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# Annual Report



The FRPA Foundation is committed to support professional development and education of leisure professionals, students, and citizen advocates; and to support the mission of the Florida Recreation and Park Association



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411 Office Plaza Drive Tallahassee, FL 32301-2756 850-878-3221 Fax 850-942-0712 I am pleased to present the 2015 Annual Report on behalf of the Board of Trustees of the FRPA Foundation, who continue to have as their priority reinvesting in the parks and recreation professional and the profession.

The Foundation continued to have a presence at the FRPA Annual Conference, state workshops, and the Agency Summit. We were also pleased to have been able to continue our sponsorship of the Abrahams Academy for Leadership Excellence and the Emerging Leaders Institute, reducing the registration costs to participants by nearly \$250 each.

We continued the Silent Auction, and included the Exhibit Hall vendors as in the previous year. Participation from the vendors increased this year, and we hope that this format continues to grow. The Silent Auction continues to be one of the primary fund raising activities facilitated by the Board of Trustees. A special thank you to all of those who donated items, as well as to those who purchased items.

Funds generated through donations and the auction provided the opportunity to again support the priorities of the FRPA. In an effort to continually assess the Foundation's purpose and goals, the Board of Trustees engaged a strategic analyst to facilitate a discussion about the future of the Foundation. The result of that dialogue was agreement to decrease the size of the Board which will occur in 2016, and a continual effort to assess the relevance of the Foundation relative to the fund raising capacity that exists. This is in keeping with the fiduciary responsibility of our Board of Trustees.

I invite you to celebrate the success of this past year, and join with us to ensure that the Foundation remains strong.

Sincerely,

Alice Conkey, President Board of Trustees

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# **Annual Auction Raises \$16,523**

Italic print indicates and auction donor

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**ACTIVE Network** Adam Rossmell

Amelia National Golf & Country Club

Amelia River Cruise American Carnival Mart

Angela Walker

Anna Maria Dream Inn Apollo Sunguard Systems, Inc.

**Barker Specialty Company** 

**Becky Gunter** 

Best Western Orlando

Biltmore Hotel

**Bliss Products and Services** 

Blue Man Group **Bob DeCouto** 

Bonaventure Country Club

**Brian Benton Brie Ondercin** 

**Broward County Parks and Recreation** 

Burkhardt Construction, Inc. **Buttleman's Sporting Goods** 

Caleb Gunter Cathie Schanz Chris Rhody **Christine Heubel** 

City of Orlando Pottery Studio

City of Plantation

**Commercial Energy Specialists** Coral Ridge Country Club **Courtney Kanistras** 

Courtyard by Marriott, Melbourne

Craig Dolan

Crandon Golf Course

Dave Ramirez **David Andrews** David Vazquez **Dawn Williams** 

Daytona Beach Residence Inn

**Debbie Robinson** Diane Cox **DOGIPOT** 

**Dominica Recreation Products** 

Don Decker

**Dubsdread Golf Course** 

**Elaine Smith Eleanor Warmack** Electro-Mech Scoreboard

**Embassy Suites Orlando North** 

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Fernandina Beach Golf Club

Florida Playstructures & Water

**Features** 

Florida Sports Foundation Florida Nursery Growers & Landscape Association

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GAI Consultants, Inc. / Community

**Solutions Group** Gill ID Systems **Ginger Bickett-Fox Grady Brown Gregory Premer** Hallie Vissagio

Hampton Inn and Suites Heather Erickson

Hillsborough County Parks and

Recreation

Holiday Inn Express & Suites

Hubbard's Marina I Fly Orlando

Jeff Pohlman

Ironwood Golf Course

Jefferson Geimer Jennifer Giessler Joan Byrne Joe Finnegan John Engh Jonathan Hale Jose Acosta Joy Robinson Kathy Cahill Kayak Amelia **Kemper Sports Kennedy Space Center** 

Korkat Larry Ferguson

Leah Hoffman

Leesburg Concrete Company, Inc. **LEGOLAND Florida Resort** 

Leslie Whitmer **Lincoln Aquatics** Linda Probert

Littlejohn, an S&ME Company

Marci Reedv Marcia Bowen **Marion County** Marisa Ostanek Mark Abdo Mark Miller Mark Richardson Michael Washington Michelle Dean Michelle Park Michelle Yoder Michelle Zimmer Mideavil Times Missy Kitts

Musco Sports Lighting

Museum of Discovery and Science

Nan Voit Nancy Taback National Flag Football **Nicolette Davis** 

No Fault Sport Group LLC **Public Restroom Company** 

Rain Bird

**Rainbow Turf Products** Science Services Recreation Sports, Inc. Recreonics, Inc. Rene Connors

Residence Inn Amelia Island Residence Inn by Marriott

**Robert Diersing** Sarah Kirchberg **SCORE Sports** Scott Hampton Scrub Island Resort **Shorty Robbins** Sirata Beach Resort Site Horizons Stephen Rodriguez Steve Pohlman

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Suzanne McAllister **Symbiont Service Corp** 

**Tess Simpson** The Honda Classic The Parking Spot The Salty Pelican Tim Leiwig Tim Waln Todd Irby

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**Troy Cox** 

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Victory Casino Cruises

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Zoo Miami

# Reinvestment in the Profession

# Joe Abrahams Academy for Leadership Excellence



# and Emerging Leaders Institute



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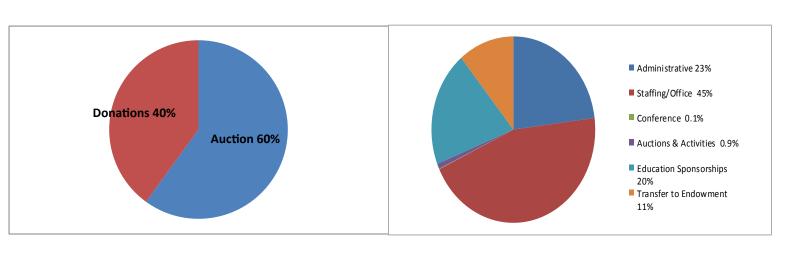
### FRPA FOUNDATION ASSETS

	December 31, 2014	December 31, 2015
CHECKING ACCOUNT	\$ 25,606	\$ 30,762
ENDOWMENT FUND	\$ 165,715	\$ 163,417
STAVRES SCHOLARSHIP FUND	<u>\$ 9.,359</u>	\$ 9,359
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 200,680	\$ 203,538
SOURCE OF FUNDS	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>
AUCTION AND ACTIVITIES	\$ 16,569	\$ 16,523
DONATIONS (ANNUAL GIVING)	<u>\$ 13,107</u>	<u>\$ 11,009</u>
TOTAL	\$ 29,676	\$ 27,552
<u>USE OF FUNDS</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>
ADMINISTRATIVE*	\$ 3,957	\$ 4,967
STAFFING/OFFICE SPACE COSTS	\$ 10,000	\$ 10,000
CONFERENCE	\$ 2,789	\$ 64
AUCTION AND ACTIVITIES	\$ 762	\$ 551
JOE ABRAHAMS ACADEMY**	\$ 7,000	
EMERGING LEADERS INSTITUTE**	\$ 2,000	
TRANSFER TO ENDOWMENT		\$ 2,500
WORKSHOP SPONSORSHIPS		\$ 4,313
TOTAL	\$ 26,508	\$ 22,395

<sup>\*</sup>Administrative includes costs such as postage, printing, telephone, insurances, accounting, banking fees; and strategy consultant in FY 15.

### FRPA FOUNDATION SOURCE OF FUNDS 2015

### **FRPA FOUNDATION USE OF FUNDS 2015**



<sup>\*\*</sup>The Abrahams Academy and Emerging Leaders programs were deferred until January 2016, so no sponsorship was made in FY 15

# **RECOGNITION OF 2015 DONORS**

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Caleb Gunter Julia Thompson

Christine Heubel Nan Voit

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### A Challenge:

Join us to ensure that Florida remains the leader in funding, conducting and implementing research and knowledge supporting the advancement of the parks, recreation and leisure services profession.

### **Foundation Contribution Form**

Yes, I would like to support the efforts of the FRPA Foundation, Inc. Please accept my tax deductible contribution as my commitment to the Foundation and it's goals.



Donor Program	Category	
Navel	\$ 1 - 99	
Valencia	\$ 100-249	
Tangelo	\$ 250-499	
Bird of Paradise	\$ 500-999	
Orchid	\$ 1000-1999	
Gardenia	\$ 2000-2999	
Azalea	\$ 3000-3999	
Oleander	\$ 4000-4999	
Washington Palm	\$ 5000-9999	
Royal Palm	\$ 10000-19999	
Coconut Palm	\$ 20000-29999	
Sabal Palm	\$ 30000-49999	

### Your donation supports the following priorities:

Joe Abrahams Academy for Leadership Excellence,
Emerging Leaders Institute,
It Starts In Parks Initiative,
Scholarships
Keynote Speakers at the FRPA Conference

Name in which contribution is to be recorded:		
Address:		
City/ State/ Zip Code:		
Phone Number with area code:		
Donation Amount:		
Method of Payment  ☐ Cash/Check ☐ Visa	☐ MasterCard	
Name on Credit Card		Return Contributions to:
Credit Card Number		FRPA Foundation, Inc. 411 Office Plaza Drive
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