Form 5500

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan

This form is required to be filed for employee benefit plans under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and sections 6057(b) and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

▶ **Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.**

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Part I Annual Report Identification Information

For calendar plan year 2023 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2023 and ending 12/31/2023

A This return/report is for:
- [ ] a multiemployer plan
- [ ] a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must provide participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.)
- [X] a single-employer plan
- [ ] a DFE (specify) ____

B This return/report is:
- [ ] the first return/report
- [ ] the final return/report
- [ ] an amended return/report
- [ ] a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months)

C If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here. . . . . ▶ [ ]

D Check box if filing under:
- [X] Form 5558
- [ ] automatic extension
- [ ] the DFVC program
- [ ] special extension (enter description)

E If this is a retroactively adopted plan permitted by SECURE Act section 201, check here. . . . . ▶ [ ]

Part II Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information

1a Name of plan
CALIFORNIA CREATIVE SOLUTIONS INC 401(K) PLAN

1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

1c Effective date of plan 10/01/2020

2a Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan)
Mailing address (include room, apt., suite no. and street, or P.O. Box)
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code (if foreign, see instructions)
CALIFORNIA CREATIVE SOLUTIONS INC

13475 DANIELSON STREET
SUITE 230
POWAY, CA 92064

2b Employer Identification Number (EIN)
33-0762869

2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number
858-208-4135

2d Business code (see instructions)
561300

Caution: A penalty for the late or incomplete filing of this return/report will be assessed unless reasonable cause is established.

Under penalties of perjury and other penalties set forth in the instructions, I declare that I have examined this return/report, including accompanying schedules, statements and attachments, as well as the electronic version of this return/report, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.

SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	10/12/2024	LAURA JANSON
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	10/12/2024	LAURA JANSON
	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

3a Plan administrator's name and address [X] Same as Plan Sponsor

3b Administrator's EIN

3c Administrator's telephone number

4 If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor or the plan name has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the plan sponsor's name, EIN, the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report:

a Sponsor's name

4b EIN

c Plan Name

4d PN

5	Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	**5**	300
6	Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines **6a(1), 6a(2), 6b, 6c,** and **6d**).		
a(1)	Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year	**6a(1)**	274
a(2)	Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year	**6a(2)**	223
b	Retired or separated participants receiving benefits	**6b**	0
c	Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits	**6c**	31
d	Subtotal. Add lines **6a(2)**, **6b**, and **6c**.	**6d**	254
e	Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits.	**6e**	0
f	Total. Add lines **6d** and **6e**.	**6f**	254
g(1)	Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	**6g(1)**	223
g(2)	Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	**6g(2)**	207
h	Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested	**6h**	0
7	Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item)	**7**	

8a If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:

2E 2F 2G 2J 2K 2S 2T 3D

b If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:

9a Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply)

- **(1)** [X] Insurance
- **(2)** [ ] Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts
- **(3)** [X] Trust
- **(4)** [ ] General assets of the sponsor

9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)

- **(1)** [X] Insurance
- **(2)** [ ] Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts
- **(3)** [X] Trust
- **(4)** [ ] General assets of the sponsor

10 Check all applicable boxes in 10a and 10b to indicate which schedules are attached, and, where indicated, enter the number attached. (See instructions)

a Pension Schedules

- **(1)** [X] **R** (Retirement Plan Information)
- **(2)** [ ] **MB** (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary
- **(3)** [ ] **SB** (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary
- **(4)** [ ] **DCG** (Individual Plan Information) – Number Attached 0
- **(5)** [ ] **MEP** (Multiple-Employer Retirement Plan Information)

b General Schedules

- **(1)** [X] **H** (Financial Information)
- **(2)** [ ] **I** (Financial Information – Small Plan)
- **(3)** [X] **A** (Insurance Information) – Number Attached 1
- **(4)** [X] **C** (Service Provider Information)
- **(5)** [X] **D** (DFE/Participating Plan Information)
- **(6)** [ ] **G** (Financial Transaction Schedules)

Part III Form M-1 Compliance Information (to be completed by welfare benefit plans)

11a If the plan provides welfare benefits, was the plan subject to the Form M-1 filing requirements during the plan year? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-2.) ..... ☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes" is checked, complete lines 11b and 11c.

11b Is the plan currently in compliance with the Form M-1 filing requirements? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-2.) ..... ☐ Yes ☐ No

11c Enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the 2023 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2023 Form M-1 annual report, enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the most recent Form M-1 that was required to be filed under the Form M-1 filing requirements. (Failure to enter a valid Receipt Confirmation Code will subject the Form 5500 filing to rejection as incomplete.)

Receipt Confirmation Code_____

SCHEDULE A
(Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Insurance Information

This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.**

▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).

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2023

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A Name of plan
CALIFORNIA CREATIVE SOLUTIONS INC 401(K) PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
CALIFORNIA CREATIVE SOLUTIONS INC

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
33-0762869

Part I **Information Concerning Insurance Contract Coverage, Fees, and Commissions** Provide information for each contract on a separate Schedule A. Individual contracts grouped as a unit in Parts II and III can be reported on a single Schedule A.

1 Coverage Information:

(a) Name of insurance carrier
PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

(b) EIN	**(c)** NAIC code	**(d)** Contract or identification number	**(e)** Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year	Policy or contract year	
				(f) From	**(g)** To
42-0127290	61271	630499	254	01/01/2023	12/31/2023

2 Insurance fee and commission information. Enter the total fees and total commissions paid. List in line 3 the agents, brokers, and other persons in descending order of the amount paid.

(a) Total amount of commissions paid	**(b)** Total amount of fees paid
0	0

3 Persons receiving commissions and fees. (Complete as many entries as needed to report all persons).

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		**(e)** Organization code
	(c) Amount	**(d)** Purpose	

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		**(e)** Organization code
	(c) Amount	**(d)** Purpose	

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(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		**(e)** Organization code
	(c) Amount	**(d)** Purpose	

Part II Investment and Annuity Contract Information

Where individual contracts are provided, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

4	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end	**4**	0
5	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end	**5**	2880

6 Contracts With Allocated Funds:

a State the basis of premium rates ▶

b	Premiums paid to carrier	**6b**	
c	Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year	**6c**	
d	If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, enter amount.	**6d**	

Specify nature of costs ▶

e Type of contract: (1) ☐ individual policies (2) ☐ group deferred annuity

(3) ☐ other (specify) ▶

f If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan, check here ▶ ☐

7 Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)

a Type of contract: (1) ☐ deposit administration (2) ☐ immediate participation guarantee

(3) ☐ guaranteed investment (4) ☐ other ▶

b	Balance at the end of the previous year			**7b**	
c	Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year	**7c(1)**			
	(2) Dividends and credits	**7c(2)**			
	(3) Interest credited during the year	**7c(3)**			
	(4) Transferred from separate account	**7c(4)**			
	(5) Other (specify below)	**7c(5)**			
	▶				
	(6) Total additions			**7c(6)**	
d	Total of balance and additions (add lines **7b** and **7c(6)**)			**7d**	
e	Deductions:				
	(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year	**7e(1)**			
	(2) Administration charge made by carrier	**7e(2)**			
	(3) Transferred to separate account	**7e(3)**			
	(4) Other (specify below)	**7e(4)**			
	▶				
	(5) Total deductions			**7e(5)**	
f	Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line **7e(5)** from line **7d**)			**7f**	0

Part III Welfare Benefit Contract Information

If more than one contract covers the same group of employees of the same employer(s) or members of the same employee organizations(s), the information may be combined for reporting purposes if such contracts are experience-rated as a unit. Where contracts cover individual employees, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

8 Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

- **a** ☐ Health (other than dental or vision)
- **b** ☐ Dental
- **c** ☐ Vision
- **d** ☐ Life insurance
- **e** ☐ Temporary disability (accident and sickness)
- **f** ☐ Long-term disability
- **g** ☐ Supplemental unemployment
- **h** ☐ Prescription drug
- **i** ☐ Stop loss (large deductible)
- **j** ☐ HMO contract
- **k** ☐ PPO contract
- **l** ☐ Indemnity contract
- **m** ☐ Other (specify) ▶

9 Experience-rated contracts:				
a Premiums: (1) Amount received	**9a(1)**			
(2) Increase (decrease) in amount due but unpaid	**9a(2)**			
(3) Increase (decrease) in unearned premium reserve	**9a(3)**			
(4) Earned (**(1)** + **(2)** - **(3)**)			**9a(4)**	
b Benefit charges (1) Claims paid	**9b(1)**			
(2) Increase (decrease) in claim reserves	**9b(2)**			
(3) Incurred claims (add **(1)** and **(2)**)			**9b(3)**	
(4) Claims charged			**9b(4)**	
c Remainder of premium: (1) Retention charges (on an accrual basis) --				
(A) Commissions	**9c(1)(A)**			
(B) Administrative service or other fees	**9c(1)(B)**			
(C) Other specific acquisition costs	**9c(1)(C)**			
(D) Other expenses	**9c(1)(D)**			
(E) Taxes	**9c(1)(E)**			
(F) Charges for risks or other contingencies	**9c(1)(F)**			
(G) Other retention charges	**9c(1)(G)**			
(H) Total retention			**9c(1)(H)**	
(2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were ☐ paid in cash, or ☐ credited.)			**9c(2)**	
d Status of policyholder reserves at end of year: (1) Amount held to provide benefits after retirement			**9d(1)**	
(2) Claim reserves			**9d(2)**	
(3) Other reserves			**9d(3)**	
e Dividends or retroactive rate refunds due. (Do not include amount entered in line **9c(2)**.)			**9e**	
10 Nonexperience-rated contracts:				
a Total premiums or subscription charges paid to carrier			**10a**	
b If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, other than reported in Part I, line 2 above, report amount.			**10b**	

Specify nature of costs.

Part IV Provision of Information

11 Did the insurance company fail to provide any information necessary to complete Schedule A? ☐ Yes ☒ No

12 If the answer to line 11 is "Yes," specify the information not provided. ▶

SCHEDULE C (Form 5500)	Service Provider Information	OMB No. 1210-0110
Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.**	**2023** **This Form is Open to Public Inspection.**

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A Name of plan	**B** Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	
CALIFORNIA CREATIVE SOLUTIONS INC 401(K) PLAN		001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500	**D** Employer Identification Number (EIN)	
CALIFORNIA CREATIVE SOLUTIONS INC	33-0762869	

Part I Service Provider Information (see instructions)

You must complete this Part, in accordance with the instructions, to report the information required for **each person** who received, directly or indirectly, $5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of monetary value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or the person's position with the plan during the plan year. If a person received **only** eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures, you are required to answer line 1 but are not required to include that person when completing the remainder of this Part.

1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compensation

a Check "Yes" or "No" to indicate whether you are excluding a person from the remainder of this Part because they received only eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures (see instructions for definitions and conditions).. . . . . [X] Yes [ ] No

b If you answered line 1a "Yes," enter the name and EIN or address of each person providing the required disclosures for the service providers who received only eligible indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed (see instructions).

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

42-0127290

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

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2. Information on Other Service Providers Receiving Direct or Indirect Compensation. Except for those persons for whom you answered "Yes" to line 1a above, complete as many entries as needed to list each person receiving, directly or indirectly, $5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or their position with the plan during the plan year. (See instructions).

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

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(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
13 37 50 64	CONTRACT ADMINISTRATOR	18205	Yes [X] No [ ]	Yes [X] No [ ]	0	Yes [ ] No [X]

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
			Yes [ ] No [ ]	Yes [ ] No [ ]		Yes [ ] No [ ]

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
			Yes [ ] No [ ]	Yes [ ] No [ ]		Yes [ ] No [ ]

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

3. If you reported on line 2 receipt of indirect compensation, other than eligible indirect compensation, by a service provider, and the service provider is a fiduciary or provides contract administrator, consulting, custodial, investment advisory, investment management, broker, or recordkeeping services, answer the following questions for (a) each source from whom the service provider received $1,000 or more in indirect compensation and (b) each source for whom the service provider gave you a formula used to determine the indirect compensation instead of an amount or estimated amount of the indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed to report the required information for each source.

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	**(e)** Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	**(e)** Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	**(e)** Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	

Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

4 Provide, to the extent possible, the following information for each service provider who failed or refused to provide the information necessary to complete this Schedule.

(a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions)	**(b)** Nature of Service Code(s)	**(c)** Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide

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Part III Termination Information on Accountants and Enrolled Actuaries (see instructions)

(complete as many entries as needed)

a Name:

b EIN:

c Position:

d Address:

e Telephone:

Explanation:

a Name:

b EIN:

c Position:

d Address:

e Telephone:

Explanation:

a Name:

b EIN:

c Position:

d Address:

e Telephone:

Explanation:

a Name:

b EIN:

c Position:

d Address:

e Telephone:

Explanation:

a Name:

b EIN:

c Position:

d Address:

e Telephone:

Explanation:

SCHEDULE D (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
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Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

DFE/Participating Plan Information

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CALIFORNIA CREATIVE SOLUTIONS INC 401(K) PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

C Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
CALIFORNIA CREATIVE SOLUTIONS INC

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
33-0762869

Part I **Information on interests in MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs (to be completed by plans and DFEs)**
(Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN CORE PLUS BOND SEP ACCT-Z

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
42-0127290-005	P	2880

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRINCIPAL STABLE VALUE Z FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL GLOBAL INVESTORS TRUST CO

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
93-6274328-001	C	3081

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

c EIN-PN	**d** Entity code	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

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Part II Information on Participating Plans (to be completed by DFEs, other than DCGs)

(Complete as many entries as needed to report all participating plans. DCGs must report each participating plan using Schedule DCG.)

a Plan name

b Name of plan sponsor	**c** EIN-PN

a Plan name

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b Name of plan sponsor	**c** EIN-PN

SCHEDULE H (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Financial Information

This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.**

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2023

This Form is Open to Public Inspection

For calendar plan year 2023 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2023 and ending 12/31/2023

A Name of plan
CALIFORNIA CREATIVE SOLUTIONS INC 401(K) PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
CALIFORNIA CREATIVE SOLUTIONS INC

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
33-0762869

Part I Asset and Liability Statement

1 Current value of plan assets and liabilities at the beginning and end of the plan year. Combine the value of plan assets held in more than one trust. Report the value of the plan's interest in a commingled fund containing the assets of more than one plan on a line-by-line basis unless the value is reportable on lines 1c(9) through 1c(14). Do not enter the value of that portion of an insurance contract which guarantees, during this plan year, to pay a specific dollar benefit at a future date. **Round off amounts to the nearest dollar.** MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 1b(1), 1b(2), 1c(8), 1g, 1h, and 1i. CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 1d and 1e. See instructions.

Assets		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total noninterest-bearing cash	1a		
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)		
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)		
(3) Other	1b(3)		
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)		
(2) U.S. Government securities	1c(2)		
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)		
(B) All other	1c(3)(B)		
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)		
(B) Common	1c(4)(B)		
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)		
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)		
(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)		
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)	1145	20729
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)	319	3081
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)	4407	2880
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)		
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)		
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)	971884	1652843
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts)	1c(14)		
(15) Other	1c(15)		

		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
1d Employer-related investments:			
(1) Employer securities	1d(1)		
(2) Employer real property	1d(2)		
e Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e		
f Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f	977755	1679533
Liabilities			
g Benefit claims payable	1g		
h Operating payables	1h		
i Acquisition indebtedness	1i		
j Other liabilities	1j		
k Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through1j)	1k	0	0
Net Assets			
l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l	977755	1679533

Part II Income and Expense Statement

2 Plan income, expenses, and changes in net assets for the year. Include all income and expenses of the plan, including any trust(s) or separately maintained fund(s) and any payments/receipts to/from insurance carriers. Round off amounts to the nearest dollar. MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 2a, 2b(1)(E), 2e, 2f, and 2g.

Income		(a) Amount	(b) Total
a Contributions:			
(1) Received or receivable in cash from: **(A)** Employers	2a(1)(A)		
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)	749396	
(C) Others (including rollovers)	2a(1)(C)		
(2) Noncash contributions	2a(2)		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines **2a(1)(A), (B), (C),** and line **2a(2)**	2a(3)		749396
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	2b(1)(A)		
(B) U.S. Government securities	2b(1)(B)		
(C) Corporate debt instruments	2b(1)(C)		
(D) Loans (other than to participants)	2b(1)(D)		
(E) Participant loans	2b(1)(E)	729	
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)		
(G) Total interest. Add lines **2b(1)(A)** through **(F)**	2b(1)(G)		729
(2) Dividends: **(A)** Preferred stock	2b(2)(A)		
(B) Common stock	2b(2)(B)		
(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds)	2b(2)(C)	28264	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines **2b(2)(A)**, **(B)**, and **(C)**	2b(2)(D)		28264
(3) Rents	2b(3)		
(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: **(A)** Aggregate proceeds	2b(4)(A)		
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions)	2b(4)(B)		
(C) Subtract line **2b(4)(B)** from line **2b(4)(A)** and enter result	2b(4)(C)		0
(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: **(A)** Real estate	2b(5)(A)		
(B) Other	2b(5)(B)		
(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines **2b(5)(A)** and **(B)**	2b(5)(C)		0

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts	**2b(6)**		41
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts	**2b(7)**		181
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts	**2b(8)**		
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities	**2b(9)**		
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	**2b(10)**		220151
c Other income	**2c**		8
d Total income. Add all **income** amounts in column (b) and enter total	**2d**		998770
Expenses			
e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	**2e(1)**	278551	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits	**2e(2)**		
(3) Other	**2e(3)**	236	
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines **2e(1)** through **(3)**	**2e(4)**		278787
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	**2f**		
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions)	**2g**		
h Interest expense	**2h**		
i Administrative expenses:			
(1) Salaries and allowances	**2i(1)**		
(2) Contract administrator fees	**2i(2)**	18205	
(3) Recordkeeping fees	**2i(3)**		
(4) IQPA audit fees	**2i(4)**		
(5) Investment advisory and investment management fees	**2i(5)**		
(6) Bank or trust company trustee/custodial fees	**2i(6)**		
(7) Actuarial fees	**2i(7)**		
(8) Legal fees	**2i(8)**		
(9) Valuation/appraisal fees	**2i(9)**		
(10) Other trustee fees and expenses	**2i(10)**		
(11) Other expenses	**2i(11)**		
(12) Total administrative expenses. Add lines **2i(1)** through **(11)**	**2i(12)**		18205
j Total expenses. Add all **expense** amounts in column (b) and enter total	**2j**		296992
Net Income and Reconciliation			
k Net income (loss). Subtract line **2j** from line **2d**	**2k**		701778
l Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan	**2l(1)**		
(2) From this plan	**2l(2)**		

Part III Accountant's Opinion

3 Complete lines 3a through 3c if the opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is attached to this Form 5500. Complete line 3d if an opinion is not attached.

a The attached opinion of an independent qualified public accountant for this plan is (see instructions):

(1) [X] Unmodified **(2)** [ ] Qualified **(3)** [ ] Disclaimer **(4)** [ ] Adverse

b Check the appropriate box(es) to indicate whether the IQPA performed an ERISA section 103(a)(3)(C) audit. Check both boxes (1) and (2) if the audit was performed pursuant to both 29 CFR 2520.103-8 and 29 CFR 2520.103-12(d). Check box (3) if pursuant to neither.

(1) [X] DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 **(2)** [ ] DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d) **(3)** [ ] neither DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 nor DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d).

c Enter the name and EIN of the accountant (or accounting firm) below:

(1) Name: KNAV CPA LLP **(2)** EIN: 92-3540684

d The opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is **not attached** as part of Schedule H because:

(1) [ ] This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, DCG or MTIA. **(2)** [ ] It will be attached to the next Form 5500 pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.104-50.

Part IV Compliance Questions

4 CCTs and PSAs do not complete Part IV. MTIAs, 103-12 IEs, and GIAs do not complete lines 4a, 4e, 4f, 4g, 4h, 4k, 4m, 4n, or 5. 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 4j and 4l. MTIAs also do not complete line 4l. DCGs do not complete lines 4e, 4f, 4k, 4l, and 5, and DCGs generally complete the rest of Part IV collectively for all plans in the DCG, except as otherwise provided (see instructions).

During the plan year:

		Yes	No	Amount
a Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.)	**4a**	X		1293
b Were any loans by the plan or fixed income obligations due the plan in default as of the close of the plan year or classified during the year as uncollectible? Disregard participant loans secured by participant's account balance. (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part I if "Yes" is checked.)	**4b**		X	
c Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)	**4c**		X	
d Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)	**4d**		X	
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	**4e**	X		98000
f Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?	**4f**		X	
g Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?	**4g**		X	
h Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?	**4h**		X	
i Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	**4i**	X		
j Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked and see instructions for format requirements.)	**4j**		X	
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?	**4k**		X	
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?	**4l**		X	
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)	**4m**		X	
n If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.	**4n**			

5a Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted during the plan year or any prior plan year? [ ] Yes [X] No

If "Yes," enter the amount of any plan assets that reverted to the employer this year _____.

5b If, during this plan year, any assets or liabilities were transferred from this plan to another plan(s), identify the plan(s) to which assets or liabilities were transferred. (See instructions.)

5b(1) Name of plan(s)	**5b(2)** EIN(s)	**5b(3)** PN(s)

5c Was the plan a defined benefit plan covered under the PBGC insurance program at any time during this plan year? (See ERISA section 4021 and instructions.) ..... ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not determined

If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year _____.

SCHEDULE R (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Retirement Plan Information

This schedule is required to be filed under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

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A Name of plan
CALIFORNIA CREATIVE SOLUTIONS INC 401(K) PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
CALIFORNIA CREATIVE SOLUTIONS INC

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
33-0762869

Part I Distributions

All references to distributions relate only to payments of benefits during the plan year.

1 Total value of distributions paid in property other than in cash or the forms of property specified in the instructions **1** 0

2 Enter the EIN(s) of payor(s) who paid benefits on behalf of the plan to participants or beneficiaries during the year (if more than two, enter EINs of the two payors who paid the greatest dollar amounts of benefits):

EIN(s): 42-0127290

Profit-sharing plans, ESOPs, and stock bonus plans, skip line 3.

3 Number of participants (living or deceased) whose benefits were distributed in a single sum, during the plan year **3**

Part II Funding Information (If the plan is not subject to the minimum funding requirements of section 412 of the Internal Revenue Code or ERISA section 302, skip this Part.)

4 Is the plan administrator making an election under Code section 412(d)(2) or ERISA section 302(d)(2)? ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No** ☐ **N/A**

If the plan is a defined benefit plan, go to line 8.

5 If a waiver of the minimum funding standard for a prior year is being amortized in this plan year, see instructions and enter the date of the ruling letter granting the waiver. **Date:** Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

If you completed line 5, complete lines 3, 9, and 10 of Schedule MB and do not complete the remainder of this schedule.

6 a Enter the minimum required contribution for this plan year (include any prior year accumulated funding deficiency not waived) **6a**

b Enter the amount contributed by the employer to the plan for this plan year **6b**

c Subtract the amount in line 6b from the amount in line 6a. Enter the result (enter a minus sign to the left of a negative amount) **6c**

If you completed line 6c, skip lines 8 and 9.

7 Will the minimum funding amount reported on line 6c be met by the funding deadline? ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No** ☐ **N/A**

8 If a change in actuarial cost method was made for this plan year pursuant to a revenue procedure or other authority providing automatic approval for the change or a class ruling letter, does the plan sponsor or plan administrator agree with the change? ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No** ☐ **N/A**

Part III Amendments

9 If this is a defined benefit pension plan, were any amendments adopted during this plan year that increased or decreased the value of benefits? If yes, check the appropriate box. If no, check the "No" box. ..... ☐ **Increase** ☐ **Decrease** ☐ **Both** ☐ **No**

Part IV ESOPs (see instructions). If this is not a plan described under section 409(a) or 4975(e)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code, skip this Part.

10 Were unallocated employer securities or proceeds from the sale of unallocated securities used to repay any exempt loan? ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**

11 a Does the ESOP hold any preferred stock? ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**

b If the ESOP has an outstanding exempt loan with the employer as lender, is such loan part of a "back-to-back" loan? (See instructions for definition of "back-to-back" loan.) ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**

12 Does the ESOP hold any stock that is not readily tradable on an established securities market? ..... ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**

Part V Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

13 Enter the following information for each employer that (1) contributed more than 5% of total contributions to the plan during the plan year or (2) was one of the top-ten highest contributors (measured in dollars). See instructions. *Complete as many entries as needed to report all applicable employers.*

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires *(If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.)* Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information *(If more than one rate applies, check this box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)*
(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify):

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires *(If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.)* Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information *(If more than one rate applies, check this box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)*
(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires *(If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.)* Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

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(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires *(If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.)* Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

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(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires *(If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.)* Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information *(If more than one rate applies, check this box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)*
(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

14 Enter the number of deferred vested and retired participants (inactive participants), as of the beginning of the plan year, whose contributing employer is no longer making contributions to the plan for:

a The current plan year. Check the box to indicate the counting method used to determine the number of inactive participants: ☐ last contributing employer ☐ alternative ☐ reasonable approximation (see instructions for required attachment)	**14a**	
b The plan year immediately preceding the current plan year. ☐ Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment)	**14b**	
c The second preceding plan year. ☐ Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment)	**14c**	

15 Enter the ratio of the number of participants under the plan on whose behalf no employer had an obligation to make an employer contribution during the current plan year to:

a The corresponding number for the plan year immediately preceding the current plan year	**15a**	
b The corresponding number for the second preceding plan year	**15b**	

16 Information with respect to any employers who withdrew from the plan during the preceding plan year:

a Enter the number of employers who withdrew during the preceding plan year	**16a**	
b If line 16a is greater than 0, enter the aggregate amount of withdrawal liability assessed or estimated to be assessed against such withdrawn employers	**16b**	

17 If assets and liabilities from another plan have been transferred to or merged with this plan during the plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment ☐

Part VI Additional Information for Single-Employer and Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

18 If any liabilities to participants or their beneficiaries under the plan as of the end of the plan year consist (in whole or in part) of liabilities to such participants and beneficiaries under two or more pension plans as of immediately before such plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment ☐

19 If the total number of participants is 1,000 or more, complete lines (a) and (b):

a Enter the percentage of plan assets held as:

Public Equity: _____% Private Equity: _____% Investment-Grade Debt and Interest Rate Hedging Assets: _____%

High-Yield Debt: _____% Real Assets: _____% Cash or Cash Equivalents: _____% Other: _____%

b Provide the average duration of the Investment-Grade Debt and Interest Rate Hedging Assets:

☐ 0-5 years ☐ 5-10 years ☐ 10-15 years ☐ 15 years or more

20 **PBGC missed contribution reporting requirements.** If this is a multiemployer plan or a single-employer plan that is not covered by PBGC, skip line 20.

a Is the amount of unpaid minimum required contributions for all years from Schedule SB (Form 5500) line 40 greater than zero? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If line 20a is "Yes," has PBGC been notified as required by ERISA sections 4043(c)(5) and/or 303(k)(4)? Check the applicable box:

☐ Yes.

☐ No. Reporting was waived under 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) because contributions equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution were made by the 30th day after the due date.

☐ No. The 30-day period referenced in 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) has not yet ended, and the sponsor intends to make a contribution equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution by the 30th day after the due date.

☐ No. Other. Provide explanation._____

Part VII IRS Compliance Questions

21a Does the plan satisfy the coverage and nondiscrimination tests of Code sections 410(b) and 401(a)(4) by combining this plan with any other plans under the permissive aggregation rules? ☐ Yes ☒ No

21b If this is a Code section 401(k) plan, check all boxes that apply to indicate how the plan is intended to satisfy the nondiscrimination requirements for employee deferrals and employer matching contributions (as applicable) under Code sections 401(k)(3) and 401(m)(2).

☐ Design-based safe harbor method

☐ "Prior year" ADP test

☒ "Current year" ADP test

☐ N/A

22 If the plan sponsor is an adopter of a pre-approved plan that received a favorable IRS Opinion Letter, enter the date of the Opinion Letter 06 / 30 / 2020 (MM/DD/YYYY) and the Opinion Letter serial number Q702476A .

California Creative Solutions, Inc. 401(k) Plan

Financial Statements

December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022

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To,
The Participants and the Plan Administrator,
California Creative Solutions, Inc. 401(k) Plan

Scope and nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit

We have performed audits of the accompanying financial statements of California Creative Solutions, Inc. 401(k) Plan ("the Plan"), an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) (ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit). The financial statements comprise the statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, and the related statements of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, and the related notes (collectively referred to as the "financial statements").

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audits of the Plan's financial statements performed in accordance with ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's ("DOL") Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. As permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C), our audits need not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the Plan (investment information) by a bank or similar institution or insurance carrier that is regulated, supervised, and subject to periodic examination by a state or federal agency, provided that the statements or information regarding assets so held are prepared and certified to by the bank or similar institution or insurance carrier in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5 of the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA ("qualified institution").

Management has obtained certifications from a qualified institution as of December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, and for the years ended December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, stating that the certified investment information, as described in note 3 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Opinion

In our opinion, based on our audits and on the procedures performed as described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section —

- The amounts and disclosures in the financial statements referred to above, other than those agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

- The information in the financial statements referred to above related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

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 Auditor's responsibilities for the audits 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 ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) 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. Management's election of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit does not affect management's responsibility for the financial statements.

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 the financial statements are available to be issued.

Management is also responsible for maintaining a current plan instrument, including all plan amendments; administering the Plan; and determining that the Plan's transactions that are presented and disclosed in the financial statements are in conformity with the Plan's provisions, including maintaining sufficient records with respect to each of the participants, to determine the benefits due or which may become due to such participants.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Except as described in the scope and nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit section of our report, 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 auditor's 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.

Our audits did not extend to the certified investment information, except for obtaining and reading the certification, comparing the certified investment information with the related information presented and disclosed in the

financial statements, and reading the disclosures relating to the certified investment information to assess whether they are in accordance with the presentation and disclosure requirements of accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Accordingly, the objective of an ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit is not to express an opinion about whether the financial statements as a whole are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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- Supplemental schedules required by ERISA

The supplemental schedules of Schedule H, Part IV, Line 4i – Schedule of assets held as of December 31, 2023, and Schedule H, Part IV, Line 4a – Schedule of delinquent participant contributions for the year ended December 31, 2023, (referred to as the "supplemental information"), are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements but are supplementary information required by the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information included in the supplemental schedules, other than that agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, has been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audits of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with GAAS. For information included in the supplemental schedules that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, we compared such information to the related certified investment information.

In forming our opinion on the supplemental schedules, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedules, other than the information agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, including their form and content, are presented in conformity with the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

In our opinion—

- The form and content of the supplemental schedules, other than the information in the supplemental schedules that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, are presented, in all material respects, in conformity with the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.
- The information in the supplemental schedules related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

KNAV CPA LLP

Atlanta, Georgia
October 09, 2024

Financial Statements

Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits

(All amounts in United States Dollars, unless otherwise stated)	As at December 31, 2023	As at December 31, 2022
ASSETS		
Investments at fair value		
Mutual funds	1,652,843	971,884
Common/collective trusts	3,081	319
Pooled separate accounts	2,880	4,407
Total investments	**1,658,804**	**976,610**
Receivables:		
Notes receivable from participants	20,729	1,145
Participant contributions	-	130
Total receivables	**20,729**	**1,275**
Total assets	**1,679,533**	**977,885**
Net assets available for benefits	**1,679,533**	**977,885**

(See accompanying notes to financial statements.)

Statements of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits

(Amounts in United States Dollars, unless otherwise stated)

	For the year ended December 31, 2023	December 31, 2022
Additions to net assets attributed to:		
Investment income (loss):		
Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments	220,373	(161,845)
Interest and dividend income	28,264	15,762
Other income	8	-
Total investment income (loss)	**248,645**	**(146,083)**
Interest income on participant loans	**729**	**516**
Contributions:		
Participants	749,266	839,493
Total contributions	**749,266**	**839,493**
Total additions	**998,640**	**693,926**
Deductions from net assets attributed to:		
Benefits paid to participants	278,787	192,074
Administrative expenses	18,205	6,652
Total deductions	**296,992**	**198,726**
Net increase	701,648	495,200
Net assets available for benefits:		
Beginning of the year	**977,885**	**482,685**
End of the year	**1,679,533**	**977,885**

(See accompanying notes to financial statements)

Notes to Financial Statements

(All amounts are in United States Dollars unless otherwise stated.)

NOTE 1: DESCRIPTION OF PLAN

Effective October 01, 2020, California Creative Solutions, Inc. ("the Company/ Plan Sponsor/ Employer") established the California Creative Solutions, Inc. 401(k) Plan ("the Plan"). The following description of the Plan provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan agreement for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General

The Plan is a defined contribution plan established for the purpose of allowing Plan members to make tax-deferred contributions through voluntary payroll withholdings in order to accumulate benefits to be paid upon retirement. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA").

Eligibility

Employees become eligible to participate in the Plan after they have completed 60 days of service for the Company and have attained the age of 21. An employee who has satisfied the eligibility requirements may enter the Plan on the first day of the month coinciding with or following the date on which he or she satisfies such requirements.

Contributions

The Plan includes a provision under Internal Revenue Code ("IRC") Section 401(k) whereby participants may elect to defer pre-tax contributions or Roth 401(k) deferrals to the Plan by a specific percentage or a dollar amount from their annual compensation. Annual participant contribution amounts are limited to $22,500 and $20,500 of salary deferrals for the year ended December 31, 2023 ($30,000 for participants aged 50 years and over), and December 31, 2022 ($27,000 for participants aged 50 years and over) respectively. Participant contributions received during the years ended December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, amounted to $749,266, and $839,493, respectively.

The Company has the option to make employer matching and employer discretionary contributions towards the Plan, and such a contribution, if any, is determined by the Company's board of directors and is subject to limitations under the IRC. Upon determination of participants' contributions, the Company contributions are made to the trustee in cash. There are no employer contributions for the years ended December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022.

At the Plan administrator's discretion, a participant may deposit rollover contributions from another qualified plan. Rollover contributions are placed in the participant's account and are subject to the rules for investment established by the Plan administrator. There were no rollover contributions during the years 2023 and 2022.

Administration

California Creative Solutions, Inc. serves as the Plan administrator. The Plan administrator has the responsibility to administer the Plan for the exclusive benefit of the participants and their beneficiaries. These duties include but are not limited to, establishing procedures, maintaining records, interpreting provisions of the Plan, and making determinations regarding questions that may affect eligibility for benefits. For the years ended December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, the Plan engaged Principal Life Insurance Company as a third-party plan administrator to assist in the administration of the Plan.

For the years ended December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, Principal Trust Company ("Principal") served as the trustee of the Plan pursuant to the Plan agreement. For the years ended December 31, 2023, and December

31, 2022, Administrative Fiduciary Services Inc. ("AFS") served as a third-party plan administrator appointed by the Company and has been engaged to perform designated Plan administrator services as a 3(16) fiduciary.

The trust established on behalf of the Plan is the funding medium used for the accumulation of assets from which Plan benefits are distributed. Principal serves as the trustee of the Plan pursuant to the Plan agreement. The trustee receives all contributions made under the Plan, holds Plan assets, and pays benefits to participants as directed by the Plan Sponsor.

Plan expenses

Some expenses incurred for administering the Plan are paid by the Company, and these amounts are excluded from the Plan's financial statements. Asset and fund fees are recorded as a reduction of investment income and charged to participant accounts. Certain distribution fees and participant note fees are paid by participants as applicable.

The administrative expenses comprise:

	Year ended December 31, 2023	Year ended December 31, 2022
Contract administrator fees	18,205	6,652
Total	**18,205**	**6,652**

Participant accounts

Each participant account is credited with pre-tax and rollover contributions made by the participant, employer-matching contributions, and plan earnings. Earnings, expenses, gains, and losses on investments are allocated based on participant account balances, as defined in the Plan agreement.

Vesting

Participants are fully vested with respect to their contribution from their salaries. However, participant vesting with respect to employer matching and employer discretionary contributions made by the employer to their 401(k)-account balance is based on years of continuous service during which an employee completes at least 60 days of service with the Company. The vesting percentages are as follows:

Years of service	Percentage
Less than 1	0 %
1	20%
2	40%
3	60%
4	80%
5 or more	100%

Participants also become 100% vested upon full or partial termination of the Plan, upon reaching the normal retirement age of sixty-five years, or upon disability or death of the participant.

Any portion of a participant's account balance attributable to rollover contributions from another qualified plan is 100% vested at the time of contribution and not subject to forfeiture.

Investment options

Amounts contributed to the Plan are held in trust created under the Plan. Upon enrollment in the Plan, participants direct the investment of their contributions and the Company contributions into various investment options offered by the Plan. Participants may direct their contributions into one or more mutual funds and a money market

fund.

Notes receivable from participants

Participants may borrow from their account balances with interest based on the rates available for similar loans from commercial lending institutions. The minimum note amount is $1,000, and the maximum amount is 50% of the vested portion of a participants' account balance to a maximum of $50,000. The notes are secured by the balance in the participants' account and bear interest rates ranging from 7.50% to 10.50%, which is commensurate with local prevailing rates as determined quarterly by the Plan administrator. Principal and interest are paid ratably through payroll deductions, if available. Participants may only take out one loan at a time. As of December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, the Plan had notes receivable from participants with principal balances totaling $20,729, and $1,145, respectively, which are included with receivables in the accompanying Statement of Net Assets Available for Benefits.

Distributions

In-service withdrawals of all or a portion of a participant's vested account balance may be made by a participant after reaching age 59 and a half, or in-service withdrawals are allowed from rollover contributions at any time for any reason. Upon normal retirement at age sixty-five, disability, or death, the participant or beneficiary may receive the value of the account through a lump sum distribution.

Participants withdrawing from the Plan due to termination of employment, other than due to retirement, disability, or death, may receive the value of their vested account by transfer to another qualified plan or individual retirement account or through a lump sum distribution.

Distributions from the Plan will normally be subject to income taxes and, in certain circumstances, may also be subject to Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") penalties unless the distribution is transferred to another qualified plan or individual retirement account.

Forfeitures

Non-vested account balances of terminated employees are forfeited after five consecutive one-year breaks in service, as defined in the plan agreement. The employer may use forfeitures to first pay Plan expenses, and any left forfeiture may be used to reduce amounts otherwise required to be contributed to the Plan; if any forfeitures are still left it will be reallocated as defined in the Plan agreement. There were no forfeitures for the years ended December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022.

NOTE 2: SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of accounting

The financial statements of the Plan are prepared using the accrual method of accounting. Investments held by the Plan are reported at fair value.

Use of estimates in financial statements

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires the Plan administrator to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results may differ from those estimates. Any adjustments applied to estimated amounts are recognized in the year in which such adjustments are determined.

Risks and uncertainties

The Plan provides for various investment options in pooled separate accounts, registered investment companies (mutual funds), and common/collective trusts. The Plan's exposure to credit losses in the event of non-performance of investments is limited to the carrying value of such investments. Investment securities, in general, are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, credit, and overall market volatility risk. During the years ended December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, net appreciation (depreciation) in the value of investments totaled $220,373, and ($161,845), respectively. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for benefits, participant account balances and the statements of changes in net assets available for benefits.

Notes receivable from participants

Notes receivable from participants are measured at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Related fees are charged directly to the borrowing participant's account and are included in administrative expenses when incurred. As of December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, no allowance for credit losses has been recorded. If a participant does not make loan repayments and the Plan administrator considers the participant's loan to be in default, the failure to repay a loan will reduce the benefit the participant would otherwise be entitled to from the Plan on the terms of the Plan document.

Investment valuation and income recognition

Investments in mutual funds, common/ collective trusts, and pooled separate accounts are valued at quoted market prices or contract value, wherever applicable, as provided by the trustee. Net appreciation (depreciation) in the value of mutual funds, common/ collective trusts, and pooled separate accounts represents the change in fair value or contract value, wherever applicable, during the year, including realized and unrealized gains and losses. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. See note 5 for a discussion of fair value measurements.

Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade date basis. Interest income is recorded on an accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Net appreciation (depreciation) includes the Plan's gains and losses on investments bought and sold as well as held during the year.

Basis of fair value measurements

Level 1: Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets that are accessible at the measurements date for identical, unrestricted assets or liabilities.

Level 2: Quoted prices for similar or identical assets or liabilities in active or inactive markets, other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability and inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.

Level 3: Prices or valuations that require inputs that are both significant to the fair value measurements and unobservable.

A financial instrument's level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurements.

The Company evaluates its financial assets and liabilities subject to fair value measurements on a recurring basis to determine the appropriate level of classification as of each reporting period.

The following is a description of the valuation methods used for Plan assets measured at fair value at December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022. There were no changes in the methods used at December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022.

Mutual funds: Valued at the daily closing price as reported by the fund. Mutual funds held by the Plan are open-end mutual funds that have re-registered with the SEC. These funds are required to publish their daily net asset value (NAV) and to transact at that price. The mutual funds held by the Plan are deemed to be actively traded.

Collective trust fund and pooled separate accounts: Valued at the NAV of units of a bank collective trust. The NAV, as provided by the Trustee, is used as a practical expedient to estimate fair value. The NAV is based on the fair value of the underlying investments held by the fund, less its liabilities. This practical expedient is not used when it is determined to be probable that the fund will sell the investment for an amount different than the reported NAV. Participant transactions (purchases and sales) may occur daily. Were the Plan to initiate a full redemption of the collective trust, the investment adviser reserves the right to temporarily delay withdrawal from the trust in order to ensure that securities liquidations will be carried out in an orderly business manner.

The methods described above may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, while the Plan believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methods or assumptions to determine the fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

NOTE 3: INFORMATION CERTIFIED BY PRINCIPAL TRUST COMPANY ("TRUSTEE") *(UNAUDITED)*

The Plan administrator has elected the method of annual reporting compliance permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's ("DOL") Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Accordingly, as permitted under such election, the Plan administrator instructed the Plan's independent auditors not to perform any auditing procedures with respect to the following information certified by Principal Trust Company, the trustee, except for comparing such information certified by the trustee to information included in the Plan's financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, and supplemental schedules as of and for the year ended December 31, 2023:

	As at	
	December 31, 2023	**December 31, 2022**
Investments at fair value:		
Mutual funds	1,652,843	971,884
Common/collective trusts	3,081	319
Pooled separate accounts	2,880	4,407
Investments as certified by the trustee *(unaudited)*	**1,658,804**	**976,610**
Transactions during the year		
Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments	220,373	-161,845
Interest and dividend income	28,264	15,762
Other income	8	-

NOTE 4: INVESTMENTS

A schedule of the fair value, wherever applicable, of individual investments that comprised 5% or more of the Plan's net assets available for benefits on December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, is as follows:

	2023		2022	
Fund name	Amount in $	%	Amount in $	%
Fidelity Freedom Index 2060 Fund	468,334	28	245,683	25
Fidelity Freedom Index 2055 Fund	280,274	17	172,709	18
Fidelity Freedom Index 2050 Fund	191,702	11	97,242	10
Fidelity Freedom Index 2030 Fund	134,983	8	72,447	7
Fidelity Freedom Index 2045 Fund	111,034	7	47,909	5
Fidelity Freedom Index 2065 Fund	102,348	6	*	*
Fidelity 500 Index Fund	93,574	6	85,440	9
BlackRock Mid-Cap Growth Equity Portfolio	*	*	64,794	7
MFS Growth R6 Fund	*	*	47,754	5

*Value as at reporting date does not equal or exceed 5% of net assets.

During the years ended December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, the Plan's investments (including losses and gains of investments bought, sold, and held during the year) appreciated (depreciated) in value as follows:

	Year ended December 31, 2023	Year ended December 31, 2022
Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments	220,373	(161,845)
Interest and dividend income	28,264	15,762
Other income	8	-

NOTE 5: FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

The following tables present by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the plan investment assets at fair value as of December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022. As required by accounting standard codification ("ASC") Topic 820, Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures, investments assets are classified in their entirety based upon the lowest level of input that is significant to the fair value measurement.

2023

Description	Amount ($)	Quoted in active markets for identical assets. (Level 1)	Significant other observable inputs (Level 2)	Significant unobservable inputs (Level 3)	Others
Mutual funds	1,652,843	1,652,843	-	-	-
Common/collective trusts*	3,081	-	-	-	3,081
Pooled separate accounts*	2,880	-	-	-	2,880
Total investments	**1,658,804**	**1,652,843**	**-**	**-**	**5,961**

*Assets measured at NAV and therefore excluded from the fair value hierarchy.

		2022			
Description	Amount ($)	Quoted in active markets for identical assets. (Level 1)	Significant other observable inputs (Level 2)	Significant unobservable inputs (Level 3)	Others
Mutual funds	971,884	971,884	-	-	-
Common/collective trusts*	319	-	-	-	319
Pooled separate accounts*	4,407	-	-	-	4,407
Total investments	**976,610**	**971,884**	**-**	**-**	**4,726**

*Assets measured at NAV and therefore excluded from the fair value hierarchy.

NOTE 6: RECONCILIATION OF SCHEDULE H, FORM 5500 TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The following is a reconciliation of net assets as of December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, per Schedule H, form 5500, to net assets available for benefits per the accompanying financial statements:

		2023	2022
	Net assets available for benefits as per schedule H, form 5500	1,679,533	977,755
Add:	Participant contributions receivable	-	130
	Net assets available for benefits per financial statements	**1,679,533**	**977,885**

The following is a reconciliation of net income per Schedule H, form 5500, to the changes in net assets available for benefits per the accompanying financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022:

	2023	2022
Net income per Schedule H, form 5500	701,778	421,618
Changes in participant contributions receivable	(130)	130
Changes in excess contributions payable	-	73,452
Net increase as per financial statements	**701,648**	**495,200**

NOTE 7: INCOME TAX STATUS

For the years ended December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, the Plan Sponsor entered into a non-standardized arrangement of the Principal Life Insurance Company *Non-Standardized Pre-Approved Profit-Sharing Plan with CODA*. Principal Life Insurance Company received a favorable opinion letter from the IRS on June 30, 2020, which stated that the form of the non-standardized pre-approved profit-sharing plan and related trust was designed in accordance with applicable sections of the IRC. It is the opinion of the Plan trustee and the Plan's attorney that the Plan is in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations.

U.S. generally accepted accounting principles require the Plan management to evaluate uncertain tax positions taken by the Plan. The financial statement effects of a tax position are recognized when the position is more likely than not, based on the technical merits, to be sustained upon examination by the IRS. The plan administrator has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Plan and has concluded that as of December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, there are no uncertain positions taken or expected to be taken. The Plan has recognized no interest or penalties related to uncertain tax positions. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

NOTE 8: PARTY-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS

Principal Trust Company served as the trustee of the Plan. Principal Life Insurance Company performed services for and sold products to and managed and maintained certain investments of the Plan for which fees

are paid by the Company. Principal Life Insurance Company provides services to the plan as a third-party plan administrator for which administration fees are charged to the Plan. Administrative Fiduciary Services Inc. ("AFS") serves as a third-party plan administrator appointed by the Company and has been engaged to perform designated Plan Administrator services as a 3(16) fiduciary. Apart from this, the Company provides certain accounting, administrative, and investment management services to the Plan for which no fees are charged. Party-in-interest transactions also include loans made to participants.

Such transactions, while considered party-in-interest transactions under ERISA, are specifically exempt from the prohibition of party-in-interest transactions under ERISA.

NOTE 9: PLAN TERMINATION

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the Company has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. However, no such action may deprive any participant or beneficiary under the Plan of any vested right.

NOTE 10: DELINQUENT PARTICIPANT CONTRIBUTIONS

During the year ended December 31, 2023, due to unintentional delays, the Company failed to deposit payroll withholdings amounting to $1,066 (including loan repayment) after the time frame deemed to be within DOL regulations for timely remittances. During the year 2024, the Company corrected delinquent contributions by calculating and remitting lost earnings using DOL guidelines for late deposits.

During the year ended December 31, 2022, due to unintentional delays, the Company failed to deposit payroll withholdings amounting to $130, after the time frame deemed to be within DOL regulations for timely remittances. During the year 2023, the Company corrected delinquent contributions by calculating and remitting lost earnings using DOL guidelines for late deposits.

During the period ended December 31, 2020, due to unintentional delays, the Company failed to deposit payroll withholdings amounting to $97 (including loan repayment) after the time frame deemed to be within DOL regulations for timely remittances. During the year 2023, the Company corrected delinquent contributions by calculating and remitting lost earnings using DOL guidelines for late deposits.

NOTE 11: SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Plan evaluated all events and transactions that occurred after December 31, 2023, through the date the financial statements were available to be issued. Based on the evaluation, the Plan states that the delinquent participant contributions identified during Plan year 2023 was corrected in Plan year 2024 as per note 10.

Supplemental information

Plan name: California Creative Solutions, Inc. 401(k) Plan
EIN: 33-0762869
Plan number: 001

- Schedule H, Part IV, Line 4i - Schedule of assets as of December 31, 2023*

Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party	Description of investment, including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par, or maturity value	Amount ($)
Fidelity Freedom Index 2060 Fund	Mutual funds	468,334
Fidelity Freedom Index 2055 Fund	Mutual funds	280,274
Fidelity Freedom Index 2050 Fund	Mutual funds	191,702
Fidelity Freedom Index 2030 Fund	Mutual funds	134,983
Fidelity Freedom Index 2045 Fund	Mutual funds	111,034
Fidelity Freedom Index 2065 Fund	Mutual funds	102,348
Fidelity 500 Index Fund	Mutual funds	93,574
BlackRock Mid-Cap Growth Equity Portfolio	Mutual funds	73,058
Vanguard Mid-Cap Index Fund	Mutual funds	53,829
MFS Growth R6 Fund	Mutual funds	50,263
Fidelity Freedom Index 2040 Fund	Mutual funds	35,239
Fidelity Freedom Index 2035 Fund	Mutual funds	32,954
Vanguard Small-Cap Index Fund	Mutual funds	9,971
Federated Hermes Kaufmann Small Cap Fund	Mutual funds	5,729
Columbia Dividend Income I3 Fund	Mutual funds	4,232
Principal Stable Value Z Fund**	Common/collective trusts	3,081
Fidelity Freedom Index Income Fund	Mutual funds	3,044
Principal Global Investors Core Bond Plus Separate Acct**	Pooled separate accounts	2,880
Fidelity Freedom Index 2025 Fund	Mutual funds	2,003
Fidelity Total International Index Fund	Mutual funds	169
Fidelity Freedom Index 2020 Fund	Mutual funds	90
American Funds New World R6 Fund	Mutual funds	8
Allspring Special Mid Cap Value R6 Fund	Mutual funds	5
Total		**1,658,804**
Notes receivable from participants**		
Loan notes	Interest rates range from 7.50% to 10.50%, with various maturities	20,729

*Other schedules required by DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA have been omitted because there is no information to report.

**Party in interest as defined by ERISA.

The above information was certified by the trustee to be complete and accurate to the best of its knowledge.

See Report of Independent Auditor.

Supplemental information

Plan name: California Creative Solutions, Inc. 401(k) Plan
EIN: 33-0762869
Plan number: 001

Form 5500- Schedule H, Part IV, Line 4a – Schedule of delinquent participant contributions for the year ended December 31, 2023*

Participant contributions transferred late to the Plan**	Check here if late participants' loan repayments are included	Total that constitutes non-exempt prohibited transactions			Total fully corrected under VFCP and PTE 2002-51***
		Contributions not corrected	Contributions corrected outside VFCP	Contributions pending correction in VFCP	
$1,293	X	-	$1,293	-	-

**Refer note 10.

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***VFCP – Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program
***PTE – Prohibited Transaction Exemption

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SCHEDULE H, line 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)

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EIN 33 0762869
PLAN NUMBER 001
PLAN YEAR 01/01/2023 TO 12/31/2023

(A)	(B) Identity of issuer, borrower, lessor or similar party.	(C) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par or maturity value.	(D) Cost	(E) Current Value
	SEI TRUST COMPANY	Registered Investment Company ALLSPRING SPEC M CAP VALUE R6	$ 0.00	$ 5.29
	The American Funds	Registered Investment Company AMERICAN FUNDS NEWWORLD R6	$ 0.00	$ 7.95
	BlackRock	Registered Investment Company BlackRock Md-Cp Gr Eq K Fd	$ 0.00	$ 73,057.66
	Columbia Funds	Registered Investment Company Columbia Div Income I3 Fund	$ 0.00	$ 4,231.65
	Federated Securities Corporation	Registered Investment Company Fed Hrmes Kaufmann Sm Cp R6 Fd	$ 0.00	$ 5,728.89
	Fidelity Investments	Registered Investment Company Fidelity Frdm Idx Inc Inv Fd	$ 0.00	$ 3,044.40
	Fidelity Investments	Registered Investment Company Fidelity Frdm Idx 2025 Inv Fd	$ 0.00	$ 2,003.39
	Fidelity Investments	Registered Investment Company Fidelity Frdm Idx 2030 Inv Fd	$ 0.00	$ 134,983.08
	Fidelity Investments	Registered Investment Company Fidelity Frdm Idx 2035 Inv Fd	$ 0.00	$ 32,953.70
	Fidelity Investments	Registered Investment Company Fidelity Frdm Idx 2040 Inv Fd	$ 0.00	$ 35,238.78
	Fidelity Investments	Registered Investment Company Fidelity Frdm Idx 2045 Inv Fd	$ 0.00	$ 111,034.34
	Fidelity Investments	Registered Investment Company Fidelity Frdm Idx 2050 Inv Fd	$ 0.00	$ 191,702.04
	Fidelity Investments	Registered Investment Company Fidelity Frdm Idx 2055 Inv Fd	$ 0.00	$ 280,273.98
	Fidelity Investments	Registered Investment Company Fidelity Frdm Idx 2060 Inv Fd	$ 0.00	$ 468,334.37
	Fidelity Investments	Registered Investment Company Fidelity Frdm Idx 2065 Inv Fd	$ 0.00	$ 102,348.20

SCHEDULE H, line 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)

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EIN 33 0762869
PLAN NUMBER 001
PLAN YEAR 01/01/2023 TO 12/31/2023

(A)	(B) Identity of issuer, borrower, lessor or similar party.	(C) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par or maturity value.	(D) Cost	(E) Current Value
	Fidelity Investments	Registered Investment Company Fidelity Total Int Idx Fund	$ 0.00	$ 168.62
	Fidelity Investments	Registered Investment Company Fidelity 500 Index Fund	$ 0.00	$ 93,573.57
	Fidelity Investments	Registered Investment Company FIDELITY FRDM IDX 2020 INV FD	$ 0.00	$ 90.25
	MFS Investment Management	Registered Investment Company MFS Growth R6 Fund	$ 0.00	$ 50,262.68
*	Principal Life Insurance Company	Pooled Separate Accounts Prin Core Plus Bond Sep Acct-Z	$ 0.00	$ 2,880.46
*	Principal Global Investors Trust Co	Common/Collective Trust Principal Stable Value Z Fund	$ 0.00	$ 3,081.00
	Vanguard Group	Registered Investment Company Vanguard Mid Cap Index Adm Fd	$ 0.00	$ 53,829.29
	Vanguard Group	Registered Investment Company Vanguard Sm Cap Index Adm Fund	$ 0.00	$ 9,971.26
*	Participant Loans	Range of Interest Rates Rates Range From 7.50% To 10.50%	$ 0.00	$ 20,729.00

SCHEDULE H, line 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)