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MESSAGE FROM OUR FOUNDER



The digital divide refers to the gap in prosperity and upward mobility between those who are able to benefit from the Digital Age and those who are not. People without access to computers, the Internet, or other information and communication tools are at a distinct socio-economic disadvantage. They are less able to access information, learn new skills, or participate democratically. The

Covid-19 pandemic exacerbated the digital divide, with many people forced to work or school from home the digital divide was widened.

Tech F.I.N. believes that the high cost of computer hardware is one of the key reasons the digital divide persists today. We firmly believe computers should be as commonplace in the home as kitchen appliances. In leveraging a solution that is both environmentally sustainable and cost-effective, Tech F.I.N. helps to narrow the digital divide by sourcing used computers from corporations, revitalizing these machines, and donating them to low-income households. We do this with the help of our non-profit community partners, who work closely with these families on an ongoing basis and can nominate appropriate recipients.

We thank the many corporations who have donated machines and partnered with us to reduce the e-waste from their upgrade cycles. Their efforts have directly benefited the lives of thousands simply by making the choice to allow their hardware to have a second life.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Nigel Frankson', written in a cursive style.

NIGEL FRANKSON
Chairman, Co-founder



OUR STORY

Friends since they first met in college playing football, Tech F.I.N.'s co-founders were each raised in families that could not afford to have a computer in the home. The resulting computer illiteracy put both Shadan Deleveaux and Nigel Frankson at a distinct disadvantage when they arrived at the University of Rochester.

The difference between having a machine in the home and not was highlighted for them again later in life as Nigel watched his mentee struggle to complete school assignments. Both men worked in the corporate world where their machines were replaced every 3 years, despite functioning nearly perfectly. Given their backgrounds, the scrapping of these computers seemed incredibly wasteful.

In 2013, Shadan and Nigel pondered; what if there were a way to redirect some of these nearly new machines from the scrapheap to the living room? Later that year, Tech F.I.N. was born to do exactly that.

OUR MISSION

Tech F.I.N. aspires to help narrow the digital divide by addressing a major hurdle to computer hardware ownership: its cost. By collecting used PC based laptop and desktop computers, in bulk, from corporations, we are able to revitalize these machines and distribute them to low-income households at no cost to them. Our solution is sustainable, scalable and cost effective.

COMMUNITY IMPACT AT A GLANCE

In 2021, as our country moved into the second year of the COVID-19 pandemic, Tech F.I.N. mobilized and had our best year yet.



14 DEPLOYMENT EVENTS

In partnerships with Hispanic Star and other non-profits, Tech F.I.N. held multiple deployment events throughout New York City and Long Island.

(4) BX | (2) BK | (1) QNS | (1) SI | (3) Manhattan | (3) LI



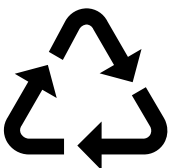
720 COMPUTERS DONATED

Tech F.I.N. provided 720 refurbished desktop computers to deserving families.



1,800 PEOPLE

Though our primary focus is to close the digital divide among our youth, once these computers are in the home it provides the entire family access to our new digital world.

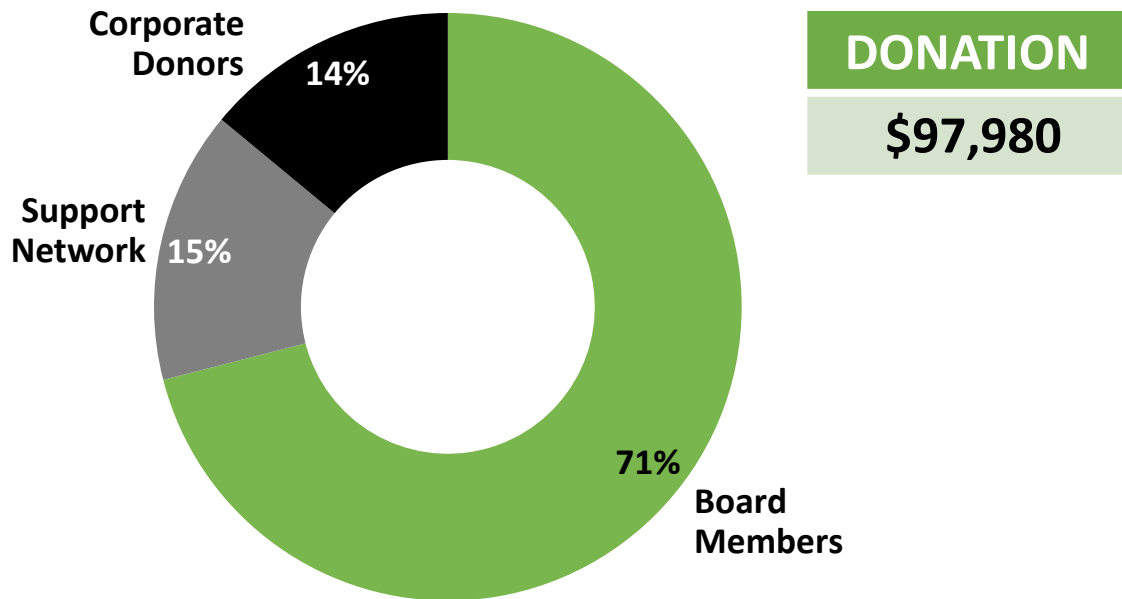


~13K LBS OF E-WASTE DIVERTED

Thanks to our corporate donors Tech F.I.N. successfully divert over 13 thousand pounds of e-waste from landfill by simply choosing to give their hardware a second life.

2021 FINANCIALS

THE FOLLOWING IS AN OVERVIEW OF TECH F.I.N.'S INCOME AND EXPENSES FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021:

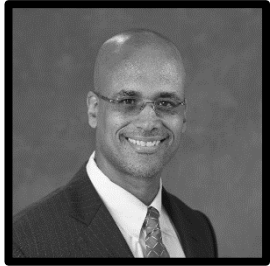


EXPENSE	COST
Supplies	\$ 29,495.14
Labor	\$ 18,419.24
Storage	\$ 15,550.88
Rent	\$ 12,516.28
S&H	\$ 6,303.63
Other	\$ 2,724.38
IT Services	\$ 2,255.01
T&E	\$ 2,053.62
TOTAL	\$ 89,318.18

PLEASE REVIEW OUR 2021 990 FORM FOR MORE INFORMATION

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Tech F.I.N.'s board is operated entirely by volunteers, having no paid officers or staff.



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Chairman, Co-founder
*Equity Research Analyst
Epoch Investment Partners*



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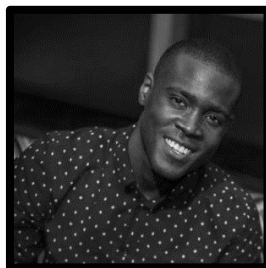
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\$1,500+

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- ✓ Kenneth Barber

SILVER

\$600-\$1,499

- ✓ Mack Fuller
- ✓ Christopher Gibson
- ✓ T. Otey Smith
- ✓ Lerone Vincent
- ✓ Caragh Lavoie

BRONZE

\$150-\$599

- ✓ Luke Frankson
- ✓ Haniff Jackson
- ✓ Jonathan Murrell
- ✓ Dr. Ogunkoya

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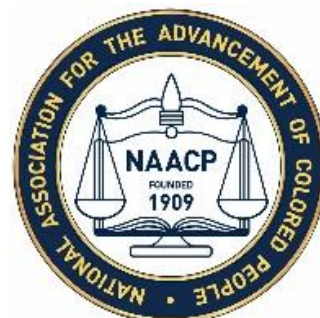


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