



# Annual Report Fiscal Year 2020









## FROM OUR PRESIDENT & CEO Susan Kaufman



I hope this letter finds you and your families well. What a whirlwind this year has been! I started at Orchard Village in February 2020 and shortly thereafter, the pandemic hit, and things haven't stopped since. With the State of Illinois' shelter-in-place order, our clients and staff suddenly had to find new ways to continue learning and working from their homes. Still, we did not have a complete picture of how the pandemic would affect the lives of the individuals we serve.

Early on, Orchard Village did not have the technology to monitor the health and well-being of those we provide services to. However, thanks to generous gifts from many donors and some significant grants from foundations, we were able technoloav to uparade throughout the organization. With new laptops, the residents can now participate in tele-medicine from the comfort and privacy of their own bedrooms. We also successfully implemented a new electronic medication administration system for easier and more accurate recording of the dispensing of medicine to those we support.

Clients regularly 'Zoomed' and 'FaceTimed' with their family and friends. They also participated in virtual learning and recreational therapy. We held virtual art therapy classes taught by an amazing volunteer and had gardening and agriculture lessons via Zoom. Residents participated in virtual workouts and tours of places worldwide – like the Dubai airport.

Orchard Academy students attended classes through remote learning, and students and teachers alike had to get used to seeing each other through the computer. Clients used new equipment to continue participating in our InnOVations (community day services) and employment programs. This programming enriched their daily lives and maintained cognitive and socialization skills. They also worked with job coaches and practiced their online interviewing skills virtually. Many clients were even able to maintain their essential jobs throughout this time.

Using the new technology, we held virtual celebrations in the clients' houses. During these events, they dressed up, played games, sang songs, and toasted for a better new year with sparkling apple cider. During the holidays, donors and Santa's helpers were incredibly generous, and we were able to give multiple presents to all of our residents, thanks to our donors.

We have seen our community's tremendous generosity and support. We have seen our staff members continue to work, and at times quarantined with our residents, working tirelessly to keep everyone safe. We are grateful to our entire Orchard Village team for their efforts and loyalty and to our Board and stakeholders for all of their support. As we move toward a time when everyone is vaccinated, we remain hopeful for the future and know that working together, we can weather any storm!

Sending all my best and much appreciation for better times ahead,

Susan Kaufman President & CEO



# **NEARLY 300**

Men, women, and children receive services annually.

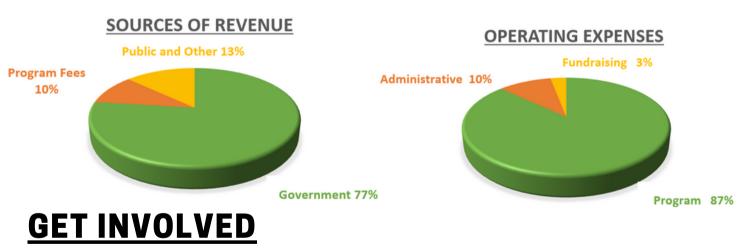
# Last Year's **NUMBERS**

### Statement of Activities for Year Ended June 30, 2020

# \$8,478,188

Total Revenue

<u>Revenue</u>		<u>Expenses</u>		
Public Support		Program Services	\$	6,257,969
Direct Contributions	\$ 660,071	Administrations and General	\$	688,293
Foundations and Trusts	\$ 278,416	Fundraising	\$	206,459
Total Public Support	\$ 938,487	Total Expenses	\$	7,152,448
Direct Program Support		Excess of Revenues over Expenses	\$	1,325,740
Fees and Grants from Government Agencies	\$ 6,546,150			
Program Service Fees	\$ 807,958	Change in Net Assets for Year Ended June	e 3(	0, 2020
Total Direct Program Support	\$ 7,354,108	Net Assets at Beginning of Year	\$	5,528,396
		Net Assets at End of Year	\$	6,854,136
Other Revenue		Excess (Deficiency)	\$	1,325,740
Interest, other	\$ 185,593			
Total Other Revenue	\$ 185,593			
Total Revenue	\$ 8,478,188	Total Expenses:	\$	7,152,448



### How to Donate

Orchard Village works hard to provide the tools and resources needed to empower clients to live lives of their choosing. Some of the enriching services we offer, like recreational and social activities, are not covered by government funding. In order to be able to offer these enriching services, we have several giving opportunities for public support, including event sponsorships, throughout the year.

If you are interested in making a donation or being an event sponsor to Orchard Village please contact Joseph Like, Director of Development at 847-583-7734 or email Joseph\_Like@orchardvillage.org. You can also donate at Orchardvillage.org/donate

## **FROM OUR BOARD PRESIDENT:** *Stephen Green*

Dear Friends, Families, and Staff of Orchard Village:

Thank you for all your support during this year of unexpected challenges. You have shown incredible strength and resilience. While much has changed in the world this year, Orchard Village, I am happy to say, remains a steadfast haven for the individuals and the families we serve.

The year began with hiring our fantastic, new CEO and President, Susan Kaufman, who brings years of experience and a great passion to Orchard Village's mission. We were excited to introduce Susan, in person, at her first Cocktails for a Cause event last February. Then in March, the pandemic struck, and everything went online or virtual, including events. We adapted last year's Gala to an online event format. Still, we had one of our most successful Gala's ever, thanks to our staff's flexibility, our volunteers' incredible creativity, and our donors' abundant generosity.

We are grateful for Susan's leadership this past year. We couldn't have made it through the year without her calm management, good humor, and great enthusiasm for Orchard Village and our whole Orchard Village family.

We were also fortunate to have received a significant planned gift in 2020 from a gentleman who had a son with developmental disabilities who received services for many years at Orchard Village. He established a trust that supported his son until the son passed away recently, and the remaining trust funds came to Orchard Village. It's a superb example of how you can first take care of your family and later assist your favorite charities. If you are interested in learning more about making such a gift, please contact our new Director of Development, Joseph Like, at joseph\_like @orchardvillage.org.

With the outstanding leadership of our board of directors who have given their time, expertise, talents, and treasure to Orchard Village, we are much stronger going into next year. I would also be remiss if I didn't thank our extraordinary staff members who, besides our clients, are true heroes. They have dedicated their time and labor to ensure our clients continued to receive exceptional care and service during these unparalleled times.

Thank you to all of you, our wonderful donors, families, board members, clients, and staff. Your combined efforts have ensured that Orchard Village endured, carried on, and even thrived this last year.

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Stephen Green Board Chairman

# PROGRAM SUMMARY

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Eighty-three individuals who wish to live with their families or who want to live independently received home-based services. This program expanded in 2020 and continues to grow.

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Seventy clients participated in vocational programs, learning valuable skills that help them to acquire and keep a job. Many clients worked as essential workers during the COVID-19 pandemic.



Sixty-five individuals live in 10 Orchard Village homes with 24hour assistance. Residents sheltered in place in the homes together during the COVID-19 pandemic.

30

Thirty participants received Day Program Services. InnOVations participants returned to hybrid activities in the fall with ehanced safety measures.

28

Twenty-eight individuals live independently with intermittent support. Orchard Village's intermittent program continued to expand during 2020.

15

Fifteen students received individualized and group instruction at Orchard Academy. Students returned to hybrid learning in the fall of 2020. All students were given access to laptops and other technology to facilitate distance learning.



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*Executive Committee* Chairs: Jake Goldstein & Corey Noland Arnie Freeman Stephen Green Christine Hadley Mike Leong Paul O'Connor

#### 16th Annual Cocktails for A Cause

Committee Co-Chairs: Bridget Anderson & Anna Liu Kelly Stark Jayne Van Eijk Ann Kyne Sydney Schubert Jessica Humphreys Wendi Wilson

#### <u>33rd Annual Blossom Gala</u>

Gala Committee: Stephen Green Kathy Knight Mike Leong Corey Noland Donna Pleason Steve Witz Silent Auction Committee: Donna Ossorio Lyndsay Mosser Ellie Snell Stacy Vavrik Roberta Bower Therese Rakushin





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