



## A Message From Our Board President & Executive Director

### The world burst from its isolation in 2022.

Coming together was joyous, whatever the occasion.

The value of our human connections is beyond measure, and researchers studying isolation among aging adults and people with disabilities know the painful cost of losing social ties.

Loneliness and social isolation are more hazardous to health than obesity and comparable to smoking nearly a pack of cigarettes a day, according to U.S. Surgeon General Vivek Murthy. Illness traced to loneliness costs Medicare billions annually, but there's a simple remedy—human contact.

This is the lifeline you provide with your support of Guardianship Services, Inc., whether through our core services or new programs approved for funding in 2022.

The Lifeline Friendly Visitor pilot program is just one example. Made possible by American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds administered by Tarrant County, it matches isolated, aging adults with older volunteers to ease the loneliness of both.

Volunteer to serve a homebound senior and help GSI extend its tender care to more of our vulnerable neighbors. It is just one more way to change a life—maybe your own—when you support GSI.

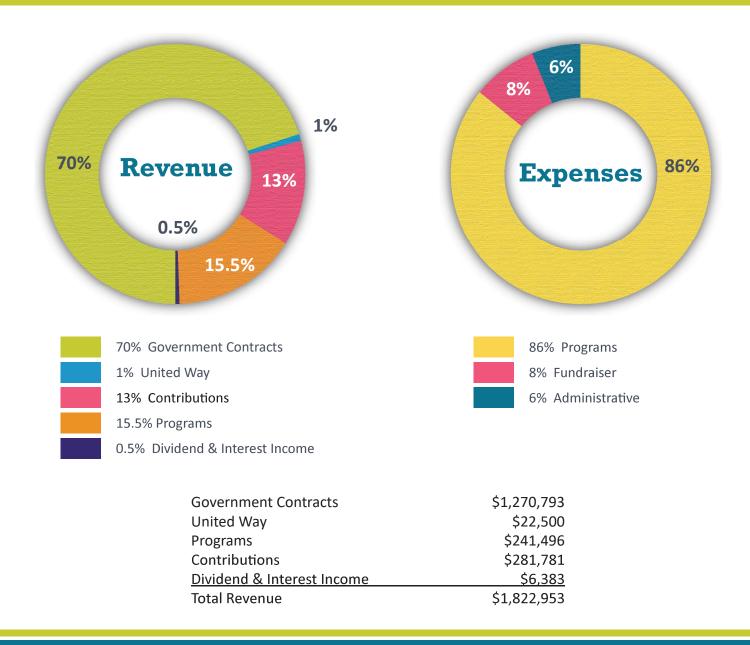


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## Our 2022 Financials



Advocates Circle membership is extended annually to individuals, foundations, corporations, and organizations – all who support GSI with cumulative gifts of \$1,000 or more between October 1 and September 30th. Your Advocates Circle commitment can include restricted and unrestricted gifts, matching gifts, sponsorships, and pledge payments made throughout the fiscal year.

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Advocates Circle commitment during the giving society's debut season ending September 30, 2022.

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The Lifeline Friendly Visitor program is made possible by American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds administered by Tarrant County.





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