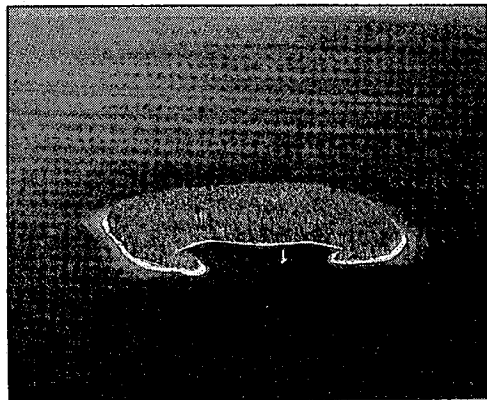


GREAT LAKES UNITED

Annual Report 1996-97



*an international coalition to
conserve and protect the
Great Lakes/St. Lawrence River ecosystem*



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Great Lakes United at a glance

Great Lakes United is a not-for-profit coalition of organizations and individuals from the United States, Canada, and the First Nations. Since its inception in 1982, Great Lakes United has been a crucial instrument in bringing about change by providing a collective, and therefore more powerful voice to the concerns of hundreds of citizens and community organizations across the basin.

Great Lakes United fulfills its charge from its members by:

- ✧ Promoting and coordinating citizen action
- ✧ Building strong grassroots leadership
- ✧ Carrying out environmental education programs
- ✧ Developing and advocating for effective policy initiatives.

Our vision is of a Great Lakes and St. Lawrence ecosystem that is a healthy home for all

living creatures. It is a home blessed by a broad variety of natural habitats, and with a wide diversity of creatures and peoples. As humans we depend on and are part of the natural world. We bear a responsibility to protect the survival of Great Lakes flora and fauna for future generations.

GLU implements this vision according to seven guiding principles:

- ✧ Protection, prevention and restoration should be the basis for environmental programs and actions
- ✧ All environmental programs and actions should embody an ecosystem approach
- ✧ There are no safe limits for persistent toxic substances and therefore their production, use and disposal should be eliminated
- ✧ People have a responsibility to act in ways that protect the well-being of the other living creatures with whom we share this home
- ✧ Environmental programs should take into account the wider social and economic contexts and strive for social equity for all people
- ✧ Impacts on jobs and economic opportunities should be part of the

consideration in developing environmental programs, with a particular focus on helping dislocated workers

- ⌘ Action by grassroots, community-based organizations is an essential driving force behind achievement of our goals.

L'Union des Grands Lacs et du St-Laurent: Un bref survol

L'Union des Grands Lacs et du Saint Laurent est une coalition d'organisations à but non lucratif et des particuliers américains, canadiens et indiens des Premières Nations. Depuis ses débuts en 1982, l'Union joue un rôle décisif dans les changements survenus, en se faisant la voix collective, et donc d'autant plus puissante, de centaines d'organisations, de communautés et de particuliers intéressés, dans tout le bassin des Grands Lacs et du Saint Laurent.

L'Union des Grands Lacs et du Saint Laurent remplit les tâches dont elle est chargée par ses membres:

- ⌘ en encourageant et en coordonnant les actions des particuliers
- ⌘ en facilitant la prise en main des opérations au niveau local
- ⌘ en menant à bien des programmes éducatifs sur l'environnement
- ⌘ en développant et en encourageant des initiatives menant à des lignes de conduites efficaces.

Que l'écosystème des Grands Lacs et du Saint Laurent soit un lieu sain pour tous ceux qui y vivent, hommes et bêtes, voilà la vision pour laquelle nous travaillons. Cette région bénéficie d'une large variété d'habitats sauvages et d'une diversité tout aussi grande d'hommes et d'animaux. Nous faisons partie de cette nature dont nous dépendons largement, et notre responsabilité consiste donc à protéger la survie de la flore et de la faune des Grands Lacs et du Saint Laurent pour les générations à venir.

Pour atteindre son but, l'Union travaille selon sept principes de base:

- ⌘ Protection, prévention et restauration doivent être au coeur de toute

action ou programme concernant l'environnement.

- 6 Tous les programmes ou actions doivent être conceptualisés à partir de l'écosystème.
- 6 Puisque nous ne sommes pas sûrs des doses acceptables de substances à toxicité persistante, nous devons éliminer leur production, leur utilisation et la destruction de leurs déchets.
- 6 Les habitants de cette région ont la responsabilité d'agir de façon à protéger le bien-être de tout ce qui y vit et avec qui nous partageons ce lieu privilégié.
- 6 Les programmes liés à la défense de l'environnement doivent prendre en compte le large contexte socio-économique de la région, et s'appliquer à protéger équitablement tous les groupes sociaux.
- 6 L'impact de la mise en place de programmes protégeant l'environnement sur le marché du travail local doit être considéré sérieusement, des efforts particuliers devant être faits pour aider les travailleurs affectés par ces programmes.
- 6 L'action, au niveau local, d'organisations communautaires est la force essentielle qui doit nous mener à atteindre nos buts.

President's message

1997 is the fifteenth anniversary of Great Lakes United. In May 1982, fifty-five activists from throughout the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence River basin met on Mackinac Island and agreed to form a coalition to unite them in action. Six months later, at a vociferous meeting in Windsor, 110 activists passed bylaws, formed a steering committee, and officially began Great Lakes United.

At that meeting, Bob Boice of the New York State Conservation Council, who became GLU's first president, proposed the name "Great Lakes United": "The name says we each maintain our autonomy, but we're working together for a common cause. And it's acronym is 'GLU'—the group that holds the lakes together."

Now is the time to celebrate fifteen years of citizen action across this vast region to protect and clean up the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence River basin—action in which Great Lakes United or St-Laurent Grands Lacs Unis has played a central role.

Our greatest success has been the transformation of the Great Lakes Water Quality Agreement between Canada and the United States. At one time it was a yellowing, virtually unknown piece of paper. But the grassroots movement in the Great Lakes basin, under the leadership of Great Lakes United, has rallied around the agreement, changing it into a vibrant document.

In the Great Lakes Water Quality Agreement the U.S. and Canadian governments committed themselves to zero discharge, virtual elimination and an ecosystem approach. These have become the rallying cries for citizen action in the Great Lakes basin, action that has inspired a powerful movement worldwide for the phasing out of the production and use of persistent toxic substances, with a special focus on chlorinated chemicals.

The clearest sign of our success in this respect is the millions of dollars that industrial organizations such as the Chlorine Chemistry Council are putting into their fight to try to turn around our successes.

While we all have great cause to celebrate our shared successes over the past fifteen years, much remains to be done. We must continue throughout the

region and in each of our communities to institute zero discharge—now transformed into zero use—of persistent toxic substances. We must extend the concepts that we have developed around these substances to become the basis for making decisions about the use and disposal of radioactive substances. These concepts must also be applied to the extractive industries in the Great Lakes basin, with a special focus on ending the devastation wrought by mining.

Our work must also extend to many other aspects of our society. We must develop an understanding of how to live within the capacity of our communities, by, for example, using only the waters naturally available within our local watersheds. In general we must reduce our consumption to levels that allow all to share in the bounty that nature provides. Just as we have developed principles to guide our actions on the use of persistent toxic substances, we must develop and implement principles by which we judge human actions that affect all other inhabitants of the Great Lakes—St. Lawrence River ecosystem and the world—all peoples on this planet, the birds, the fish, the wildlife, and future generations. We must find ways to assert community control over the decisions of private corporations. And we must more fully learn from the wisdom of the First Peoples of this basin and recognize and support their rights.

The past fifteen years have been exciting ones for citizen activists in the Great Lakes basin. The next fifteen are sure to be no less exciting, and even more challenging. We are after all working towards the transformation of our society, of our relationship with nature and with each other. We are involved in the never-ending work of being responsible residents of this planet. We persist because we know that this work is essential for all of us and those to come to flourish and to have lives of satisfaction and joy.

—John Jackson

Thanks to our supporters

As a not-for-profit organization, Great Lakes United relies on the kindness of both friends and strangers. Our sincere and heartfelt thanks to all who have contributed to the success of Great Lakes United this year.

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Member groups

Great Lakes United would have no purpose without the 170 member organizations listed at the end of this report. These groups elect and make up our board and set our agenda at annual meetings, provide GLU with a basis of financial independence, and share information and resources with GLU all year to further the goals of Great Lakes–St. Lawrence River ecosystem conservation and protection.

Individual supporters

A crucial source of Great Lakes United's programmatic effectiveness and financial independence is our individual members and donors. These people pay membership and may donate additional sums, and respond to our appeals to write letters or place calls to policymakers. Thank you all!

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Great Lakes United would not be able to function without our tireless volunteers and interns, who are listed with appreciation elsewhere in this report. Thank you all. We are also blessed to have the many excellent members of our volunteer board of directors. Their commitment and wisdom is the ultimate source of Great Lakes United's success.

Activities

Biodiversity and Habitat Protection Task Force

Over the past two years, Great Lakes United's Biodiversity and Habitat Protection Task Force has taken a lead in the Great Lakes region's resistance to "takings" legislation and "wise use" activities. The activities of this anti-environmental movement are becoming increasingly destructive to the biological resources in the Great Lakes ecosystem. "Takings" bills have been introduced in all Great Lakes states; the Ontario government is exploring privatization of water distribution and forest management; and sustainable fishery management is compromised by the demands of the most vocal user groups, so that management of the Great Lakes fishery has been compared to "having chainsaw manufacturers dictate forest management."

GLU has responded to this threat by tracking the activities of the anti-environmental movement, and reporting them in our weekly fax and email newsletter on biodiversity and habitat issues, and providing both logistical and hands-on support to state groups fight anti-environmental initiatives.

In addition to our long-term work of countering the "wise use" movement, Great Lakes United continues to advocate for greater ecological considerations in Great Lakes fishery management.

Biodiversity and Habitat Protection Task Force members and staff have also:

- ✎ Published our weekly fax and email *Habitat Watch*, which now reaches over 200 citizens and organizations
- ✎ Along with the Chesapeake Bay Foundation, organized a coalition of Pennsylvania groups in the state capital to fight proposed state "takings" legislation
- ✎ Campaigned with the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters for reinstatement of \$1.3 million in funding by the Canadian federal government for the sea lamprey control program
- ✎ Organized the first-ever All Species Parade for children at the Buffalo Waterfront Festival

- 6 Co-organized a symposium on First Nations and environmental forest concerns in Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario
- 6 Continued our work with the Marsh Monitoring Project in the Areas of Concern
- 6 Participated in New York State's Lake Ontario Fisheries Congress to help decide fish community goals for Lake Ontario
- 6 Hosted a two-day task force meeting for members in Chicago
- 6 Conducted "Wild Species in the Great Lakes Basin" workshops for ninety students at the Erie County Great Lakes Student Summit;
- 6 Spoke at numerous meetings, workshops, and conferences
- 6 Supported the work of member groups by writing letters and providing information and research support

Sustainable Waters Task Force

On February 10, 1997, the anniversary of the signing of the Great Lakes Charter, Great Lakes United and the Canadian Environmental Law Association released a comprehensive, ninety-six-page report on water quantity issues in the Basin. *The Fate of the Great Lakes: Sustaining or Draining the Sweetwater Seas* triggered a basin-wide media response, including articles in over thirty newspapers and more than a dozen radio interviews. It also provoked and continues to provoke many calls to GLU's Buffalo and Montréal offices from communities seeking information and help with local water-use problems. These range from proposed diversions at Akron, Ohio, and Kenosha, Wisconsin, to groundwater mining for export in Québec and proposed out-of-basin diversion of contaminated groundwater to accommodate Exxon's proposed Crandon mine in the Lake Superior watershed.

Besides providing a general overview of basin-wide water use and documents such as the Great Lakes Charter (guiding basin water use decisions), the U.S. Water Resources Development Act (governing approval of diversions in the United States) and the *Sparrow* decision (affecting First Nations water rights in Canada), the report:

- 6 Details the various proposals, past, present, and future, to divert water and increase water withdrawals from the Great Lakes basin
- 6 Explores how privatization of water services might influence the

sustainability of our water resources

- § Looks at water pricing mechanisms and the role they can play in the transition to sustainable water practices
- § Shows how the contamination of groundwater sources of drinking water within the basin are already resulting in diversion and withdrawal requests
- § Sounds the alarm about the potential effect of international trade agreements on basin water use policies
- § Details the state of knowledge on the potentially devastating effect of climate change on Great Lakes water levels
- § Builds the case for a comprehensive basin-wide water use and conservation policy, with concrete recommendations geared to all levels of government.

The report recommendations will be the basis for building campaigns to influence the actions of governments and the practices of industry, agricultural and other sectors dependent on Great Lakes water resources.

Task force members have also been working on the water diversion and water pollution impacts of the mining proposal by Crandon Mines, and on issues around proposals to privatize water supply and sewage treatment systems in Ontario and Québec.

Clean Production Task Force

The major ongoing activity of the task force is collaboration with the Toxics Caucus of the Canadian Environmental Network to participate in the Strategic Option Process, a multistakeholder process to develop regulations on twenty-five chemicals deemed toxic under the *Canadian Environmental Protection Act*. Great Lakes United continues to function as secretariat for environmental group participation and reporter to the Canadian Environmental Network Toxics Caucus on progress. Activities of our Montréal staff include attending meetings at six issue tables (groupings of the chemicals at issue), researching clean production technologies, revising Strategic Options Process documents, and writing monthly reports.

Great Lakes United also coordinated public comments, endorsed by over twenty-five organizations, to drafts of the joint U.S. and Canada Strategy for the Virtual Elimination of Persistent Toxic Substances. The U.S. and

Canadian governments signed the strategy in April 1997. We will continue to monitor this work and to ensure that citizen input is incorporated into the virtual elimination strategy.

Continuing its Little Zeroes campaign to phase out the production, use and release of chlorine-based toxic chemicals in the Great Lakes basin, the Clean Production Task Force:

- § Organized a basin-wide release of two major dioxin reports by Barry Commoner's Center for the Biology of Natural Systems. The studies demonstrate that eliminating sources of dioxin in favor of cleaner technologies is technologically and economically feasible, and that medical and municipal waste incineration of polyvinyl chloride (PVC) contributes 70 percent of the total amount of dioxin deposited into the Great Lakes
- § Expanded the Little Zeros database to 150 activists, government officials, industry representatives, and academics and published a biweekly update, *Little Zeros Watch*.
- § Coordinated workshops on wet cleaning, a nontoxic alternative to dry cleaning, in Buffalo and Toronto
- § Coordinated a citizen response to plans to eliminate U.S. restrictions on PCB imports and Canadian restrictions of PCB exports
- § Reviewed the EcoLogic company's Mobile PCB Destructor technology and participated as an official intervenor in the hearings on use of the technology at a General Electric site in Toronto
- § Provided support to communities fighting waste disposal facilities, including a proposal to bury PCBs in a hazardous waste landfill in Michigan
- § Presented a brief at hearings on the disposal of high-level radioactive waste in Canada
- § Initiated dialogue with Canadian and U.S. labor representatives regarding the development of a "just transition" strategy for communities and workers affected by chemical phaseouts
- § Co-sponsored a workshop in Chicago on airborne persistent organic pollutants with a focus on a citizen role in the negotiations of a global agreement on POPs
- § Supported the work of member groups by writing letters, providing information, and supplying background research

Healthy Communities Task Force

In collaboration with the Institute for Conservation Leadership, the Healthy Communities Task Force designed and conducted four training sessions for Remedial Action Plan Public Advisory Committee members and RAP participants to strengthen their leadership and organizational development skills.

The goal of the leadership training component was to energize the PACs by giving them the skills needed to work more effectively within the RAP process. Training sessions were held in the following:

- ✿ Bay of Quinte Area of Concern in Belleville, Ontario
- ✿ Lower Michigan AOCs in Livonia, Michigan
- ✿ Lake Superior and northern Michigan, AOCs in Marquette, Michigan
- ✿ Metropolitan Toronto and Region AOC in Toronto, Ontario

Great Lakes United also produced thirty-six factsheets highlighting examples of successful RAP-related activities in hopes that other Area of Concern communities might use them as models for their own programs. The factsheets and updates were distributed to a mailing list of over 1,800 names, including RAP team members, Public Advisory Committee members, media, interested citizens, and government agency officials.

The Assembly of First Nations contracted with GLU to extend this Healthy Communities work to First Nations communities in Ontario. Great Lakes United is developing a model environmental community action plan for aboriginal communities based on work with the people at Long Lake #58, a community north of Lake Superior.

Great Lakes United also continued production of factsheets on selected chemicals and their effects on human health for the Assembly of First Nations' EAGLE ("Effects on Aboriginals of the Great Lakes Environment") Project.

Great Lakes United also published a position paper on the state of Remedial Action Plans in the basin in the spring issue of the *Great Lakes Research Journal* and has been involved in lobbying governments to continue to fund citizen participation in RAPs.

Lake Superior coordination

Great Lakes United board president John Jackson continued to serve as co-chairman of the Lake Superior Forum, a binational, multistakeholder advisory committee to the governments on the Binational Zero Discharge Programme. The forum is developing a Lake Superior demonstration zone for zero discharge.

GLU also played a lead role in the support and development of the Lake Superior Alliance and in providing fiscal management to the Lake Superior Sustainable Basin Project. Through the project the alliance was able to hire a full-time coordinator, publish a quarterly newsletter, *Superior Vision*, and issue mini-grants for six local sustainability projects. A major focus of the alliance this year was organizing against the proposed full-scale use of sulfuric acid at the Copper Range company's White Pine mine in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan because of the potential negative impacts on Great Lakes waters and tribal lands. Local resistance to this controversial mining project, including a blockade by members of the Bad River Tribe of the Lake Superior Chippewa, focused media attention and enhanced public scrutiny on Lake Superior protection and forged new relationships between Lake Superior Alliance member organizations, tribes, and Wisconsin nongovernmental organizations active in mining issues.

Other activities

Great Lakes United has also:

- ✦ Lobbied the International Joint Commission as it considered reformatting its public consultation process
- ✦ As a core member of a committee appointed by the Buffalo Common Council, successfully negotiated a good neighbor agreement and a memorandum of understanding with two chemical firms. Both are now actively pursuing pollution prevention strategies and communicating well with surrounding neighborhoods.
- ✦ Made numerous presentations, including speaking at the World Winter Cities Conference in Marquette, Michigan, the Clean Paper Production Conference in Green Bay, Wisconsin, the Commission on Environmental Cooperation public consultation in Toronto, and the Interna-

tional Scientific Conference on the Effects of the Environment in Human Health in the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence River basins in Montréal

Newsletter

Every three months Great Lakes United produces a newsletter updating readers on Great Lakes issues and events, summarizing our activities, alerting citizens to laws and policies affecting the Great Lakes, and generally providing a voice for citizen concerns.

This year we managed to maintain last year's doubling in the size of the newsletter, from the former equivalent of sixteen pages to the current thirty-two pages. We also continue to be able to secure stocks of environmentally friendly paper on the large rolls needed for printing large numbers of newsletters. The paper, Hammermill's Unity DP, is made from recycled newsprint—50 percent post-consumer and 50 percent "post-industrial" (printed on but never sold). The paper is not rebleached with chlorine.

Fundraising

Without an active fundraising program, little of the work described in this report could have been possible. This year we organized a successful large-donor event in Buffalo featuring former International Joint Commission Co-Chair Gordon Durnil and honoring Niagara frontier environmental activists Barry Boyer, dean of the University of Buffalo School of Law, and Margherita Howe, president of Operation Clean Canada. With the help of a high-profile steering committee, we sold one hundred tickets and learned a great deal for future such efforts around the basin.

The number of Great Lakes United individual members continued to grow this year and now stands at more than six hundred. We have made a concerted effort to acknowledge all of our new and renewing members and to ensure timely responses to their requests. This heightened responsiveness has led to increasing generosity on the part of our membership. We experienced a tripling of support for our Christmas donation appeal.

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Staff profiles

Executive Director Margaret Wooster

Margaret manages all aspects of Great Lakes United's work, including program activities, fundraising, financial management, and administration. She holds a masters degree in land use planning and a doctorate in English literature, both from the State University of New York at Buffalo. She is a member of the American Institute of Certified Planners. For the past ten years Margaret has worked as a consultant to local and regional governments and private landowners on water resource and habitat-protective policy development and site planning. She has served as president of the Friends of the Buffalo River and was a member of the Buffalo River Citizens Advisory Committee for three years.

Field Coordinator Stéphane Gingras

Stéphane works out of Great Lakes United's Montréal office on issues related to toxic chemical pollution, particularly coordinating the work of Canadian environmentalists on Canada's Strategic Options Process, a multistakeholder effort to regulate some two dozen toxic chemicals. Stéphane holds a degree in physical geography from the University of Québec at Trois Rivières and is currently completing his masters degree in the same field. Before coming to GLU Stéphane worked for Mouvement Vert Mauricie and Greenpeace.

Field Coordinator David Mahony

David coordinates the work of Great Lakes United's Biodiversity and Habitat Protection Task Force. David received a law degree from the University of British Columbia in 1993 and is a member of the bar of British Columbia. David coordinates task force activities, produces the weekly *Great Lakes Watch*, and supports member groups in their work.

Communications Coordinator Reg Gilbert

Reg coordinates and produces all Great Lakes United publications, including the GLU newsletter, and manages our computer equipment and online activities. GLU's longest-serving employee, Reg has been a freelance book editor for twelve years, and was a computer consultant and freelance writer and editor in Washington, D.C., for several public interest organizations.

Development Coordinator Libby Jewett

Libby coordinates all of Great Lakes United's nongrant fundraising activities. She holds a bachelor's degree from Yale University and a master's degree in public policy from Harvard University. She was formerly with the Child Care Resource Center, Centro Presente, and the Cambridge Hospital in Cambridge, Massachusetts, and with the Campaign for Choice and the Massachusetts Public Interest Research Group in Boston.

Accountant Jack O'Brien

Jack is responsible for the accounting functions of the Great Lakes United corporate entities—Great Lakes United, Inc., Great Lakes United Canada, Inc., and the Great Lakes United Foundation. He holds a degree from Canisius College and has over twenty years experience in the accounting field. Jack recently returned to the Buffalo area from Atlanta, Georgia.

Administrative Assistants

Maureen Hoellig and Barbara Wallenhorst

Maureen ("Moe") and Barbara run the office—they organize mass mailings, answer phones, maintain the Great Lakes United database, and respond to the daily unexpected. Moe is a 1995 graduate in environmental studies from the State University of New York at Buffalo. After a career with local banks, Barbara came to Great Lakes United via the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program of Erie County.

Financial Statements

Fiscal year 1996 continued a successful trend for Great Lakes United. Our budget remained steady since the previous year and each corporate entity making up Great Lakes United—Great Lakes United, Inc., Great Lakes United Canada, Inc., and the Great Lakes United Foundation—shows a surplus for the year.

Great Lakes United—United States

GREAT LAKES UNITED, INC.
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
December 31, 1996
 (With Comparative Totals for 1995)

<u>ASSETS</u>	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Temporarily Restricted</u>	<u>1996 Total</u>	<u>1995 Total</u>
Current assets:				
Cash	\$ 20,252	\$ 88,309	\$108,561	\$ 95,774
Accounts receivable	60,140	-	60,140	60,482
Due from related party	788	-	788	10,846
Prepaid expenses	<u>4,490</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>4,490</u>	<u>2,648</u>
Total current assets	85,670	88,309	173,979	169,750
Furniture and equipment	39,573	-	39,573	35,673
Less: accumulated depreciation	<u>(22,595)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(22,595)</u>	<u>(18,076)</u>
	<u>16,978</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>16,978</u>	<u>17,597</u>
Total assets	<u>\$102,648</u>	<u>\$ 88,309</u>	<u>\$190,957</u>	<u>\$187,347</u>
 <u>LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</u>				
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$ 10,567	\$ -	\$ 10,567	\$ 22,226
Accrued expenses	-	-	-	<u>25,671</u>
Total current liabilities	<u>10,567</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>10,567</u>	<u>47,897</u>
Net assets:				
Unrestricted	92,081	-	92,081	65,195
Temporarily restricted	<u>-</u>	<u>88,309</u>	<u>88,309</u>	<u>74,255</u>
Total net assets	<u>92,081</u>	<u>88,309</u>	<u>180,390</u>	<u>139,450</u>
Total liabilities and net assets	<u>\$102,648</u>	<u>\$ 88,309</u>	<u>\$190,957</u>	<u>\$187,347</u>

Great Lakes United—United States (continued)

GREAT LAKES UNITED, INC.
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS
For the Year Ended December 31, 1996
(With Comparative Totals for 1995)

	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Temporarily Restricted</u>	<u>1996 Total</u>	<u>1995 Total</u>
Support and grant revenue	\$207,829	\$182,894	\$390,723	\$532,835
Other revenues:				
Other	52,181	-	52,181	\$58,462
Interest income	<u>3,333</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3,333</u>	<u>3,453</u>
	263,343	182,894	446,237	594,750
Net assets released from restrictions:				
Satisfaction of donor restriction	<u>74,255</u>	<u>(74,255)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Total support and revenue	337,598	108,639	446,237	594,750
Operating expenses	<u>310,712</u>	<u>94,585</u>	<u>405,297</u>	<u>457,580</u>
Change in net assets	26,886	14,054	40,940	137,170
Net assets - beginning of year	<u>65,195</u>	<u>74,255</u>	<u>139,450</u>	<u>2,280</u>
Net assets - end of year	<u>\$ 92,081</u>	<u>\$ 88,309</u>	<u>\$180,390</u>	<u>\$139,450</u>

Great Lakes United—United States (continued)

GREAT LAKES UNITED, INC.
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES
For the Year Ended December 31, 1996
(With Comparative Totals for 1995)

	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Temporarily Restricted</u>	<u>1996 Total</u>	<u>1995 Total</u>
Revenue:				
Grants	\$207,829	\$182,894	\$390,723	\$532,835
Registrations				3,618
Memberships:				
Organizations	6,544	-	6,544	8,531
Individuals	11,372	-	11,372	5,333
Other				780
Annual meeting	10,896	-	10,896	8,228
Donations	4,937	-	4,937	4,336
Interest	3,333	-	3,333	3,453
Other	236	-	236	4,189
Fundraising and other	15,234	-	15,234	8,983
In-kind donations	<u>2,962</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,962</u>	<u>9,737</u>
	263,343	182,894	446,237	590,023
Operating expenses:				
Salaries and wages	142,866	35,486	178,352	122,422
Payroll taxes and benefits	24,695	6,500	31,195	23,191
Advertising				6,605
Bad debt	125	-	125	508
Annual meeting expense	19,862	-	19,862	8,091
Contracted services	412	33,180	33,592	137,305
Depreciation	4,519	-	4,519	1,816
Canadian Exchange and discount	(1,289)	-	(1,289)	
Equipment rental				655
Fundraising	11,943	-	11,943	2,821
Miscellaneous	7,030	-	7,030	10,965
Postage	15,575	1,265	16,840	9,211
Printing and photocopy	25,747	1,010	26,757	24,528
Professional services	7,455	-	7,455	11,161
Rent and utilities	8,156	-	8,156	7,987
Repairs and maintenance	350	-	350	1,002
Supplies	6,408	-	6,408	8,045
Telephonic	14,691	6,516	21,207	24,884
Travel	23,680	7,734	31,414	61,218
Training	1,381	-	1,381	2,220
Overhead	<u>(2,894)</u>	<u>2,894</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
	310,712	94,585	405,297	464,635
Net change in assets	\$ (47,369)	\$ 88,309	\$ 40,940	\$125,388

GREAT LAKES UNITED, INC.
 SCHEDULE OF PROGRAM REVENUES AND EXPENSES
 For the Year Ended December 31, 1996
 (With Comparative Totals for 1995)

	UNRESTRICTED						TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED					Total 1996	Total 1995		
	General Fund	CS Mott	Joyce Foundation	Great Lakes Protection	Workplace Spring	Other Grants	Total Un- restricted	LSA CS Mott	Deer Creek Foundation	George Gund Foundation	Joyce Foundation			Laidlaw	Total Temporarily Restricted
Revenues:															
Grants	\$ -	\$ 110,000	\$ 70,000	\$ 2,784	\$ 1,024	\$ 24,021	\$ 207,829	\$ 50,000	\$ 15,000	\$ 90,894	\$ 20,000	\$ 7,000	\$ 182,894	\$ 390,723	\$ 532,835
Registrations															
Memberships:															
Organizations	6,544						6,544							6,544	8,531
Individuals	11,372						11,372							11,372	10,060
Other															780
Annual meeting	10,896						10,896							10,896	8,228
Donations	4,937						4,937							4,937	4,336
Interest	3,333						3,333							3,333	3,453
Other	236						236							236	4,189
Fund raising and other	654					14,580	15,234							15,234	8,983
In-kind donations	2,962						2,962							2,962	9,737
	40,934	110,000	70,000	2,784	1,024	38,601	263,343	50,000	15,000	90,894	20,000	7,000	182,894	446,237	594,750
Salaries and wages		39,750	55,122	38,868		9,126	142,866	4,000	7,634	22,685		1,167	35,486	178,352	122,422
Payroll taxes and benefits	4,322	7,950	11,590			832	24,695		2,158	4,342			6,500	31,195	23,191
Advertising															6,605
Bad debt	125						125							125	508
Bank service charge														854	
Annual meeting expense	19,862						19,862							19,862	8,091
Canadian Exchange & Discount	(1,289)						(1,289)							(1,289)	
Contracted services	412						412	33,180					33,180	33,592	137,305
Depreciation	4,519						4,519							4,519	1,816
Equipment rental															655
Fund raising	4,452					7,491	11,943							11,943	2,821
Miscellaneous	3,702				500	2,828	7,030							7,030	10,965
Postage	11,319			4,200	5	51	15,575	2		1,263			1,265	16,840	9,211
Printing and photocopy	5,660		9,015	10,976	5	91	25,747			1,007		3	1,010	26,757	24,528
Professional services	1,405	5,300	750				7,455							7,455	11,161
Rent and utilities	2,854	2,000	2,000	1,000		302	8,156							8,156	7,987
Repairs and maintenance	550						350							350	1,002
Supplies	4,399			6		2,003	6,408							6,408	8,045
Training	1,381						1,381							1,381	2,220
Telephone	10,949		1,017	2,400	12	313	14,691	407	200	4,949		960	6,516	21,207	24,884
Travel	11,396			11,439		845	23,680		1,850	5,833		31	7,734	31,414	61,218
Overhead allocated	(11,044)			8,150			(2,894)			2,894			2,894		
	74,774	55,000	79,494	77,032	522	23,883	310,712	37,589	11,842	42,992		2,161	94,585	405,297	464,635
Change in net assets	\$ (33,840)	\$ 55,000	\$ (9,494)	\$ (74,255)	\$ 502	\$ 14,718	\$ (47,369)	\$ 12,411	\$ 3,158	\$ 47,901	\$ 20,000	\$ 4,839	\$ 88,309	\$ 40,940	\$ 150,115

Great Lakes United—United States (continued)

Great Lakes United—Canada

GREAT LAKES UNITED CANADA, INC. STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION December 31, 1996 and 1995

<u>ASSETS</u>	<u>1996</u>	<u>1995</u>
Cash	\$ 9,683	\$ 22,573
Accounts receivable		1,924
Prepaid rent		285
Due from related companies		1,539
Equipment, net of accumulated depreciation of \$544 (\$207 - 1995)	<u>1,531</u>	<u>1,349</u>
Total assets	<u>\$ 11,214</u>	<u>\$ 27,670</u>
<u>LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</u>		
Accounts payable	\$ 201	\$ 977
Due to related companies	581	8,043
Unearned revenues		<u>4,950</u>
Total liabilities	<u>782</u>	<u>13,970</u>
Net assets:		
Unrestricted	<u>10,432</u>	<u>13,700</u>
Total net assets	<u>10,432</u>	<u>13,700</u>
Total liabilities and net assets	<u>\$ 11,214</u>	<u>\$ 27,670</u>

GREAT LAKES UNITED CANADA, INC. STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS For the Years Ended December 31, 1996 and 1995

	<u>1996</u>	<u>1995</u>
Support and revenue:		
Support and grant revenues	\$ 56,869	\$ 33,645
Interest income	251	140
Other	<u>2,845</u>	<u>11,222</u>
Total support and revenue	59,965	45,007
Operating expenses	<u>63,233</u>	<u>32,481</u>
Change in net assets	(3,268)	12,526
Net assets - beginning of year	<u>13,700</u>	<u>1,174</u>
Net assets - end of year	<u>\$ 10,432</u>	<u>\$ 13,700</u>

GREAT LAKES UNITED CANADA, INC.
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES
For the Year Ended December 31, 1996
(with comparative 1995 totals)

	General Operations	Friends of the Environment	Societe Quebecoise	Canadian Environmental Network	Total 1996	Total 1995
Revenues:						
Grants	\$ 251	\$ 3,000	\$ 5,000	\$ 48,869	\$ 56,869	\$ 33,645
Interest	251				251	140
Fund raising and other	2,845				2,845	725
Foreign exchange	<u>3,096</u>	<u>3,000</u>	<u>5,000</u>	<u>48,869</u>	<u>59,965</u>	<u>45,007</u>
Operating expenses:						
Salaries and wages				33,500	33,500	19,367
Payroll taxes and benefits		1,000	3,000	4,778	8,778	1,490
Travel			156	1,192	1,348	282
Administrative				1,277	1,277	828
Audit and legal	2,902			2,970	5,872	4,677
Bank service charges	171				171	108
Telephone			198	4,129	4,327	3,015
Printing, photocopying and other	2,409	28	1,092		3,529	279
Depreciation	337				337	207
Small equipment and supplies	200			380	580	228
Rent				3,105	3,105	2,000
Overhead allocation	(1,650)	450	750	450		
Other				409	409	
	<u>4,369</u>	<u>1,478</u>	<u>5,196</u>	<u>52,190</u>	<u>63,233</u>	<u>32,481</u>
Changes in net assets	<u>\$ (1,273)</u>	<u>\$ 1,522</u>	<u>\$ (196)</u>	<u>\$ (3,321)</u>	<u>\$ (3,268)</u>	<u>\$ 12,526</u>

Great Lakes United—Canada (continued)

Great Lakes United—Foundation

GREAT LAKES UNITED FOUNDATION STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION December 31, 1996 and 1995

<u>ASSETS</u>	<u>1996</u>	<u>1995</u>
Cash	\$ 5,895	\$ 27,536
Prepaid expenses	<u>146</u>	<u> </u>
Current assets	6,041	27,536
Computer equipment	1,200	-
Less accumulated depreciation	<u>200</u>	<u> </u>
	<u>1,000</u>	<u> </u>
Total assets	<u>\$ 7,041</u>	<u>\$ 27,536</u>
 <u>LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</u>		
Due to related companies	\$ 207	\$ 4,342
Unearned revenues	<u> </u>	<u>18,269</u>
Total liabilities	207	22,611
Net assets:		
Unrestricted	<u>6,834</u>	<u>4,925</u>
Total net assets	<u>6,834</u>	<u>4,925</u>
Total liabilities and net assets	<u>\$ 7,041</u>	<u>\$ 27,536</u>

GREAT LAKES UNITED FOUNDATION STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS For the Years Ended December 31, 1996 and 1995

	<u>1996</u>	<u>1995</u>
Support and revenue:		
Support and grant revenues	\$ 18,269	\$ 5,081
Contributions	3,550	2,130
Interest income	734	159
Other	<u>3,688</u>	<u>1,339</u>
Total support and revenue	26,241	8,709
Operating expenses	<u>24,332</u>	<u>7,124</u>
Change in net assets	1,909	1,585
Net assets - beginning of year	<u>4,925</u>	<u>3,340</u>
Net assets - end of year	<u>\$ 6,834</u>	<u>\$ 4,925</u>

Great Lakes United—Foundation (continued)

**GREAT LAKES UNITED FOUNDATION
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES
For the Year Ended December 31, 1996
(with comparative totals for 1995)**

	<u>General Operations</u>	<u>Laidlaw IJC Meeting</u>	<u>Total 1996</u>	<u>Total 1995</u>
Revenues:				
Grants	\$ -	\$ 18,269	\$ 18,269	\$ 5,081
Major donors	-	-	-	1,620
Donations	3,550	-	3,550	510
Interest	734	-	734	159
Fund raising and other	-	-	-	1,087
Foreign exchange	<u>3,688</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3,688</u>	<u>252</u>
	7,972	18,269	26,241	8,709
Operating expenses				
Travel	-	1,602	1,602	3,692
Administrative	14	4,500	4,514	585
Audit and legal	2,427	-	2,427	466
Contracted services	-	8,310	8,310	1,000
Telephone	-	1,144	1,144	154
Depreciation	200	-	200	-
Postage, printing and other	4,278	1,857	6,135	1,227
Overhead allocated	<u>(856)</u>	<u>856</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
	<u>6,063</u>	<u>18,269</u>	<u>24,332</u>	<u>7,124</u>
Excess of support and revenue	<u>\$ 1,909</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 1,909</u>	<u>\$ 1,585</u>

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