

# Florida Market Assistance Plan

# **Financial Statements**

Years Ended December 31, 2021 and 2020



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# Independent Auditor's Report

Board of Governors Florida Market Assistance Plan Tallahassee, FL

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Florida Market Assistance Plan (The Plan), which comprise the statements of financial position as of December 31, 2021 and 2020, and the related statements of activities and changes in net assets, and statements of cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of The Plan as of December 31, 2021 and 2020, and the changes in its net assets and cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of The Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

#### Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about The Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date that the consolidated financial statements are available to be issued.



#### Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not absolute assurance, and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due
  to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such
  procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures
  in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit
  procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an
  opinion on the effectiveness of The Plan's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is
  expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about The Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.



#### Other Matters

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion of the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The additional information included in the Supplemental Schedule of General and Administrative Expenses of the Plan for the Years Ended December 31, 2021 and 2020 on page 9 are presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and related directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted by the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statement as a whole.

Dixon Hughes Goodman LLP

Tampa, FL May 26, 2022

	2021		2020	
ASSETS Cash	\$	801,632	\$	721,145
Total assets	\$	801,632	\$	721,145
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS Liabilities: Due to Citizens Property Insurance Corporation  Total liabilities	\$	30,845 30,845	\$	39,676 39,676
Net assets: Unrestricted net assets		770,787		681,469
Total liabilities and net assets	\$	801,632	\$	721,145

See accompanying notes. 4

## Florida Market Assistance Plan Statements of Activities and Changes in Net Assets Years Ended December 31, 2021 and 2020

	2021	
Revenues: Assessments	\$ 256,500	\$ 253,350
Total revenues	256,500	253,350
Expenses: General and administrative expenses	167,182	177,845
Total expenses	167,182	177,845
Change in unrestricted net assets	89,318	75,505
Net assets, beginning of year	681,469	605,964
Net assets, end of year	\$ 770,787	\$ 681,469

See accompanying notes. 5

# Florida Market Assistance Plan Statements of Cash Flows Years Ended December 31, 2021 and 2020

		2021		2020	
Cash flows from operating activities: Assessments collected	\$	256,500	\$	253,350	
Operating expenses paid	<del></del>	(176,013)	Ψ ———	(182,156)	
Net cash provided by operating activities		80,487		71,194	
Cash, beginning of year		721,145		649,951	
Cash, end of year	\$	801,632	\$	721,145	
Reconciliation of change in net assets to net cash provided by operating activities:  Change in unrestricted net assets		89,318		75,505	
Adjustment to reconcile change in net assets to net cash provided by operating activities:					
Due to Citizens Property Insurance Corporation		(8,831)		(4,311)	
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$	80,487	\$	71,194	

See accompanying notes. 6

#### **Notes to Financial Statements**

#### 1. Organization and Significant Accounting Policies

#### Organization

The Florida Market Assistance Plan (the Plan) was created by the Florida legislature in 1985 (Florida Statutes, Section 627.3515) to assist consumers who are unable to procure property and casualty insurance coverage from authorized insurers in the private market. The enabling Statute also provides for the Plan to assist in the removal of risks from Citizens Property Insurance Corporation (Citizens) that can be placed in the private market. Each person serving as a member of Citizens' Board of Governors also serves as a member of the Board of Governors of the Plan. As more fully described in Note 2, Related Party Transactions, the Plan is considered to be a financially interrelated entity of Citizens.

#### Basis of Reporting

The Plan prepares its financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) promulgated by the Financial Accounting Standards Board Accounting Standards Codification (ASC or the guidance).

#### Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

### Cash

Cash includes demand deposits and is carried at cost, which approximates fair value. The Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) insures amounts on deposit with each financial institution up to limits as prescribed by law. The Plan may hold funds with financial institutions in excess of the FDIC insured amount; however, the Plan has not experienced any losses in such accounts and management believes it is not exposed to any significant credit risk on cash.

#### Revenue Recognition

The Plan's revenues consist of annual assessments on residential insurers and funding provided by Citizens. Assessments are recorded as revenue in the period in which they are levied and due. Funding provided by Citizens related to Plan deficits, if any, is recorded as part of unrestricted net assets in the period to which it applies.

#### Income Taxes

The Plan is exempt from Federal income tax under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(6) except for tax on unrelated business income. The Plan did not have unrelated business income for December 31, 2021 and 2020.

### 2. Related Party Transactions

The Plan is an entity related to Citizens through the maintenance of a service level agreement. Citizens maintains the Plan's database and computer systems, prepares necessary reports, and provides accounting and other financial services, office space and all other services deemed necessary to carry out the Plan's statutory purpose. Costs incurred for these expenses are reimbursed quarterly to Citizens. Section 627.3515, Florida Statutes provides that the Plan shall be funded through payments from Citizens and annual assessments of residential property insurers. Citizens funds any deficit incurred by the Plan in performing its statutory purpose if the annual assessments are insufficient to cover such costs.

At December 31, 2021 and 2020, the Plan has recorded a net amount due to Citizens of \$30,845 and \$39,676, respectively.

#### 3. Subsequent Events

Management has evaluated subsequent events for disclosure and recognition through May 26, 2022, the date on which these financial statements were available to be issued. There were no subsequent events through the evaluation date that merit disclosure or would have a material impact to the financial statements of the Plan.



Supplementary Information

## Florida Market Assistance Plan Supplemental Schedule of General and Administrative Expenses Years Ended December 31, 2021 and 2020

	2021		2020	
Customer care center services	\$	83,941	\$	89,692
Salaries and benefits		59,425		66,784
Telephone and communications		1,982		2,769
Legal and accounting		18,600		18,600
Other expenses		3,234		
Total general and administrative expenses	\$	167,182	\$	177,845