



# HILLSBORO food co-op

# ANNUAL REPORT

# 2016



## Apples 'n' Pears Giveaway

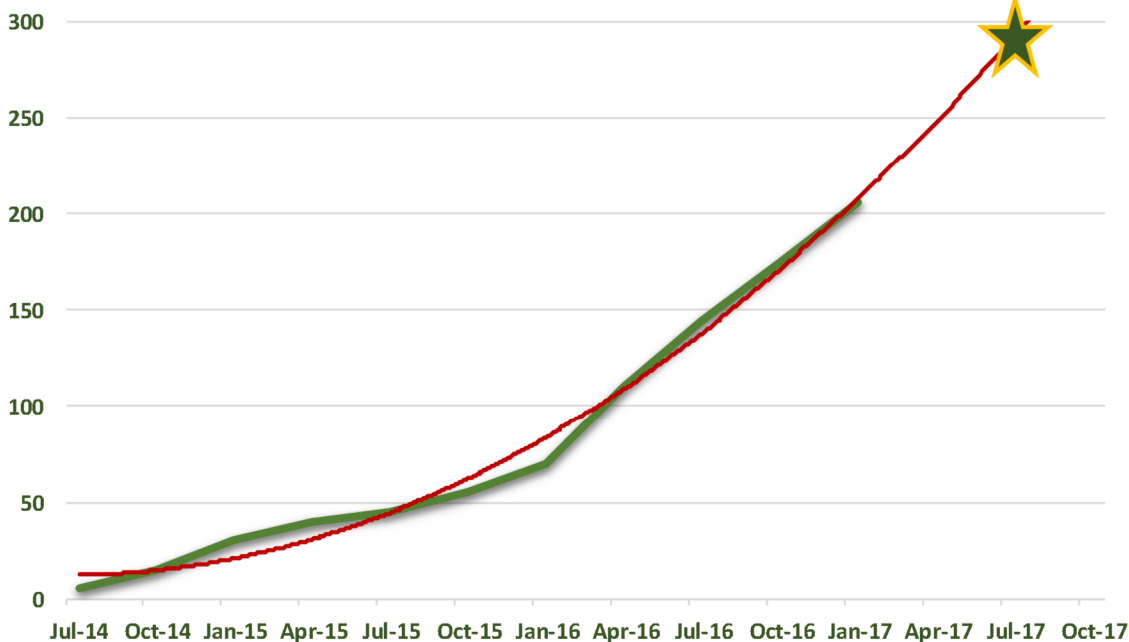
And the winner is...  
Member-Owner  
#151!  
Congratulations,  
Robert!



# Hillsboro Food Co-op Member-Owners\*

Clay Andrew	Linda Clarkson	Jon Gonzales	Nathan Komar	Elisa Joy Payne	Michele Stead
Jen Andrew	Cece Clitheroe	Meara Gordanier	Sierra Koral	Kelly Payne	Josh Steinhurst
Henry Aribisala	Elizabeth Cole	Noella Grady	Amy Larson	Jonathan Pearce	Janica Stewart
Debra Ashe	Liz Connor	Joann Graham	Sherry Larson	Sarah Pearce	Gregory Sweeney
Sarah Ball	Jim Conroy	Janice Grammer	Barbara Lawrence	Leah Perkins-Hagele	Jason Talbot
Sara Bangs	Megan Corvus	Kevin Green	Shannon Liedtke	Justin Peterson	Kimberly Talbot McCoy
Rita Barton	Cindy Cosenzo	Patricia Green	Patricia Logan	Karin Pfeiffer-Hoyt	Elizabeth Tarr
Kylie Bayer-Ferterrer	Marshall Crabtree	Colleen Hampton	Phillip (Max) Loving	Rose Potter	Sally Thornton
Joan Bellinger	Kimberly Culbertson	David Hatcher	Hilarie Maldonado	J. Kristi Proctor	Tom Tiernan
Laura Benjamin	Mike Dana	Gloria Hatrick	Melissa Marcum	Kevin Proctor	Ashley Tjaden
Lisa Beverlin	Marybeth Danielson	Jana Hein	Amanda Martin	Ward Ramsdell	Andrea Trautwein
Catherine Bice	Randy Darnell	Nancy Hertert	Dan Martin	Chris Reichen	Arleen Trott
Bill Bickford	Cindy Dauer	Faun Hosey	John Martin	Stephanie Reynolds	Larry Unger
Barry Bolding	Pam Davis	Caitlin Hoskins	Brenda McCoy	Sydney Richey	Donna Urban
Miriam Bolding	Angela Derr	Jenny Houston	Dana Meadows	Robert Rineer	Annee von Borg
Jessica Bookout	Anne Dewing	Jeffrey Howerton	Joan Ploem Miller	Jeanne-Marie Ritter	Larry Weber
Lark Brandt	Gina Dimmitt	Chelsea Hubbs	Sabra Mischel	Heather Robinson	Dawn Weinberger
Yulia Brockdorf	Jessica Dorsey	Mary Hultins	Luke Mitchell	Matilda Rodriguez Ortiz	Angela Welch
Melissa Brue	Kelly Douglas	Aggie Inman	Michelle Mitchell	Theresa Rosatti	Maureen Welter
Peggy Burnett	Lorena Dreyer	Brandon Iwasaki	Linda Mokler	Alice Rose	Deborah Wheatley
Nate Burt	Gregory Eastman	Tina Jacobsen	Chastidy Moser	Debby Roth	Carrie Williams
Carla Caesar	Janamarie Elison	Mauricia Jobe	Linda Mummy	DiAnne Rowe	Jay Williams
Adam Cahill	Amanda Evans-Healy	Maegan Jossy	Mark Mummy	Lupe Salazar	Liz Winsche
Joan Callaway	Caroline Evridge	Betsy Julian	Fred Nachtigal	Erin Sharwell	Eleni Woldeyes
Steve Callaway	Joyce Felton	Jerri Kelley	Gayle Nachtigal	Margaret Shuler	Michael Wood
Nancy Caranica	Cristal Finley	Mark Kenzer	Jeff Nelson	P. Lance Shuler	
Diane Carroll	Kelly Fishback	Jerri Kerr	Kendra Neveln	Saira Siddiqui	
Dana Carstensen	Julio Galian	Julie Keys	Rebecca Nevers	Adam Simantel	
Dale Case	Stacey Gardner	Alexa Kim	Laura Newton	Karen Smith	*Those who have asked
Julie Case	Angela Gifford	Jessica Kim	Aaron Nichols	Matthew Smith	that their names not be
John Checkal	Marci Glenn	Nora King	Justin Norman	April South	used in promotional
Kent Christopher	Beth Godfrey	Ruth Klein	Christina Olsen	Hoben Spalding	materials have
Tarri Christopher	Crystal Gonzales	John Knowles	Tobi Page	Susan Statler	been excluded.

## Goal = 300 Member-Owners



## FOUNDING 300 MEMBER-OWNERS

We appreciate our founding member-owners for planting the seed that will grow into a grocery store. For their visionary leadership, the first 300 member-owners will have their names incorporated into artwork in the store.

Our member-owners are making history, and Hillsboro Food Co-op shoppers will be able to remember and thank them throughout the years!

## A Note from the Board of Directors:

We are very happy and encouraged as we bring you, our Member-Owners, news of our advances, activities, and evolution since our last report out. We've come to the end of another year of progress, reaching over 200 member-owners by the end of 2016. While we did not meet our highly ambitious goal of reaching our ultimate target by the end of the year, our momentum was spectacular during the second half of the year. At this pace, we are sure to hit our target this year. With your support and inspiration, in fact, we are sure to exceed our goal and be entering the next phase of our development by this time next year.

We remain steadfastly focused on our goal—to increase access to local, healthy, sustainable food - and to make it as affordable as possible. With the foundation coming together, and the relationships we are building within our community, we believe we are on course to pursue the Feasibility Stage of the project in the coming months, the stage in which we explore market feedback, site options, and a business plan. In the meantime, we continue to build relationships with local farms and farmers and members of the community through outreach, a regular presence at the Hillsboro Famers' market, partnerships with CSA's and support of the City of Hillsboro.

We have also asked our Member-Owners what they are looking for in a Co-op and we continue to pursue projects that offer community engagement, such as Farm visits and Skill Share Workshops. We welcome any ideas that will help move the project forward and we encourage you all to reach out to us through the website or Facebook.

As your Board of Directors, it is our job to serve you. As a community cooperative it is the job of each Member-Owner to be an active participant. We look to each of you for feedback, direction, and support, and we appreciate it more than we can say. You are the momentum, you are the vision, and you are the community. Thank you for all you do for the future of the Hillsboro Food Co-op!

The 2016 Board—

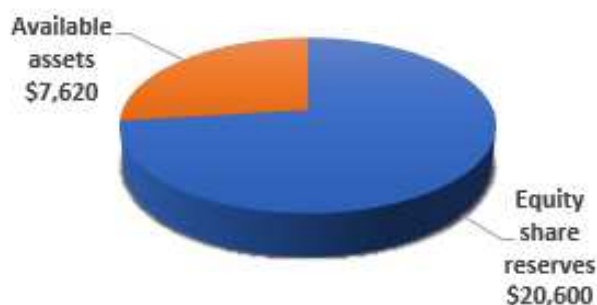
EJ Payne, Carrie Williams, Adam Simental, Dale Case, Jon Gonzales, Brandon Iwasaki, Heather Robinson, Karen Smith



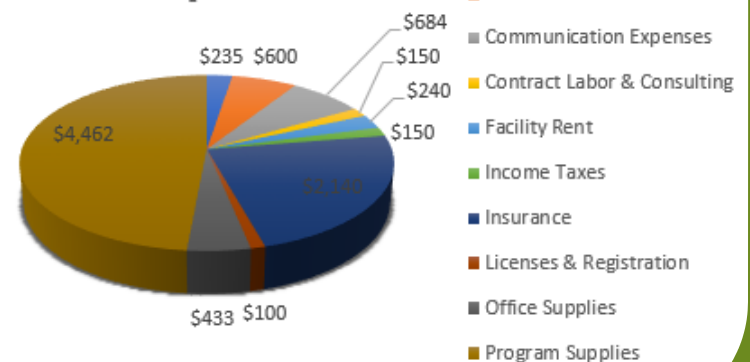
## Financial Summary

The co-op's current cash position is good and we are moving forward to increase our assets through grant applications and a small capital campaign in 2017. We will continue to spend frugally and hope that we will be continue to be supported by contributions from community members and businesses who have provided event space, items for sale, in-kind services, cash donations, and more. We look forward to continued financial success in the coming year!

### Current Assets



### 2016 Expenses



# 2016 HIGHLIGHTS

## ENGAGING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

- Five House Parties bringing in 1-3 members each
- Successful February Food Drive
- Big showing at the St. Patrick's Day Parade
- Spring Ivy Basket Weaving Workshop
- Farmers' Markets galore (May-October)
- Fabulous Farm Tours
- Skill Sharing Events
- Fantastic Fall Rummage Sale
- 2nd Annual Member-Owner Meeting & Elections - Filled board of eight

206 Member-Owners  
849 E-News Subscribers  
1222 Facebook Followers

## MEMBER-OWNER PERKS

- \* Access to an Azure Standard drop-site in Hillsboro
- \* Discounts at Jossy Farms and Vintage Variety
- \* Two free weeks with Stoneboat Farm Membership
- \* Free Hillsboro Co-op tote bag
- \* Pride of ownership, and so much more!



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## Milestone Memberships 2016!!!

We began the year with 70 member-owners  
3/21/2016 - 100 member-owners (Jason Talbot)  
7/23/2016 - 150 member-owners (Joan Callaway)  
12/29/2016 - 200 member-owners (Kevin Proctor)

## Super Progress!

In 2016, the Board was able to establish an Outreach Team, a Business Team, an Operations Team, and a Finance Committee thanks to the commitment of our member-owners!

