

Tennessee Secretary of State
Tre Hargett



Division of Business and Charitable Organizations
312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 6th Floor
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102

October 04, 2023

Ms. LISBETH COUSER
P.O. BOX 331025
MURFREESBORO, TN 37133

RE: Registration to Solicit Funds for Charitable Purposes
Organization Name: JOURNEY HOME, INC. (THE)
CO Number: CO8741
Renewal Date: 06/30/2024

Dear Ms. LISBETH COUSER :

Pursuant to the Tennessee Charitable Solicitations Act, T.C.A. § 48-101-501, *et seq.* the Tennessee Secretary of State has reviewed your application and is pleased to announce your organization's registration to solicit contributions has been **approved**.

The organization must maintain statutory compliance by submitting a renewal application and required fees on an annual basis. At that time you may be required to submit tax filings, financial statements, proof of IRS status, and other documents related to your organization and its fundraising activities. You can find additional information and submit additional filings online at <https://sos.tn.gov/charities>. The "CO" Number listed above will serve as your organization's charitable registration number and should be used when submitting any charitable filings or correspondence.

Please also be advised that if the organization's application or other provided information includes false, misleading or deceptive statements, appropriate action will be taken. Pursuant to the Tennessee Charitable Solicitations Act, a civil penalty of up to five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) may be assessed for any violation.

Thank you for registering your organization and please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions.

Sincerely,

Tre Hargett
Secretary of State

Tracking Number
2023129496

Application to Renew Registration of a Charitable Organization



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CO Number: CO8741
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Organization Information

Legal Name of the Charitable Organization: JOURNEY HOME, INC. (THE)

Legal entity type of the Organization: Other

Business Services Control Number: 000530193

FEIN: 20-5605975

Initial Registration Date: 02/06/2007

Renewal Date: 09/28/2023

Has your fiscal year ending month changed since your last renewal?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Fiscal Year Ending Month: December

When and where was the organization legally established

Date: 09/20/2006

Country: USA

City/State: MURFREESBORO, TN

Has your Principal Office address changed since your last renewal?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Principal Office Address

308 WEST CASTLE STREET
USA, MURFREESBORO, TN 37129

Has your Mailing address changed since your last renewal?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Mailing Office Address

P.O. BOX 331025
USA, MURFREESBORO, TN 37133

Contact Information for the Charitable Organization

Contact Name: Ms. LISBETH COUSER

Telephone Number: (865) 278-8757

Fax Number: (615) 809-2806

Email: lcouser@lovegodservepeople.org

Website: www.LoveGodServePeople.org

Current names used by the charity organization

Do you need to modify other names that the charity solicits under?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Has the organization registered in any other state(s)?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Does the charity have other offices, chapters, branches, affiliates or a parent?

☐ Yes ☒ No

The category that best describes your organization

L - Housing, Shelter

The charitable purpose of the organization

The Journey Home is a Christian ministry whose primary focus is to serve the homeless and disadvantaged of Rutherford County – providing practical resources and relationships that encourage faith, economic stability, wholeness, and reintegration into community life.

Tax & Financial Information

Has your tax exempt status changed since your last renewal?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Last Fiscal Year Start: January 2022

Last Fiscal Year End: December 2022

Type of 990 Tax Form Filed: 990 (Long Form)

Gross Revenue

Direct and Indirect Public Contributions	\$ 1,555,429.00
Government Grants	\$ 567,992.00
Program Service Revenue	\$ 448,907.00
Special Events and Activities	\$ 62,679.00
Gross Sales of Inventory	\$ 0.00
Other Revenue	\$ 656.00
Total Revenue	\$ 2,635,663.00

Expenses

Total Program Expenses	\$ 1,462,907.00
Direct Expenses from Special Events	\$ 0.00
Cost of Goods Sold	\$ 0.00
Management and General Expenses	\$ 111,418.00
Fundraising Expenses	\$ 146,650.00
Other Expenses	\$ 0.00
Total Expenses	\$ 1,720,975.00

Excess/Deficit For the Year (Total Revenue - Total Expenses)	\$ 914,688.00
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Changes in Net Assets/Fund Balances

Net Assets/Fund Balances at Beginning of Year	\$ 1,704,367.00
Other Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances	\$ 914,689.00
Net Assets/Fund Balances	\$ 2,619,055.00
Total Liabilities at End of Year	\$ 191,130.00
Net Assets/Fund Balances at End of Year	\$ 2,619,055.00

Solicitation Information

Have you been enjoined by any court from soliciting contributions?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Does your organization contract with or otherwise engage the services of any outside fundraising professional (such as a "professional fund-raiser," "paid solicitor," "fund raising counsel," or "commercial co-venturer")?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Officer Information

Do you need to modify the current officers?

☒ Yes ☐ No

List each officer, director, and trustee (at least 2 officers are required, and you must list officers who have or share the following titles: "Chief Financial Officer", "Custodian of Contributions", "Custodian of Final Distributions")

Alexander Foster
P.O. Box 331025
Murfreesboro, TN 37133, USA
Title(s): Custodian of Contributions, Custodian of Final Distributions, Director, President

Chuck Phillips
P.O. Box 331025
Murfreesboro, TN 37133, USA
Title(s): Board Member

David Cates
P.O. Box 331025
Murfreesboro, TN 37133, USA
Title(s): Board Member

David Coggin
P.O. Box 331025
Murfreesboro, TN 37133, USA
Title(s): Board Member

Gloria Bonner
1423 Wall Street
Murfreesboro, TN 37130, USA
Title(s): Board Member

Jeff James
P.O. Box 331025
Murfreesboro, TN 37133, USA
Title(s): Board Member

Jim Martin
P.O. Box 331025
Murfreesboro, TN 37133, USA
Title(s): Custodian of Final Distributions

Kristine Blaess
P.O. Box 331025
Murfreesboro, TN 37133, USA
Title(s): Board Member

Leslee Karl
P.O. Box 331025
Murfreesboro, TN 37133, USA
Title(s): Board Member, Vice Chairman

Leslie AKINS

P.O. Box 331025
Murfreesboro, TN 37133, USA
Title(s): Secretary

Lisbeth Couser
P.O. Box 331025
Murfreesboro, TN 37133, USA
Title(s): Custodian of Contributions, Director

Lynn Watson
P.O. Box 331025
Murfreesboro, TN 37133, USA
Title(s): Treasurer

Phil Barnett
3010 Carraway Drive
Murfreesboro, TN 37130, USA
Title(s): Board Member

RUSS GALLOWAY
308 WEST CASTLE STREET
USA, MURFREESBORO, TN 37129
Title(s): Board Member

William Reid
P.O. Box 331025
Murfreesboro, TN 37133, USA
Title(s): Chairman

William Truesdell III
P.O. Box 331025
Murfreesboro, TN 37133, USA
Title(s): Board Member

MIKE DUGAN
308 WEST CASTLE STREET
USA, MURFREESBORO, TN 37129
Title(s): Custodian of Final Distributions

FREDA MORGAN
308 WEST CASTLE STREET
USA, MURFREESBORO, TN 37129
Title(s): Board Member

LEE MOSS
308 WEST CASTLE STREET
USA, MURFREESBORO, TN 37129
Title(s): Board Member

MARY CATHERINE SEVIER
308 WEST CASTLE STREET
USA, MURFREESBORO, TN 37129
Title(s): Board Member

Has any officer, director, manager, operator, or principal of the organization been the subject of an injunction, judgement, or administrative order or been convicted of a felony?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Signature

I certify that the statements in this registration statement and all supplemental forms, documents, and continuation sheets are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I (Chief Fiscal Officer, Treasurer, or Officer) certify, under penalty of perjury, that the above information is true and correct.

Signed Electronically: Lisbeth L. Couser

Date: 10/04/2023

Title: Custodian of Contributions

I certify that the statements in this registration statement and all supplemental forms, documents, and continuation sheets are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I (Chief Fiscal Officer, Treasurer, or Officer) certify, under penalty of perjury, that the above information is true and correct.

Signed Electronically: Alexander Scott Foster

Date: 10/04/2023

Title: Chief Executive Officer



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Date: 10/04/2023

Invoice: 2023-08024

Customer Information

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JOURNEY HOME, INC. (THE)
P.O. BOX 331025
MURFREESBORO, 37133

Tracking Number	Description	Amount Paid
2023129496	CH Filing Late Fee	\$ 10.00
2023129496	CH Charitable Renewal	\$ 10.00
Payment Details		
Fee Total:		\$ 20.00
Payment Total:		\$ 20.00
Amount Due:		\$ 0.00
Refunded Amount:		\$ 0.00
Payment Method		
Payment Type: Credit Card		
Check/Confirmation Number: 3859254563		