

Program Highlights

Behind The Wok

A digital archive preserving the history of six iconic Chinese American restaurants in Portland

"We would see five generations of a family coming in to eat. Being part of the fabric of their lives and memories—that's what made it all matter."

— Cindy Louis, third generation owner of Canton Grill

Learn more at apano.org/behind-the-wok



Open Studios

a monthly drop-in space for BIPOC community to experiment, play, and cultivate connections

"My mom had so much fun making buttons and my brother has always wanted to make zines and was so excited he made his first one at Open Studios!"

— Community member + attendee

apano.org/openstudios



Child Care Program

Creating more child care opportunities in Oregon by facilitating multilingual cohorts to support licensing and also expand current child care

"I met a child care provider in the past who really struggled to get licensed and almost gave up several times because of how difficult it was for them. Within two months after our Child Care Cohort Program, we had three participants who successfully obtained their child care licenses!"

—Janet Li, Child Care Program Manager

Learn more at apano.org/childcare



APANO



January 2024 – June 2025

ANNUAL REPORT

As we reflect on this year, we are filled with joy and gratitude for our communities. This year, APANO went through many shifts, one of the biggest being the launch of our Theory of Change. Through this process, we took a deep look within ourselves, and reflected on the importance of disaggregating our work and recognizing that APANO is an Asian-led organization. It is critical to our vision and mission to understand the diversity and experiences of our staff, community, partners and allies, and this Theory of Change is our road map for how we want to approach our movement work to guide us to a more just future.

Social change is also never the work of one organization alone. It is built through relationships and driven by people like you, who believe that a more just world is possible.

From our Open Studios bringing neighbors and intergenerational community together for art, to our political programs securing wins at the ballot box, our wins were made possible by the dedication of our staff, volunteers, partners, supporters, and the community members whose leadership and lived experiences guide our work. So thank you for being part of this journey. We are honored to do this work alongside you!

With gratitude,

Kim & Amy
Co-Executive Directors



Tune in to our newsletters!



Theory of Change



Volunteer with us!



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Impact by the Numbers



Place Based Programs

6

**historic
restaurants**
featured in the
Behind The Wok
digital archive

164

**new units of
affordable housing
secured in the Jade
District** opening Spring
2026

5

low-income homes in the
82nd Avenue Corridor to
receive rooftop solar in 2026 in
partnership with Humanus
Labs and BIPOC-owned
solar installers

6562+

risographs
printed

\$58,500

in store improvement grants
to 6 Jade District businesses



1 TARO cohort (Teaching Advocacy and Radical Organizing)
teaching youth a holistic & comprehensive approach to sexual health education,
encouraging youth to engage in dialogue and action to strengthen our relationships to
ourselves and each other

2 Youth Interns with our ALLY program (APANO Leaders for the Liberation of Youth)

Workforce & Development

10

**Vietnamese
families** in our
Family Wellness
cohort

30

lead tests
distributed to
renters and
homeowners

400

lbs of food
distributed at
our weekly
Jade Food Pantry

400

AC units
distributed to
community members
in need

Legislative Work

Measure

26-259

**Portland Public Schools
Bond** passed



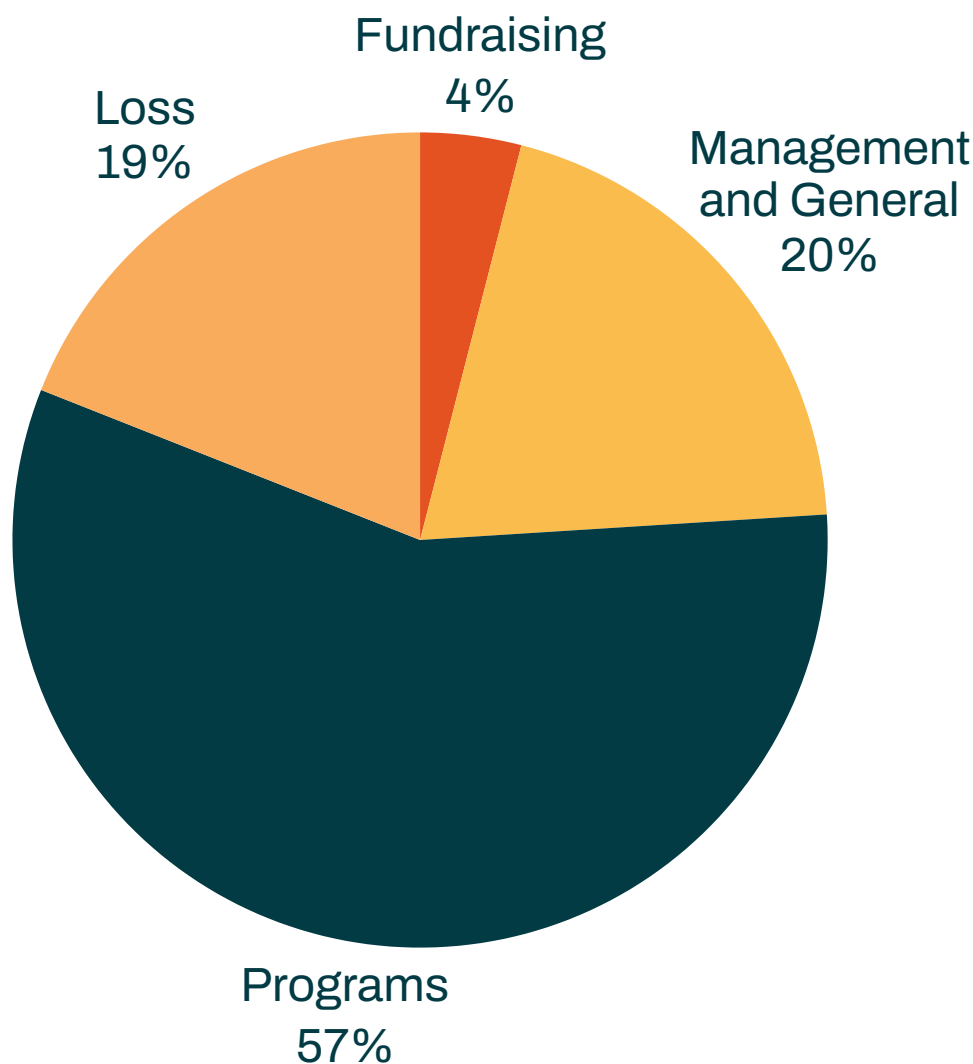
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Financials

FY 25

Expenses

\$5,114,540



Revenue

\$3,451,598

