

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.	OMB Nos. 1210-0110 1210-0089 2023 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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Part I	Annual Report Identification Information
For calendar plan year 2023 or fiscal plan year beginning 09/01/2023 and ending 08/31/2024	
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.) ☐ a single-employer plan ☐ a DFE (specify) _____ ☐ 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: ☒ 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 SHEET METAL WORKERS LOCAL 218(D) DEFINED CONTRIBUTION PLAN	1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 002
		1c Effective date of plan 09/01/1995
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) TRUSTEES OF THE SMW LOCAL 218(D) DEFINED CONTRIBUTION PLAN PO BOX 68994 INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46268-0994 7440 WOODLAND DRIVE INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46278	2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) 36-4048417 2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number 800-950-6789 2d Business code (see instructions) 238220

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.	06/02/2025	RYAN KREKE
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	06/02/2025	PATRICK DURNIL
	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 ☒ 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 c Plan Name	4b EIN 4d PN
5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	5 139
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 a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2) , 6b , and 6c e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits. f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e g(1) Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) g(2) Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested.....	6a(1) 125 6a(2) 116 6b 6c 14 6d 130 6e 6f 130 6g(1) 6g(2) 130 6h
7 Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item).....	7 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 2G

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) ☐ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor	9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply) (1) ☐ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor
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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) ☐ **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 _____
- (5) ☐ **MEP** (Multiple-Employer Retirement Plan Information)

b General Schedules

- (1) ☒ **H** (Financial Information)
- (2) ☐ **I** (Financial Information – Small Plan)
- (3) ☐ **A** (Insurance Information) – Number Attached _____
- (4) ☒ **C** (Service Provider Information)
- (5) ☒ **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 C (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Service Provider 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.	OMB No. 1210-0110
		2023
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C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 TRUSTEES OF THE SMW LOCAL 218(D) DEFINED CONTRIBUTION PLAN	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 36-4048417

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.

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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).....

☒

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

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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)

HEALTHSCOPE BENEFITS

71-0847266

(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?
14	NONE	31050	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

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

NORTHWESTERN MUTUAL WEALTH MGMNT CO

23-9201805

(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?
26 27 28 50 51	NONE	30006	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

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

UNITED ACTUARIAL SERVICES INC

35-2156428

(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?
17	NONE	14500	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

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)

CALIBRE CPA GROUP PLLC

47-0900880

(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?
10	NONE	11250	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

(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?
19 51 52 15	NONE	11043	Yes ☒ No ☐	Yes ☒ No ☐	0	Yes ☐ No ☒

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

CAVANAUGH & O'HARA, LLP

37-1259635

(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?
29	NONE	7204	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
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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:

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Explanation:

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
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103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

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**b** Name of
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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.	OMB No. 1210-0110
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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)	81225	69557
(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)	89252	95335
(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)		
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)	66390	88537
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)		
(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)	15773791	14767895
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts)	1c(14)		
(15) Other	1c(15)		

1d Employer-related investments:		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
(1) Employer securities	1d(1)		
(2) Employer real property	1d(2)		
e Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e	1468	4177
f Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f	16012126	15025501
Liabilities			
g Benefit claims payable	1g		
h Operating payables	1h	4140	
i Acquisition indebtedness	1i		
j Other liabilities	1j	5417	10090
k Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j)	1k	9557	10090
Net Assets			
l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l	16002569	15015411

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)	743040	
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)		
(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)		743040
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	2b(1)(A)	5406	
(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)		
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)		
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		5406
(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)	473172	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B), and (C)	2b(2)(D)		473172
(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)		
(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)		

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts.....	2b(6)		1878
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts.....	2b(7)		
(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)		2260064
c Other income	2c		22670
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		3506230

Expenses

e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	4376186	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits.....	2e(2)		
(3) Other	2e(3)		
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines 2e(1) through (3)	2e(4)		4376186
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)	41043	
(3) Recordkeeping fees.....	2i(3)		
(4) IQPA audit fees.....	2i(4)	11250	
(5) Investment advisory and investment management fees	2i(5)	30006	
(6) Bank or trust company trustee/custodial fees	2i(6)		
(7) Actuarial fees	2i(7)	14500	
(8) Legal fees	2i(8)	7782	
(9) Valuation/appraisal fees	2i(9)		
(10) Other trustee fees and expenses	2i(10)		
(11) Other expenses	2i(11)	12621	
(12) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (11)	2i(12)		117202
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		4493388

Net Income and Reconciliation

k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d	2k		-987158
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) ☒ 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) ☐ 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: **CALIBRE CPA GROUP, PLLC**

(2) EIN: **47-0900880**

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.)		☒	
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.)		☒	
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.)		☒	
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.)		☒	
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	☒		500000
f Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?		☒	
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?		☒	
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?		☒	
i Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	☒		
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.)		☒	
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?		☒	
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?		☒	
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)		☒	
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.		☒	

5a Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted during the plan year or any prior plan year? ☐ Yes ☒ 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 _____.



**SHEET METAL WORKERS' LOCAL 218(D)
DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN**

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

AUGUST 31, 2024



**SHEET METAL WORKERS' LOCAL 218(D)
DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN**

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
AND SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

YEARS ENDED AUGUST 31, 2024 AND 2023

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of Trustees
Sheet Metal Workers' Local 218(D)
Defined Contribution Retirement Plan

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Sheet Metal Workers' Local 218(D) Defined Contribution Retirement Plan (the Plan), an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), which comprise the statements of net assets available for benefits as of August 31, 2024 and 2023, and the related statements of changes in net assets available for benefits for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the net assets available for benefits of the Plan as of August 31, 2024 and 2023, and the changes in its net assets available for benefits for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinion

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

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

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

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

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, including omissions, are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

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

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



Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA

Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplemental information required by the Department of Labor'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 has been subjected to the 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.

In forming our opinion on the supplemental schedule, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedule, including its form and content, is presented in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

In our opinion, the information in the accompanying schedule is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole, and the form and content is presented in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

Other Supplemental Information

Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The schedules of general and administrative expenses are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements. 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 has been subjected to the 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 auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

Calibre CPA Group, PLLC

Chicago, IL
February 7, 2025

**SHEET METAL WORKERS' LOCAL 218(D)
DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN**

STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS

AUGUST 31, 2024 AND 2023

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Assets		
Investments, at fair value	\$ 14,856,432	\$ 15,840,181
Employer contributions receivable	69,557	81,225
Prepaid insurance	4,177	1,468
Cash	<u>95,335</u>	<u>89,252</u>
Total assets	<u>15,025,501</u>	<u>16,012,126</u>
Liabilities and Net Assets		
Liabilities		
Accounts payable	-	4,140
Reciprocity payable	<u>10,090</u>	<u>5,417</u>
Total liabilities	<u>10,090</u>	<u>9,557</u>
Net assets available for benefits	<u>\$ 15,015,411</u>	<u>\$ 16,002,569</u>

**SHEET METAL WORKERS' LOCAL 218(D)
DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN**

STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS
AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS

YEARS ENDED AUGUST 31, 2024 AND 2023

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Additions to net assets attributed to		
Investment income		
Net appreciation in fair value of investments	\$ 2,260,064	\$ 818,178
Interest and dividend income	480,456	785,006
Less: investment expenses	<u>(30,006)</u>	<u>(21,833)</u>
Net investment income	<u>2,710,514</u>	<u>1,581,351</u>
Contribution income		
Employer contributions	798,179	783,628
Less: reciprocity out	<u>(55,139)</u>	<u>(54,439)</u>
Net contribution income	<u>743,040</u>	<u>729,189</u>
Other income - revenue sharing	<u>22,670</u>	<u>16,603</u>
Total additions	<u>3,476,224</u>	<u>2,327,143</u>
Deductions from net assets attributed to		
Benefits paid to participants	4,376,186	1,323,522
General and administrative expenses	<u>87,196</u>	<u>81,366</u>
Total deductions	<u>4,463,382</u>	<u>1,404,888</u>
Net change	(987,158)	922,255
Net assets available for benefits		
Beginning of year	<u>16,002,569</u>	<u>15,080,314</u>
End of year	<u>\$ 15,015,411</u>	<u>\$ 16,002,569</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.



SHEET METAL WORKERS' LOCAL 218(D) DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEARS ENDED AUGUST 31, 2024 AND 2023

NOTE 1. DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN

The following description of the Sheet Metal Workers' Local 218(D) Defined Contribution Retirement Plan (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 covering substantially all participating persons under the SMART Local 218's collective bargaining agreement established between Local 218 and the Decatur Sheet Metal Contractors Association. It is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

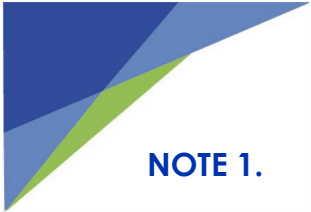
Contributions - Contributions are based on hours of covered employment.

The contribution rates in effect for the years ended August 31, 2024 and 2023 were as follows:

	Effective 9/1/2022 to <u>5/31/2023</u>	Effective 6/1/2023 to <u>5/31/2024</u>	Effective 6/1/2024 to <u>8/31/2024</u>
Building Trades Journeyman - Christian and Dewitt	\$9.13	\$9.13	\$7.94
Building Trades Journeyman, Service Tech - Macon	7.94	7.94	7.94
Classified Worker - Macon	3.57	3.57	3.57
Industrial Worker - Macon	4.76	4.76	4.76

The Plan includes apprentices for which contributions to the Plan are at a percentage of the standard rate pursuant to collective bargaining agreements with various employers.

Participant Accounts - Each participant's account is credited with (a) the employer contribution, (b) Plan earnings, net of administrative expenses and (c) any remaining forfeitures of terminated participants' non-vested accounts after the offset to administrative expenses. Participants select the investment accounts of their choosing. Earnings are credited to their account based on the performance of the accounts selected. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefits that can be provided from the participant's account.



NOTE 1. DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN (CONTINUED)

Vesting - Employees actively employed on or before September 1, 1995 (inception of plan) under a collective bargaining agreement to which Sheet Metal Workers Local 218(D) is a party are fully vested with respect to contributions as of that date. Participants employed subsequent to September 1, 1995 become fully vested after three years of continuous service.

Prior to September 1, 2010, a participant earned a year of service for each plan year in which they work in covered employment for 300 or more hours. On or after September 1, 2010, a participant earns a year of service for each plan year in which they work in covered employment for 500 or more hours. However, for the first plan year in which they work in covered employment, a participant will earn a year of service if they work 150 or more hours in covered employment.

Payment of Benefits - Benefits are payable to vested participants at normal retirement (age 65), early retirement (age 55 and 20 years of service), disability, death or termination of covered employment. Participants may elect to receive their benefit as either (1) a lump-sum payment, (2) a direct rollover, or (3) an annuity contract. The Plan allows for a hardship withdrawal once every 60 months for the same circumstance. Hardship withdrawals are limited to the lesser of 50% of the balance of the participant's account or the amount necessary to satisfy the financial need.

Forfeited Accounts - If a participant fails to work at least 150 hours in covered employment for five consecutive years prior to becoming vested, employer contributions previously credited will be forfeited. During the years ended August 31, 2024 and 2023, no accounts were forfeited. Forfeitures shall be used to offset administrative charges. If there are any forfeitures remaining after the offset to administrative charges, then the remaining forfeitures will be distributed to the individual accounts of the employees based on an allocation approved by the Board of Trustees (Trustees).

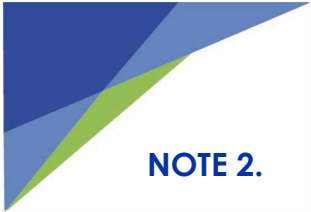
NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting - The accompanying financial statements have been prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. Under this basis, revenue is recognized when earned and expenses are recognized when incurred.

Valuation of Investments - Investments are stated at fair value. 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.

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

Cash equivalents held by custodians for investment purposes are reported as investments.



NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Payments of Benefits - Benefits are recorded when paid.

Use of Estimates - The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Reciprocity - The Trustees have entered into reciprocity agreements with other plans. Contributions for participants in these plans are transferred to the participant's home plan.

Contributions Receivable - Contributions receivable represents contributions received subsequent to August 31, 2024 and 2023 for hours earned through August 31, 2024 and 2023. Employer records are subject to audit and additional revenue, if any, which may arise as a result of these audits is recognized when received. Based on a review of historical losses, current economic conditions and supportable and reasonable forecast assumptions, management of the Plan has concluded that any expected credit losses on balances outstanding at year end will be immaterial.

General and Administrative Expenses - Expenses incurred in connection with administration of the Plan are recorded as deductions in the accompanying statements of changes in net assets available for benefits.

New Accounting Pronouncement Adopted - During the year ended August 31, 2024, the Fund adopted the provisions of Accounting Standards Update (ASU) 2016-13, *Financial Instruments – Credit Losses* (Topic 326). This ASU replaced the incurred loss methodology with an expected loss methodology that is referred to as the current expected credit loss (CECL) methodology. The ASU requires employee benefit plans to immediately recognize the estimated expected credit losses over the life of a financial instrument, including contributions receivable due from employers. The estimate of expected credit losses considers not only historical information, but also current and future economic conditions and events.

The Plan adopted the ASU effective September 1, 2023. The impact of the adoption was not considered material to the financial statements and primarily resulted in additional disclosures.

NOTE 3. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

Accounting standards provide the framework for measuring fair value which provides a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets (Level 1) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are described as follows:

NOTE 3. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (CONTINUED)

Level 1 - Inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the Plan has the ability to access.

Level 2 - Inputs to the valuation methodology include other significant observable inputs including:

- Quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets;
- Quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets;
- Inputs 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.

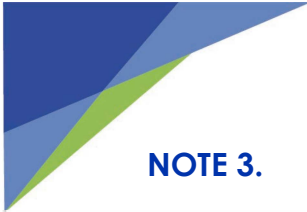
If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the Level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3 - Inputs to the valuation methodology are unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement.

The following table sets forth by level within the fair value hierarchy the Plan's investment assets at fair value as of August 31, 2024. The asset's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs.

Fair Value Measurements at August 31, 2024				
	Fair Value	Quoted Market Prices for Assets (Level 1)	Significant Other Observable Inputs (Level 2)	Significant Unobservable Inputs (Level 3)
Mutual funds	\$ 14,767,895	<u>\$ 14,767,895</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Total investments measured at net asset value*	<u>88,537</u>			
	<u>\$ 14,856,432</u>			

* In accordance with Accounting Standards Codification, investments that were measured at net asset value (NAV) per share (or its equivalent) have not been classified in the fair hierarchy. The fair value amounts presented in this table are intended to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the line items presented in the statements of net assets available for benefits.



NOTE 3. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (CONTINUED)

The following table sets forth by level within the fair value hierarchy the Plan's investment assets at fair value as of August 31, 2023. The asset's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs.

	Fair Value Measurements at August 31, 2023			
	Fair Value	Quoted Market Prices for Assets (Level 1)	Significant Other Observable Inputs (Level 2)	Significant Unobservable Inputs (Level 3)
Mutual funds	\$ 15,773,791	<u>\$ 15,773,791</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Total investments measured at net asset value*	<u>66,390</u>			
	<u>\$ 15,840,181</u>			

* In accordance with Accounting Standards Codification, investments that were measured at NAV per share (or its equivalent) have not been classified in the fair hierarchy. The fair value amounts presented in this table are intended to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the line items presented in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

Changes in Fair Value Levels

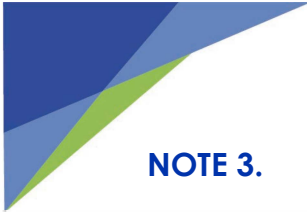
The availability of observable market data is monitored to assess the appropriate classification of financial instruments within the fair value hierarchy. Changes in economic conditions or model-based valuation techniques may require the transfer of financial instruments from one fair value level to another. In such instances, the transfer is reported at the beginning of the reporting period.

We evaluated the significance of transfers between levels based upon the nature of the financial instrument and size of the transfer relative to the total net assets available for benefits. For the years ended August 31, 2024 and 2023, there were no transfers in or out of Levels 1, 2 or 3.

Following are descriptions of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in the methodologies used at August 31, 2024 and 2023.

Mutual funds: Valued at the closing price reported on the active market in which the individual securities are traded.

Common collective trusts: Common collective trusts are valued at the NAV of shares held by the Plan at year end as reported by the custodians of these trusts. NAV is calculated based on the fair value of the underlying securities held using reported closing prices in the market in which the securities are traded, independent third-party pricing agents or in accordance with fair value procedures established by the trustees of the funds.



NOTE 3. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (CONTINUED)

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

NOTE 4. FAIR VALUE OF INVESTMENTS THAT CALCULATE NET ASSET VALUE

Authoritative guidance on fair value measurements permits the Plan to measure the fair value of an investment entity that does not have a readily determinable fair value based upon the NAV or its equivalent of the investment. This guidance does not apply if it's probable that the investment will be sold at a value different than NAV.

The Plan's investment in investment entities is subject to the terms of the respective private placement memoranda and governing agreements. Income or loss from investments in these investment entities is net of the Plan's proportionate share of fees and expenses incurred or charged by these investment entities. To diversify its investment risk, the Plan looked for different investment vehicles where the return did not necessarily correlate to general market returns as what was previously invested.

The Plan's risk of loss in these entities is limited to its investment. The Plan may increase or decrease its level of investment in these entities at its discretion. The Plan typically has the ability to redeem its investment from these entities on a daily or quarterly basis but longer lock-up periods can apply to certain investments.

The following tables summarize the Plan's investments in certain entities that calculate NAV per share as fair value measurement as of August 31, 2024 and 2023.

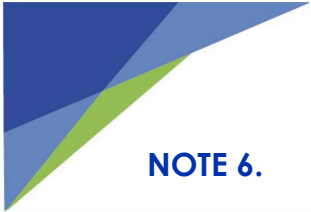
<u>2024</u>	<u>Fair Value</u>	<u>Unfunded Commitments</u>	<u>Redemption Frequency</u>	<u>Redemption Notice Period</u>
Common collective trust	\$ 88,537	\$ -	Daily	1 Day

<u>2023</u>	<u>Fair Value</u>	<u>Unfunded Commitments</u>	<u>Redemption Frequency</u>	<u>Redemption Notice Period</u>
Common collective trust	\$ 66,390	\$ -	Daily	1 Day

The Common Collective Trust reports as a direct filing entity (DFE).

NOTE 5. PLAN TERMINATION

Although they have not expressed any intent to do so, the Trustees have the right to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event of Plan termination, distribution of Plan assets will be made to the participants after all expenses incurred by the Plan are paid.



NOTE 6. TAX STATUS

The Internal Revenue Service has determined and informed the Plan by a letter dated October 28, 2015 that the Plan and related Trust are designed in accordance with applicable sections of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC). Although the Plan has been amended since receiving the determination letter, the Plan administrator and the Plan's tax counsel believe that the Plan is designed and is currently being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require Plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability (or asset) if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the taxing authorities. As of August 31, 2024 and 2023, there were no uncertain positions taken or expected to be taken that would require recognition of a liability (or asset) or disclosure in the financial statements. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress. At August 31, 2024, the Plan is no longer subject to income tax examinations for years prior to the fiscal year ended August 31, 2021.

NOTE 7. PARTY-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS

The Plan pays certain administrative, investment and professional fees to various service providers. These transactions are party-in-interest transactions under ERISA.

NOTE 8. RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least 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.

NOTE 9. RECONCILIATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO FORM 5500

The following is a reconciliation of additions and deductions per the financial statements to the Form 5500 for the year ended August 31, 2024:

Total additions per audited financial statements	\$ 3,476,224
Add: investment expenses	<u>30,006</u>
Total additions per Form 5500	<u>\$ 3,506,230</u>
Total deductions per audited financial statements	\$ 4,463,382
Add: investment expenses	<u>30,006</u>
Total deductions per Form 5500	<u>\$ 4,493,388</u>



NOTE 10. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Subsequent events have been evaluated through February 7, 2025, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued. This review and evaluation revealed no material event or transaction which would require an adjustment to or disclosure in the accompanying financial statements.



SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION





**SHEET METAL WORKERS' LOCAL 218(D)
DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN**

SCHEDULES OF GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

YEARS ENDED AUGUST 31, 2024 AND 2023

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Accounting and audit fees	\$ 11,250	\$ 10,750
Actuarial and consulting	14,500	-
Administrative fees	30,000	30,784
Insurance	10,907	4,725
Legal	7,782	26,873
Office and postage	1,714	301
Recordkeeping fees	<u>11,043</u>	<u>7,933</u>
Total general and administrative expenses	<u>\$ 87,196</u>	<u>\$ 81,366</u>



SHEET METAL WORKERS' LOCAL 218(D) DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN

SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)

AUGUST 31, 2024

Form 5500, Part IV, Schedule H, Line 4i

EIN No.: 36-4048417
Plan No.: 002

		(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par or maturity value					
(a)	(b) Identity of issuer, borrower, lessor or similar party	Description	Maturity Date	Rate of Interest	Number of Shares	(d) Cost	(e) Current Value
Participant - directed investments							
	Amer Fundamental Investors R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	1,120	\$ 68,768	\$ 93,593
	American 2065 TD Ret R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	3,167	49,497	55,994
	American Balanced Fund R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	3,164	91,092	113,157
	American Cap Income Builder R5	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	2,182	128,375	159,581
	American EuroPacific Grth R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	2,221	100,884	131,456
	American Funds 2010 TD Ret R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	100	1,057	1,220
	American Funds 2015 TD Ret R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	28	319	361
	American Funds 2020 TD Ret R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	34,217	410,253	482,809
	American Funds 2025 TD Ret R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	2,109	30,303	33,533
	American Funds 2030 TD Ret R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	221,618	3,182,835	3,942,585
	American Funds 2035 TD Ret R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	7,809	134,082	153,143
	American Funds 2040 TD Ret R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	159,007	2,538,785	3,320,060
	American Funds 2045 TD Ret R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	5,511	101,313	118,326
	American Funds 2050 TD Ret R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	99,230	1,589,817	2,098,719
	American Funds 2055 TD Ret R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	9,342	212,562	248,122
	American Funds 2060 TD Ret R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	91,366	1,256,863	1,656,458
	American SMALLCAP World R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	2,091	112,321	147,220
	American The New Economy R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	2,335	105,852	149,427
	American Wash Mutual Inv R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	2,431	122,127	154,387
	Fidelity US Bond Index Fd	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	15	145	155
	Investment Co of America R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	7,820	318,381	465,150
	PIMCO Total Return Fund (A)	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	18,368	153,134	160,536
	The Growth Fund of America R5E	Mutual funds	N/A	N/A	14,526	752,725	1,081,903
	John Hancock Stable Val Fd R6	Common collective trust	N/A	N/A	88,537	88,537	88,537
Total participant - directed investments						\$ 11,550,027	\$ 14,856,432

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Part I		Annual Report Identification Information	
For calendar plan year 2023 or fiscal plan year beginning		09/01/2023	and ending 08/31/2024
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.)
B	This return/report is:	☐ a single-employer plan	☐ a DFE (specify) _____
		☐ 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:	☒ Form 5558	☐ automatic extension
		☐ special extension (enter description)	☐ the DFVC program
E	If this is a retroactively adopted plan permitted by SECURE Act section 201, check here	☐	

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			
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE		6/2/2025	PATRICK DURVIL
	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor
SIGN HERE		6/2/2025	RYAN KREKE
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

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3a Plan administrator's name and address ☒ 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 c Plan Name	4b EIN 4d PN
5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	5 139
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) 125
a (2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year	6a(2) 116
b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits	6b
c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits	6c 14
d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2), 6b, and 6c	6d 130
e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits	6e
f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e	6f 130
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)
(2) Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	6g(2) 130
h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested	6h
7 Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item)	7 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 2G	

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)	9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)
(1) ☐ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor	(1) ☐ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ 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	b General Schedules
(1) ☐ 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 _____ (5) ☐ MEP (Multiple-Employer Retirement Plan Information)	(1) ☒ H (Financial Information) (2) ☐ I (Financial Information - Small Plan) (3) ☐ A (Insurance Information) - Number Attached _____ (4) ☒ C (Service Provider Information) (5) ☒ D (DFE/Participating Plan Information) (6) ☐ G (Financial Transaction Schedules)