

Treasurer's Year-end Report to the Community submitted by Mark Smith, Treasurer

From a financial standpoint, 2022 was a successful year. As a result of your ongoing financial support and the Finance Team's meticulous eye on expenses, we will end the year with a balanced budget and begin 2023 on strong financial footing – THANK YOU!!!

The team had eight goals this year and achieved success in all of them. On the top of that list was our search for a treasurer for the coming years as my tenure is up. I am excited to let you know that Shannon McMaster will take over these responsibilities in March. Shannon has been a member of and significant contributor to the finance team for a while now.

This year we completed an internal audit (THANK YOU Dave Hodson and Sally Alderink), and I am pleased to let you know that after their thorough review the auditors were "comfortable saying that C3 has adequate financial controls in place and the monthly financial statements presented to the Board are an accurate summary of the income/expense and financial position of C3."

As we continued to look for ways to assure our long-term sustainability, we completed the Just Cause process (THANK YOU – Beth Buelow)!

We are in the final stages of negotiation and believe that by the start of 2023, we will no longer be burdened with the costs associated with our current printer (THANK YOU – Kim Crozier)!

On a personal note, I'd like to express my sincere appreciation of the Finance Team members. It has been their support, work ethic and guidance that has made my job easier. THANK YOU, Kent Dobson, Andy Cawthon, Kathy Humprey, Beth Buelow, Kim Crozier and Shannon McMaster!