\$	335,315,859	\$	787,258,256		

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### 13. ENDOWMENT FUNDS (CONTINUED)

The following table presents the changes in endowment net assets for the year ended December 31:

		2021		
	Without Donor	With Donor		
	Restrictions	Restrictions	<u>Total</u>	
Endowment net assets				
at beginning of year	\$ 418,937,403	\$ 303,061,000	\$ 721,998,403	
Net investment expense	(920,528)	(638,642)	(1,559,170)	
Net appreciation (realized and unrealized)	53,642,312	32,770,205	86,412,517	
Total investment return	52,721,784	32,131,563	84,853,347	
Contributions	-	123,296	123,296	
Appropriation of endowment assets for expenditure	(28,439,435)	-	(28,439,435)	
Transfer to board-designated endowment	8,722,645	<del>-</del>	8,722,645	
Endowment net assets				
at end of year	\$ 451,942,397	\$ 335,315,859	\$ 787,258,256	

Included in amounts above is approximately \$18.6 million in pledges receivable.

## 14. CONTRIBUTED NONFINANCIAL ASSETS

For the year ended December 31, 2022, the Laboratory recognized a contributed nonfinancial asset of approximately \$503,000 for the below market rental payments on the DNA Learning Center. Unless otherwise noted, contributed nonfinancial assets did not have donor-imposed restrictions. The contributed use of the DNA Learning Center will be utilized for Laboratory educational programs. In valuing the below market rental payments, the Laboratory estimated the fair value on the basis of comparable rental values with the same geographic area.

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#### 15. ALLOCATED EXPENSES

Expenses are reported in the accompanying consolidated statements of activities by their program classifications. The Laboratory's primary program services are research, education, instructional training through meetings, courses and conferences, and publications. Expenses reported as general and administrative are incurred in support of these primary program services.

The Laboratory allocates certain types of expenses that relate to more than one program or supporting activity. Expenses of this nature include, but are not limited to, depreciation, interest, operations and maintenance of plant, library, direct research support, and information technology. Amounts have been allocated to the specific programs and support services using methods such as square footage, usage, and other financial methods determined by management and are consistently applied.

	2022					2021					
•	Direct Program Expenses		Allocated Expenses		Total		Direct Program Expenses		Allocated Expenses		Total
Research	\$ 72,846,970	\$	38,981,177	\$	111,828,147	\$	74,074,302	\$	36,631,196	\$	110,705,498
Educational programs	14,065,909		4,723,605		18,789,514		9,860,650		3,921,004		13,781,654
Publications	9,133,708		1,068,533		10,202,241		8,621,736		933,264		9,555,000
Banbury Center conferences	1,203,104		1,120,789		2,323,893		672,475		655,210		1,327,685
DNA Learning Center programs	4,953,383		866,438		5,819,821		4,689,142		725,703		5,414,845
SBS programs	3,251,000		23,739		3,274,739		2,944,594		22,243		2,966,837
General and administrative	23,031,047		6,944,252	_	29,975,299		18,834,886		6,053,888		24,888,774
	\$ 128,485,121	\$	53,728,533	\$	182,213,654	\$	119,697,785	\$	48,942,508	<u>\$</u>	168,640,293

#### 16. FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES

The following table represents functional expenses by natural category reported for research, educational, and publication, general and administrative and fundraising categories, including direct conduct or management of those programs. Included in general and administrative costs are all other unallocated costs associated with administration, accounting, human resources, sponsored programs, communications and dining. The salary and benefits of the chief executive officer are allocated 50% to research programs, 40% to general and administrative costs and 10% to fundraising based on estimated time and effort throughout the year. These allocations are determined by management to be of a reasonable basis and are consistently applied.

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## 16. FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES (CONTINUED)

The following table presents the functional expenses for the year ended December 31, 2022:

		Educational				
		Programs/		General and		
	Research	Conferences	Publications	Administrative	Fundraising	Total
Salaries, benefits and taxes	\$ 53,571,361	\$ 13,845,714	\$ 5,182,486	\$ 17,776,009	\$ 1,413,383	\$ 91,788,953
Supplies and office expense	18,334,562	4,072,548	141,207	2,100,046	47,952	24,696,315
Third party costs	13,795,447	-	-	-	-	13,795,447
Service contracts and repairs	1,260,736	1,285,046	87,035	483,602	190	3,116,609
Professional services	1,333,990	900,138	166,353	1,774,396	50,175	4,225,052
Printing and publications	1,681,393	254,301	2,824,510	185,949	22,230	4,968,383
Software licensing	1,102,842	476,893	89,955	208,517	-	1,878,207
Travel	505,098	843,664	38,084	60,907	13,695	1,461,448
Conferences	233,407	3,729,743	178	19,253	-	3,982,581
Occupancy	4,826,886	1,900,993	263,132	854,191	6	7,845,208
Interest	2,894,989	238,271	100,154	658,180	-	3,891,594
Depreciation	11,416,050	2,194,655	253,867	2,591,887	-	16,456,459
Miscellaneous	871,386	466,001	1,055,280	1,676,293	38,438	4,107,398
	\$ 111,828,147	\$ 30,207,967	\$ 10,202,241	\$ 28,389,230	\$ 1,586,069	\$ 182,213,654

The following table presents the functional expenses for the year ended December 31, 2021:

	Educational											
			Programs/		Ge			eneral and				
	Research		Conferences		Publications		Administrative		Fundraising		Total	
Salaries, benefits and taxes	\$	51,500,263	\$	12,719,359	\$	4,973,113	\$	15,618,673	\$	1,461,951	\$	86,273,359
Supplies and office expense		18,239,314		3,373,853		113,596		922,782		36,272		22,685,817
Third party costs		13,828,729		-		-		-		-		13,828,729
Service contracts and repairs		3,495,912		191,257		52,837		266,451		109		4,006,566
Professional services		1,077,431		502,101		108,836		1,370,644		51,741		3,110,753
Printing and publications		1,387,987		138,675		2,548,100		129,155		26,349		4,230,266
Software licensing		1,381,932		615,137		117,053		284,495		-		2,398,617
Travel		72,011		110,833		12,084		12,408		1,348		208,684
Conferences		72,621		1,510,670		302		9,350		100		1,593,043
Occupancy		4,360,332		1,721,167		245,348		765,218		-		7,092,065
Interest		2,966,599		247,599		107,345		683,232		-		4,004,775
Depreciation		12,069,255		1,879,111		189,732		1,927,579		-		16,065,677
Miscellaneous	253,112		481,259		1,086,654		1,295,282		25,635			3,141,942
	\$ 1	10,705,498	\$	23,491,021	\$	9,555,000	\$	23,285,269	\$	1,603,505	\$	168,640,293

#### 17. RETIREMENT PLAN

The Laboratory's employees are covered under a 401(a) defined-contribution retirement plan (the "Plan"). The Laboratory remits contributions to the Plan at Fidelity Investments based on a predetermined percentage of the participants' salaries. Total contributions under the Plan approximated \$4,998,300 and \$5,021,600 for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

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#### 18. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

The Laboratory has an operating lease for office space at 50 Gordon Drive, Syosset, New York. The lease does not contain any material residual value guarantees or material restrictive covenants and has a remaining lease term of two years. The right-of-use asset and lease liability were recognized at the lease commencement date based on the present value of the lease payments over the lease term. A risk adjusted rate of 2.69% was used to determine the present value of the lease payments, which are recognized on a straight-line basis over the lease term. The operating lease cost was approximately \$288,700 and \$317,800 for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively. Additionally, the lease arrangement requires the Laboratory to make variable payments outside of the regular rent payment to cover such things as property taxes, utilities and property maintenance. Included in the consolidated balance sheets at December 31, 2022 and 2021 are a right-of-use asset of approximately \$272,300 and \$535,800, respectively, which is reported in other assets. The related lease liability of approximately \$333,000 and \$535,800, respectively, is included in accounts payable and accrued expenses at December 31, 2022 and 2021. The future minimum rental payments required under the lease as of December 31, 2022 are approximately \$337,100 for the remaining year through December 31, 2023.

The Laboratory is self-insured for employee medical and prescription benefits beginning January 1, 2008. Under the provisions of this plan, an insurance carrier provided claims processing and administration functions, as well as stop-loss coverage over a stipulated level of claims for the twelve month period ended December 31, 2022. The expense for the program was approximately \$12,601,000 and \$12,310,000 for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively. The Laboratory accrued approximately \$1.1 million for liabilities relating to claims incurred but not reported which are included in accounts payable and accrued expenses for both the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021.

The Laboratory is currently, and has in the past been, a party to routine litigation incidental to its business. The impact of the final resolution of these matters on the Laboratory's change in net assets or liquidity in a particular reporting period is not known. Management is of the opinion, however, that the ultimate outcome of such matters will not have a materially adverse effect upon the Laboratory's financial condition or liquidity.

### 19. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Laboratory evaluated events subsequent to December 31, 2022 through May 5, 2023, the date on which the consolidated financial statements were issued for inclusion or disclosure in the consolidated financial statements and noted there were no subsequent events to disclose.



# **COLD SPRING HARBOR LABORATORY** Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

Federal Grantor/Pass-through Grantor Cluster or Grant Number	Federal Assistance Listing Number	, ,		
Research and Development Cluster:				
Research:				
National Science Foundation:				
Direct Awards:				
DUE-1821657	47.076	DIRECT	\$ 137,569	\$ 368,649
IOS-1732253	47.074	DIRECT	151,065	222,959
IOS 1755355	47.074	DIRECT	2,554	175,175
IOS 1758800	47.074	DIRECT	444,541	605,758
IOS-1930101	47.074	DIRECT	-	232,094
IOS-1755141	47.074	DIRECT	-	39,099
DBI-2026342	47.074	DIRECT	-	81,125
IOS-2129189	47.074	DIRECT	126,755	742,835
IOS-2122358	47.074	DIRECT	-	12,572
MCB-2217560	47.074	DIRECT	-	100,931
IOS-2131631	47.074	DIRECT	-	6,287
IOS-2216612	47.074	DIRECT	1,234	123,740
Total Direct Awards			863,718	2,711,224
Pass-Through Awards:				
CORNELL UNIVERSITY	47.074	IOS 1822330	-	75,424
NYU	47.074	IOS-1934388	_	428,669
NJCU	47.074	MCB-2114661	_	5,217
Total Pass-Through Awards				509,310
Total National Science Foundation			863,718	3,220,534
National Institutes of Health:				
Direct Awards:				
5R37GM042699-31	93.859	DIRECT	_	771,476
5R01GM045436-29	93.859	DIRECT	_	183,123
2R01CA053840-29	93.396	DIRECT	_	1,082,047
5R01DK124907-22	93.847	DIRECT	_	578,780
2P30CA045508-34	93.397	DIRECT	_	4,526,552
5P01CA013106-49	93.396	DIRECT	605,199	4,091,454
1R25DK132965-01	93.847	DIRECT	-	106,564
5R25GM137355-02	93.859	DIRECT	96,542	249,338
2R01MH085926-11	93.242	DIRECT	-	373,172
5R01CA174793-08	93.396	DIRECT	-	634,249
2R01MH101214-06	93.242	DIRECT	66,813	745,084
2R01MH108924-06	93.242	DIRECT	38,385	656,694
2R01GM117406-06A1	93.859	DIRECT	-	411,014
2R50CA211506-06	93.393	DIRECT	-	257,264
5R01CA188134-05	93.396	DIRECT	_	130,186
5R01MH113005-05	93.242	DIRECT	4,886	131,631
5R35GM125003-05	93.859	DIRECT	-	411,213
5R01HG009318-05	93.172	DIRECT	_	333,401
5U01MH114824-05	93.242	DIRECT	552,503	1,224,188
5U19MH114821-02	93.242	DIRECT	7,952,248	9,470,603
5R01LM012736-04	93.879	DIRECT	-	281,895
5R01MH113628-04	93.242	DIRECT	_	477,886
5R35GM127070-04	93.859	DIRECT	_	428,438
5U01CA224013-04	93.396	DIRECT	411,862	823,567

# COLD SPRING HARBOR LABORATORY Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

Federal Grantor/Pass-through Grantor Cluster or Grant Number	Federal Assistance Listing Number	Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number	Passed Through to Subrecipients	Total Federal Expenditures	
5R01EB026949-03	93.286	DIRECT	\$ -	\$ 1,269	
5R01MH119819-03	93.242	DIRECT	-	599,831	
5R01NS111745-03	93.853	DIRECT	-	736,599	
5R01NS111673-03	93.853	DIRECT	-	774,653	
5R01MH119250-03	93.242	DIRECT	-	359,728	
5R01CA229699-03	93.396	DIRECT	-	516,856	
1RF1NS113632-01	93.853	DIRECT	-	472,787	
1U01CA242919-03	93.395	DIRECT	_	382,393	
1R35GM131833-04	93.859	DIRECT	_	880,511	
5R35GM133613-03	93.859	DIRECT	_	411,473	
5R35GM133777-03	93.859	DIRECT	_	403,707	
5R50CA243890-03	93.396	DIRECT	_	119,013	
5R01DA050374-02	93.279	DIRECT	_	552,726	
5R21CA245859-02	93.393	DIRECT	_	22,841	
7R01DC017695-04	93.173	DIRECT	11,623	328,687	
5R01CA237413-02	93.396	DIRECT	88,943	530,960	
5R01CA248158-02	93.396	DIRECT	-	428,686	
5R01NS116897-02	93.853	DIRECT	_	546,838	
1RF1MH125317-01	93.242	DIRECT	514,968	803,376	
1RF1MH123403-01	93.242	DIRECT	468,883	1,027,788	
5RF1NS118750-02	93.853	DIRECT	528,699	1,151,667	
5R00MH120051-04	93.242	DIRECT	520,099	326,000	
5R01GM138669-02	93.859	DIRECT	_	592,213	
5R01AG069727-02	93.866	DIRECT	_	481,179	
1R01CA249002-01A1	93.396	DIRECT	46,325	951,181	
1RF1DA055666-01	93.279	DIRECT	40,323	454,819	
1RF1MH128875-01	93.242	DIRECT	417,740	1,284,726	
1R01Al167862-01	93.855	DIRECT	417,740	90,713	
1OT2CA278690-01	93.393	DIRECT	-	77,099	
1R01HG011787-01A1	93.396	DIRECT	_	338,432	
1U24NS126938-01	93.853	DIRECT	-	412,335	
1R35GM144206-01	93.859	DIRECT	-	37,613	
1R01CA275128-01	93.396	DIRECT	-	103,464	
1DP2MH132943-01	93.242	DIRECT	-	,	
1R01HG012131-01A1	93.242	DIRECT	-	258,553 138,848	
1DP5OD033055-01	93.172	DIRECT	-	217,928	
1R01DC020842-01	93.173		-		
Total Direct Awards	93.173	DIRECT	11 905 610	120,342 46,585,274	
			11,805,619	40,385,274	
Pass-Through Awards:	00.004	F110404040040.0F		404.005	
UNIV OF NEBRASKA MDC	93.394	5U01CA210240-05	-	124,805	
SUNY-STONY BROOK	93.866	5RF1AG057338-05	-	13,429	
OREGON HEALTH & SCI	93.853	5R01NS104944-04	-	336,224	
UNIV CALIF S.D.	93.242	5RF1MH120015-03	-	98,986	
BAYLOR COL OF MED	93.853	1UF1NS111692-03	-	119,718	
NYU	93.853	5U19NS112953-03	-	307,523	
UNIV OF MINNESOTA	93.393	5R01CA236948-3	-	109,053	
SUNY-STONY BROOK	93.395	5R01CA237154-02	-	247,743	
SALK	93.866	1RF1AG064049-01	- 89,0		
MSKCC	93.853	5R01NS116353-02	-	80,082	
DUKE UNIVERSITY	93.242	5RF1MH124612-03	-	37,820	

# Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

ederal Grantor/Pass-through Grantor Cluster or Grant Number	Federal Assistance Listing Number	Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number	Passed Through to Subrecipients	Total Federal Expenditures	
DUKE UNIVERSITY	93.242	1RF1MH125921-01	\$ -	\$ 45,746	
UNIV OF PITTSBURGH	93.213	1R01AT010414-05		92,956	
UNIV CALIF S.D.	93.853	1U19NS107466-05	-	229,487	
CORNELL UNIVERSITY	93.172	1R01HG010346-03	_	345,477	
MIT	93.242	1UG3MH126869-01	-	225,051	
SUNY-BINGHAMTON	93.853	1R01NS122226- 01A1	-	62,244	
UNIV OF NEBRASKA MDC	93.394	2U01CA210240-06	-	59,638	
SUNY-STONY BROOK	93.866	1RO1AG076937-01	-	12,573	
BAYLOR COL OF MED	93.853	1RF1NS128901-01	-	6,716	
BAYLOR COL OF MED	93.242	1RF1-MH126883- 01A1	-	71,566	
THE BROAD INSTITUTE, INC.	93.242	1U24MH130968-01	-	6,623	
DUKE UNIVERSITY	93.242	7R01MH109665-06	-	200,272	
Total Pass-Through Awards			-	2,922,757	
Total National Institutes of Health			11,805,619	49,508,031	
Department of Agriculture:					
Direct Awards:					
58-8062-7-008	10.001	DIRECT	-	15,287	
2018-67013-27420	10.310	DIRECT	-	5,497	
59-8062-9-002	10.001	DIRECT	-	1,648,540	
2020-67013-30909	10.310	DIRECT	-	50,535	
59-8062-2-010	10.001	DIRECT	-	66,707	
Total Department of Agriculture				1,786,566	
Department of Energy:				-	
Direct Awards:					
DE-SC0018244	81.049	DIRECT	468,231	959,794	
Total Direct Awards			468,231	959,794	
Pass-Through Awards:				·	
BNL/DOE	81.RD	DE-SC0012704	_	183,446	
Total Pass-Through Awards				183,446	
Total Department of Energy			468,231	1,143,240	
United States Army:					
Direct Awards:					
W81XWH-20-1-0753	12.42	DIRECT	_	600.151	
W81XWH-20-1-0754	12.42	DIRECT	_	171,607	
W81XWH2110071	12.42	DIRECT	_	287,577	
W81XWH-22-10-358	12.42	DIRECT	_	65,484	
W81XWH2210045	12.42	DIRECT	_	133,799	
W81XWH2210871	12.42	DIRECT	_	102,677	
W81XWH2210380	12.42	DIRECT	_	124,808	
Total United States Army		5		1,486,103	
U. S. Agency for International Development:				1,100,100	
Pass-Through Awards:					
COLUMBIA UNIV.	93.853	1U19NS123716-01	=	966,395	
Total U. S. Agency for International Developme		10 10110 1207 10-01		966.395	
Total Research	J. 1.		13,137,568	58,110,869	
Total Nesearch			13, 137,300	30,110,009	

# COLD SPRING HARBOR LABORATORY Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

Federal Grantor/Pass-through Grantor Cluster or Grant Number	Federal Assistance Listing Number	Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number	Passed Through to Subrecipients	Total Federal Expenditures	
Non-Research:					
DNA Literacy Program:					
National Science Foundation:					
Pass-Through Awards:					
UNIV OF ARIZONA	47.074	DBI-1743442	\$ -	\$ 160,721	
WASHINGTON UNIV	47.074	DBI 1827130	-	3,791	
ACC	47.076	DUE-1901984	-	345,539	
L.A. PIERCE COLLEGE	47.076	4500293584	-	11,208	
UNIV OF MINNESOTA	47.076	2228971	-	1,956	
Total National Science Foundation				523,215	
Total DNA Literacy Program				523,215	
Meetings:					
National Science Foundation:					
Direct Awards:					
DRL-2027025	47.076	DIRECT	7,652	75,784	
Total National Science Foundation			7,652	75,784	
National Institutes of Health:					
Direct Awards:					
5R13HG003676-18	93.172	DIRECT	-	47,702	
5R13AI129217-06	93.855	DIRECT	-	40,391	
5R13HG010975-03	93.172	DIRECT	-	27,839	
5R13HD102100-03	93.865	DIRECT	-	10,000	
1R13AI154638-01	93.855	DIRECT	-	50,000	
1R13AG072820-1	93.866	DIRECT	-	1,300	
1R13AI167427-01	93.855	DIRECT	-	16,000	
1R13NS125887-01	93.853	DIRECT	-	18,000	
1R13AG077645-01	93.866	DIRECT	-	31,945	
1R13AG077728-01	93.866	DIRECT	-	39,970	
1R13CA275221-01	93.396	DIRECT	-	7,500	
1R13AI172272-01	93.855	DIRECT	-	7,000	
1R13NS125888-01	93.853	DIRECT	-	23,000	
1R13NS127521-01	93.853	DIRECT	-	10,000	
1R13AG079571-01	93.866	DIRECT		30,790	
Total National Institutes of Health				361,437	
Total Meetings			7,652	437,221	
In-House Training and Fellowships:					
National Science Foundation:					
Direct Awards:					
DGE-1938105	47.076	DIRECT	-	26,801	
DBI-1950621	47.074	DIRECT		130,000	
Total National Science Foundation				156,801	
National Institutes of Health:					
Direct Awards:					
5T32CA148056-09	93.398	DIRECT	-	82,303	
5K99CA252616-02	93.398	DIRECT	-	92,930	
5F32MH121061-02	93.242	DIRECT	-	66,352	
5F31CA247400-02	93.398	DIRECT	-	28,609	

# COLD SPRING HARBOR LABORATORY Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

Federal Grantor/Pass-through Grantor Cluster or Grant Number	Federal Assistance Listing Number Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number		Passed Through to Subrecipients	Total Federal Expenditures	
5F31MH124365-02	93.242	DIRECT	\$ -	\$ 14,899	
1F31HD109036-01A1	93.865	DIRECT	· -	8,021	
5T32GM065094-20	93.859	DIRECT	-	205,072	
Total National Institutes of Health				498,186	
Department of State:					
Pass-Through Awards:					
FULBRIGHT PGRM SPAIN	19.RD	FULBRIGHT	-	35,000	
Total Department of State				35,000	
Total In-House Training and Fellowships				689,987	
Outside Courses and Training:					
National Science Foundation:					
Direct Awards:					
MCB-1713681	47.074	DIRECT	-	117,039	
DUE-2216349	47.076	DIRECT	-	31,699	
MCB-1714163	47.074	DIRECT	-	140,627	
MCB 1813914	47.074	DIRECT	-	133,239	
IOS-1949855	47.074	DIRECT	-	181,879	
MCB 1817310	47.074	DIRECT	-	168,598	
Total National Science Foundation				773,08	
National Institutes of Health:					
Direct Awards:					
5R25CA078139-22	93.398	DIRECT	-	98,088	
5R25HG007825-08	93.172	DIRECT	_	91,83	
5R25HD030269-28	93.865	DIRECT	_	138,224	
5R25CA009481-37	93.396	DIRECT	-	463,60	
5R13DA019791-13	93.279	DIRECT	-	27,760	
2R25HG006424-10	93.172	DIRECT	_	98,586	
2R25HD072999-09	93.865	DIRECT	-	84,647	
5R13GM103047-09	93.859	DIRECT	_	63,740	
1R25HG011448-01	93.172	DIRECT	_	49,715	
5R25HG007819-09	93.172	DIRECT	-	35,262	
5R25MH107360-08	93.242	DIRECT	-	203,345	
5R25MH122360-02	93.242	DIRECT	-	234,682	
1R25GM144246-01	93.859	DIRECT	-	5,648	
Total National Institutes of Health				1,595,133	
Total Outside Courses and Training				2,368,214	
Total Non-Research			7,652	4,018,637	
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards	s		\$ 13,145,220	\$ 62,129,506	

Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards

For the year ended December 31, 2022

#### 1. BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards (the "Schedule") includes the federal award activity of Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory (the "Laboratory") under programs of the federal government for the year ended December 31, 2022 and is prepared on the accrual basis of accounting. The information in this Schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of the Laboratory, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, change in net assets, or cash flows of the Laboratory.

All of the Laboratory's grants are categorized within the research and development cluster. The subcategories delineated in the accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards are utilized by the Laboratory for its internal reporting.

#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Expenditures reported on the Schedule are reported on the accrual basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in the Uniform Guidance, wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowable or are limited as to reimbursement. The Laboratory has not elected to use the 10% *de minimis* indirect cost rate as allowed under the Uniform Guidance.



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**D** +1 631 249 6001 **F** +1 631 249 6144 REPORT OF INDEPENDENT CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS REQUIRED BY GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

To the Board of Trustees of Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory

We have audited, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (*Government Auditing Standards*), the consolidated financial statements of Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory (the "Laboratory"), which comprise the consolidated balance sheet as of December 31, 2022, and the related consolidated statements of activities and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated May 5, 2023.

# Report on internal control over financial reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the consolidated financial statements, we considered the Laboratory's internal control over financial reporting ("internal control") as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Laboratory's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Laboratory's internal control.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the Laboratory's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified.



#### Report on compliance and other matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Laboratory's consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the financial statements. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

# Purpose of this report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the Laboratory's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Laboratory's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

Melville, New York July 11, 2023

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**D** +1 631 249 6001 **F** +1 631 249 6144 REPORT OF INDEPENDENT CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR FEDERAL PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE

To the Board of Trustees of Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory

# Report on compliance for each major federal program

# Opinion on each major federal program

We have audited the compliance of Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory (the "Laboratory") with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the U.S. Office of Management and Budget's *OMB Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on the Laboratory's major federal program for the year ended December 31, 2022. The Laboratory's major federal program is identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, the Laboratory complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on its major federal program for the year ended December 31, 2022.

### Basis for opinion on each major federal program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (US GAAS); the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (*Government Auditing Standards*); and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of the Laboratory and to meet our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Laboratory's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

# Responsibilities of management for compliance

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements referred to above and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, statutes, regulations, rules and provisions of contracts or grant agreements applicable to the Laboratory's federal program.



#### Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on the Laboratory's compliance based on our audit. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with US GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance will always detect material noncompliance when it exists. The risk of not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than for that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above is considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, it would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about the Laboratory's compliance with the requirements of each major federal program as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with US GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud
  or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks.
   Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the
  Laboratory's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above
  and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the
  circumstances.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control over compliance relevant to the
  audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the
  circumstances and to test and report on internal control over compliance in
  accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing
  an opinion on the effectiveness of the Laboratory's internal control over
  compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, and any significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in internal control over compliance that we identified during the audit.

### Report on internal control over compliance

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of



deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section above and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in the Laboratory's internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance may exist that have not been identified.

Our audit was not designed for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

The purpose of this Report on Internal Control Over Compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

Melville, New York July 11, 2023

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**Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs** 

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# **SECTION I - SUMMARY OF AUDITORS' RESULTS**

Consolidated financial statements:		
Type of auditors' report issued:	Unmodifi	ed
Internal control over financial reporting:		
<ul> <li>Material weakness(es) identified?</li> </ul>	yes	X no
<ul> <li>Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weakness(es)?</li> </ul>	yes	X none reported
<ul> <li>Noncompliance material to consolidated financial statements noted?</li> </ul>	yes	<u>X</u> no
Federal awards:		
Internal control over the major program:		
<ul> <li>Material weakness(es) identified?</li> </ul>	yes	X no
<ul> <li>Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weakness(es)?</li> </ul>	yes	X none reported
Type of auditors' report issued on compliance for the major program:	Unmodifi	ed
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accord with Subpart F, Section 200.516(a) of the Uniform Guidance?	lance yes	X_ no
Identification of the major program:	Fodoral A	esistanco
Federal Grantor/Program or Cluster Title	Federal Assistance Listing Number	
Research and development cluster	Various	
Dollar threshold used to distinguish Type A and Type B programs:	\$1,863,885	
Auditee qualified as a low-risk auditee?	X yes	no

**Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs (Continued)** 

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# **SECTION II - CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS**

None noted.

# **SECTION III - FEDERAL AWARD FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS**

None noted.