

2015 Annual Report



Matter of Trust Eco-Center

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Our Vision

We **envision** an optimistic future where humanity harmonizes with the environment and embraces Earth as matter of trust.

Our Mission

Our mission is to **link manmade surplus with those in need** and promote how **nature is abundance in balance**.

We identify and develop solutions for sorting waste into useful material stockpiles for redistribution within communities.

We research innovations in **renewable resources**, highlight experts, mobilize public support, and celebrate advances with enthusiasm!

We produce, collaborate and deliver local and online information, **eco-education** and transformational programs that value green career paths.

Mother Nature is a catalyst, providing for necessities, orchestrating enduring cycles, and integrating systems. We follow the lead. Intentionally, we only **concentrate on what we DO want** to see in our environment.



June 2015 in San Francisco

Our Zero Waste Flash Mob in partnership with Presidio Trust – kicks off our COP 21 program!



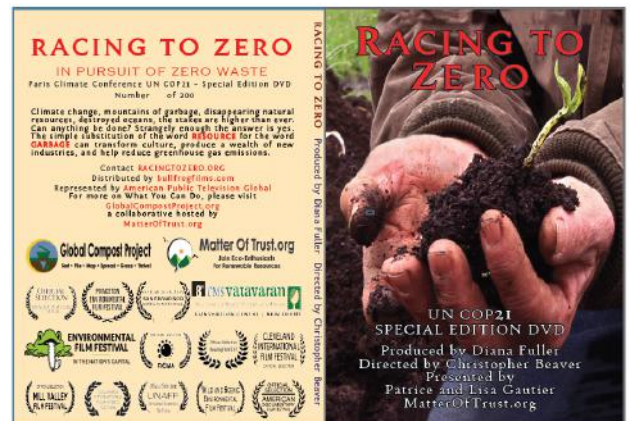
December 2015 in Paris



Lisa Gautier, Matter of Trust President, goes to UN COP 21 Paris Conference with Debbie Raphael, City of SF Environment Director.



Lisa presented Racing to Zero documentary and hosted the event: "A Toast to Compost!" at La ReCylerie in Paris during COP 21.



Our Eco-Center



2015 brought in many field trips and B'Earthday parties!



JVS Interns from John O'Connell High School



SF Environment & Friends of the Urban Forest – "Adopt a Living Tree for Christmas" program at our Eco-Center



ExcessAccess.org & our Clean Wave Program



Linking surplus with needs



California Stormwater
Quality Association

Hair donations and hair mats galore! Made great contacts at CASQA too!



LEAF ACADEMY Summer 2015! The Future is in Good Hands!



LEAF WAS A HUGE SUCCESS – AS ALWAYS!



Students and our NGO Partners always make such a great team: SF Marin Food Bank, Glide's Free Meals Program, SPAWN watershed, Mickey Murch's Farm... Thanks to Todd Ditto for all his great, inspirational work!



Global Compost Project



Carbon, Compost, Climate
June 18th - 21st, 2015



Have you made your pledge to compost? Join visitors on our GlobalCompostProject.org program and pop up on our new interactive map! We are working with carbon farmers and food gleaners to get all compostables out of landfills. Help us sort waste into resources! Huge thanks to Presidio Trust for letting us have our Carbon Compost Climate tent for lectures and our

Zero Waste Flash Mob
info booth!

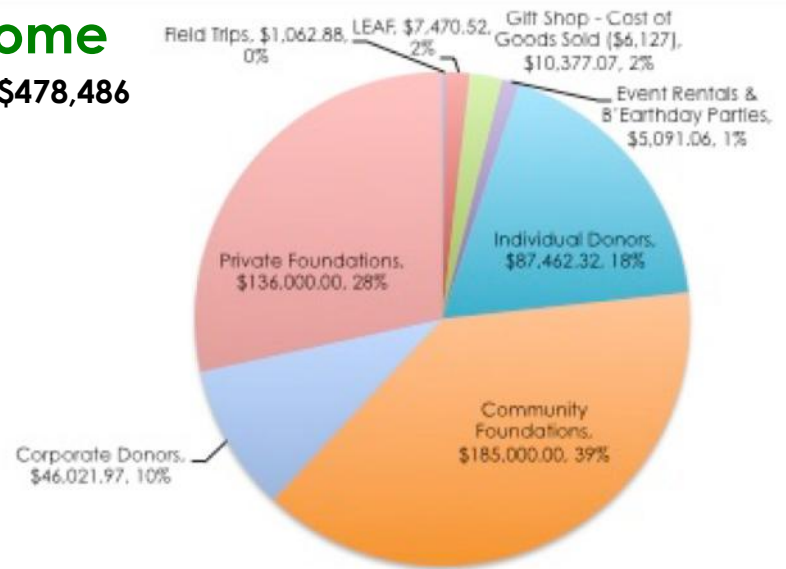




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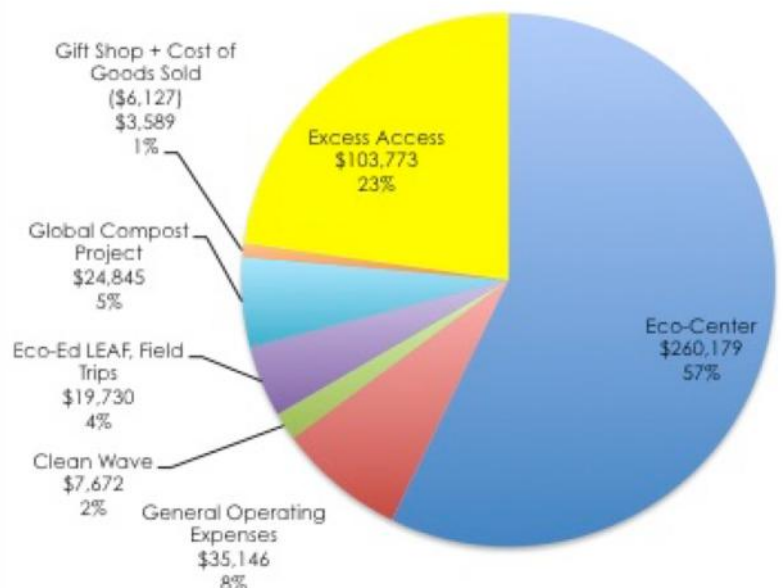
Income

Total: \$478,486



Expenses

Total: \$454,934



Our Board

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