

# E L I J A H R I S I N G

September 2, 2020

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RE: Audited Financial Statements

Dear Sir or Madam,

In the eight-year history of Elijah Rising, the organization has experienced steady growth, relying upon the generosity of individuals and donor-advised foundations. We have been blessed to be entrusted with independent funds from donors, churches, businesses, and said foundations and seek to maximize these gifts by being fiscally conservative.

In 2018 the organization's executive leadership sought to increase our fiscal transparency through an external audit. However, we were advised by a partner at Blazek & Vetterling, the city's premier non-profit CPA firm, as well as our Board of Directors, that our annual revenue did not warrant an audit at this time. That said, Elijah Rising has continued to move towards increased fiscal accountability and transparency through internal preparation for an audit (expected in 2021) as well as increased internal controls.

Elijah Rising is committed to fiscal transparency and accountability and as such has an open book policy to any supporter who wishes to inquire about the usage of funds. Annually, we publish a report including these figures and post our annual 990s online for public access.

Respectfully,



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