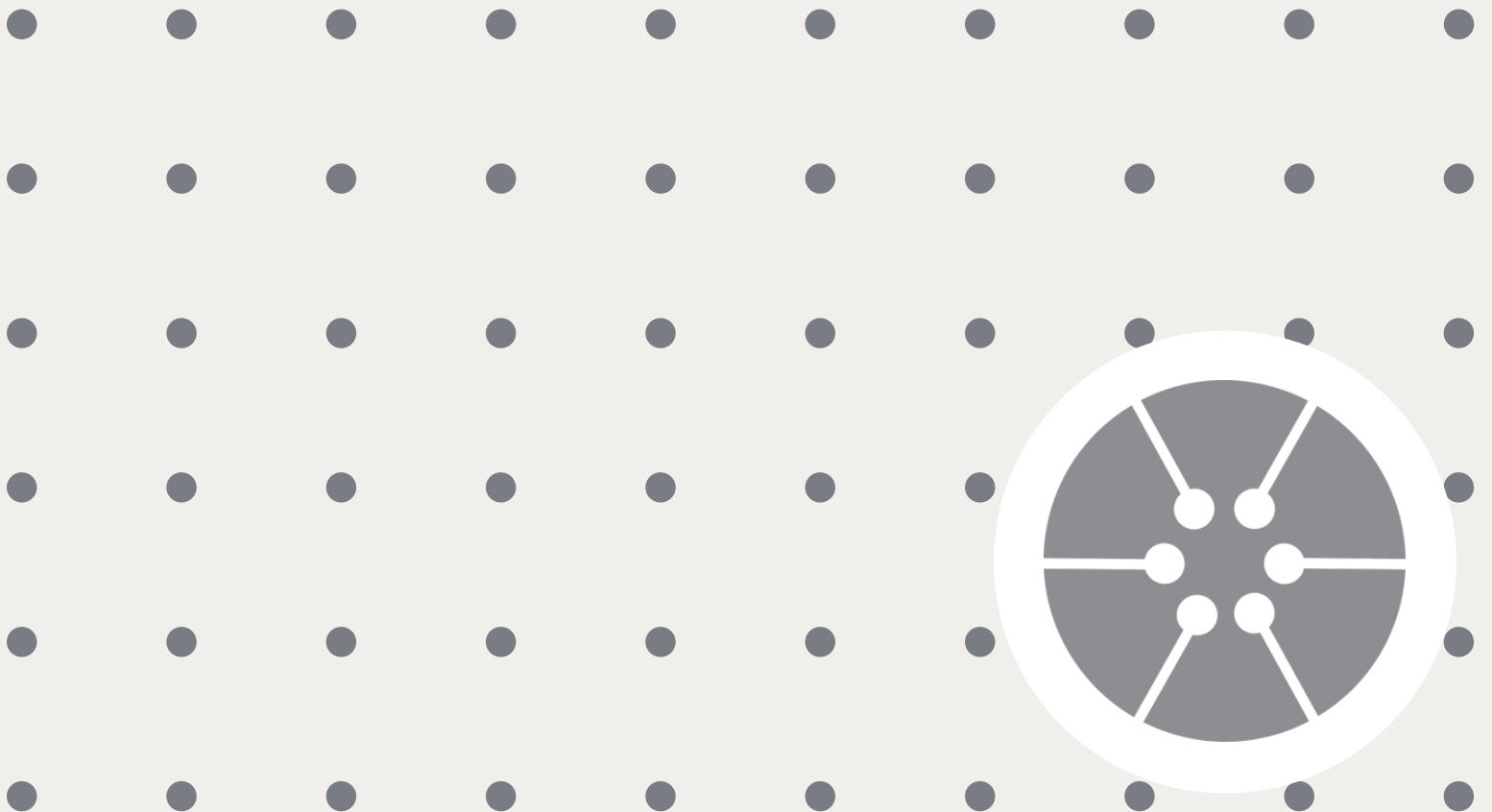


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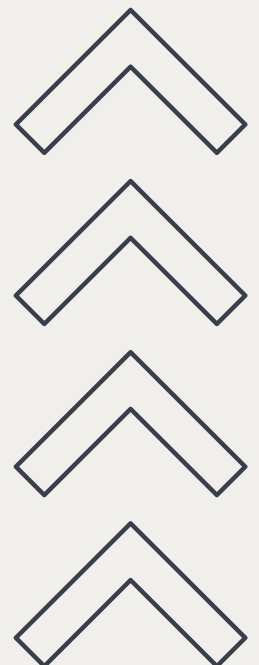
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WHERE WE ARE NOW

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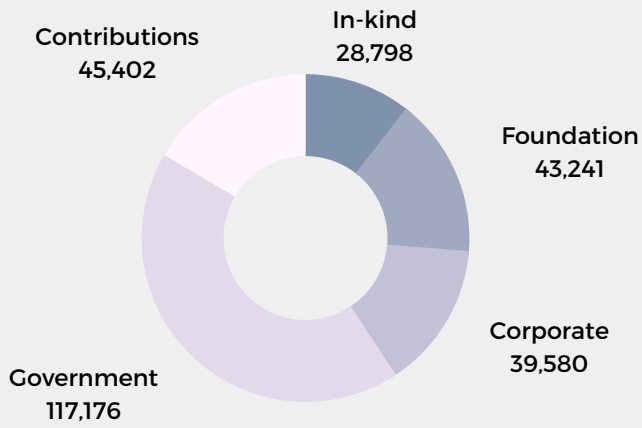
It's been a monumental year at Frontline Arts, for the staff and the communities we serve. We re-aligned our programming to better reflect our mission and vision. We made bold decisions and brave steps reflecting our core values - honoring our history and partnerships since 1974, centering on land acknowledgement, made improvements in accessibility and created networks with communities in our own backyard. There is much more work to accomplish, and we are so excited about the changes to come.

We're honored to have you on this journey with us, as we champion community, connection and empathy through the arts.

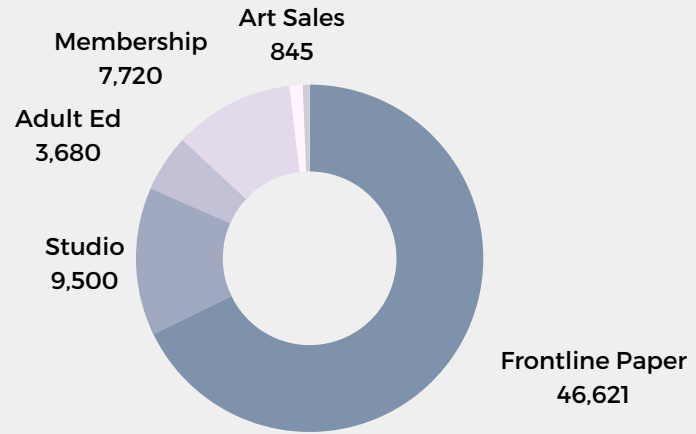
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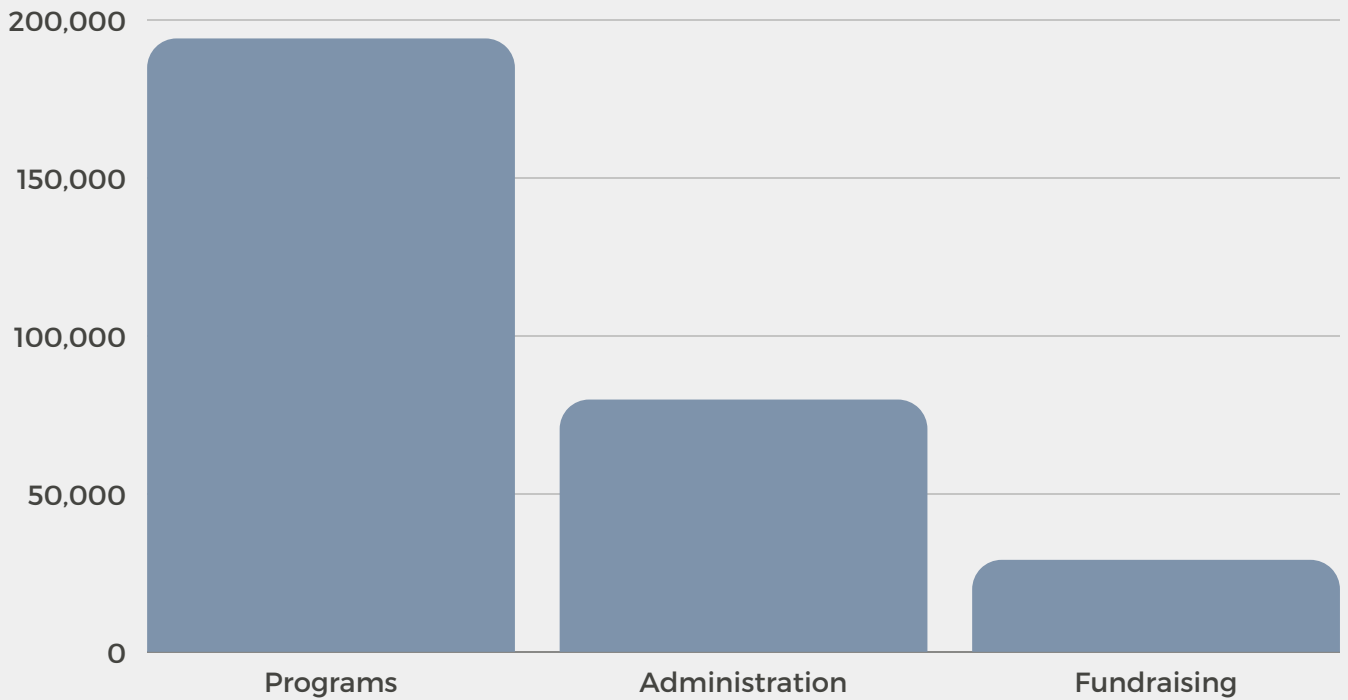
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EARNED REVENUE



EXPENSES



NET ASSETS END OF FY22: \$ 247,781

INDIVIDUALS SERVED IN FISCAL YEAR 2022 = 8,336

7,566 Adults, including Artists, Veterans, and the Public

770 Youth, under the age of 18, plus an additional **90,544 virtual impressions**.

We served **167** people through paid services and programming, and we served **7,162** people through free participation in our Veterans' Papermaking Program--Frontline Paper--and through exhibitions and community events. Even more were served by online video tutorials and livestreams.

OUR FY22 ACTIVITIES

From July 2021-June 2022, we conducted:

- 4 Exhibitions, 3 in-person & 1 virtual
- 3 Artist Talks, all hybrid
- 3 Artist Interviews, all virtual
- 10 Adult or Youth Educational Classes, 7 in-person & 3 virtual
- 6 Frontline Paper mobile veteran workshops, in-person- 3 in NJ and 3 out-of-state
- 49 weekly in-house Open Sunday veteran workshops, all in-person with most hybrid
- 6 Frontline Paper veteran exhibitions, in-person 4 in NJ, 2 out-of-state
- 2 Migration Workshops, in-person, out-of-state
- 1 Scrubs Paper Workshop, in-person
- 1 Youth Class, in-person
- 2 Community Events 1 in-person & 1 virtual
- 6 Festivals, in-person, 4 in NJ, 2 out-of-state
- 8 Free in-person tours
- 3 Lectures, 2 in-person, 1 virtual
- 7 Artist 2 Artist group meetings, all virtual
- 5 Demonstrations, all virtual



HIGHLIGHTS

Frontline Arts held our **first in-person annual benefit since 2019** at Neshanic Valley on **April 30th, 2022**, honoring our longstanding history **with the Somerset County Park Commission** and with our first in-person **Land Acknowledgement** by Nanticoke Indian tribal member **Karelle Hall**. We also had our very **first Veteran artist-in residence Mark Oldland**, supported by the **52 Reasons to Love a Vet Fund**.

We successfully obtained **additional Emergency Funding** via NJSCA, and **2 grants for ADA improvements**: the **Capital Arts** grant for a 2-story **platform lift** and a **Grassmann Trust** grant to **update the restroom**. We were also notified of our very **first Creative Forces grant** through the **NEA-MAAA** for the **Frontline Paper** veteran program. Plus, we **celebrated the 10-year anniversary of Frontline Paper** with the **Power of Collective Exhibition**.

It's been a **great year of workshops across all programs** from Frontline Paper, Scrubs, the Migration Project, Youth, Adult Ed and Community events and exhibitions, bringing back many in-person events.

TESTIMONIALS

Frontline provides a wonderful community atmosphere where people can express their thoughts with terrific technical support! A safe space, so very much needed by many. You are all doing a great job!

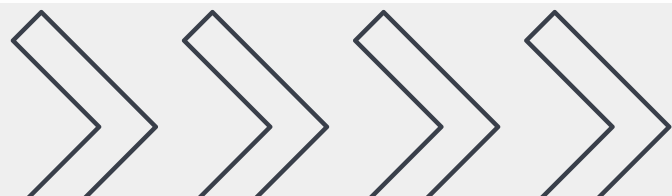
-Lisa Madson, Artist and Member

Frontline Paper is a gift the world. We enjoyed and appreciated the opportunity so much. Walt and Ron were professional, patient, informative, and so fun to have in the classroom. My students kept popping by all day to say hi to them 😊

-Rachel Therres, Hillside Innovation Academy art teacher

*For those who honored our military veterans last week and those who want to learn more about the struggles that our military veterans face, please take the time this weekend to watch *This is Not a War Story* on HBO Max. This independent film masterfully shares what many combat veterans experience when they come home in an honest & vulnerable way. It skillfully weaves into the story the incredible work of Frontline Arts an organization that creates socially engaging arts projects for combat veterans to express themselves. Congrats to my friends & filmmakers Talia Lugacy & Rosario Dawson & the veterans at Frontline Arts.*

-Mark Ruffalo, Actor



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