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EDUCATION- LIFESKILLS- REENTRY



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Freedom Through Education

ANNUAL REPORT 2015

OUR MISSION



Tayba Foundation is a non-profit organization dedicated to serving individuals and families impacted by incarceration. We believe in the power of human change through holistic education, guidance, and support. Our work is organized into three interrelated program areas:

Education, Life Skills, and Reentry

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Of the 2.3 million prisoners in the US, over 200,000 identify as Muslim.

Ninety percent these Muslims are converts to the faith, and most of them became Muslim in prison, seeking to turn a new page in their lives. Yet for many of them, even getting access to a copy of the Qur'an is a challenge - let alone any further religious education or rehabilitation programs. Without such programs, some Muslims embrace sectarian or extremist views; others leave the religion altogether. Still others return to crime after release, having found no support from their local Muslim community.

Since 2002, Tayba Foundation has touched the lives of more than 9,000 incarcerated Muslims across the U.S by providing critically needed Islamic education, essential Life Skills training, and Reentry support. Many Tayba students have become leaders and change-makers within their communities, both inside and outside of prison. With every passing year, we strive to reach more men and women behind bars and to improve the quality of our work to create real change in the lives of those we serve.

Students Served by Tayba 2015

Students served = 1132

Life Skills

The program did not officially launch until 2018.

Reentry Programs

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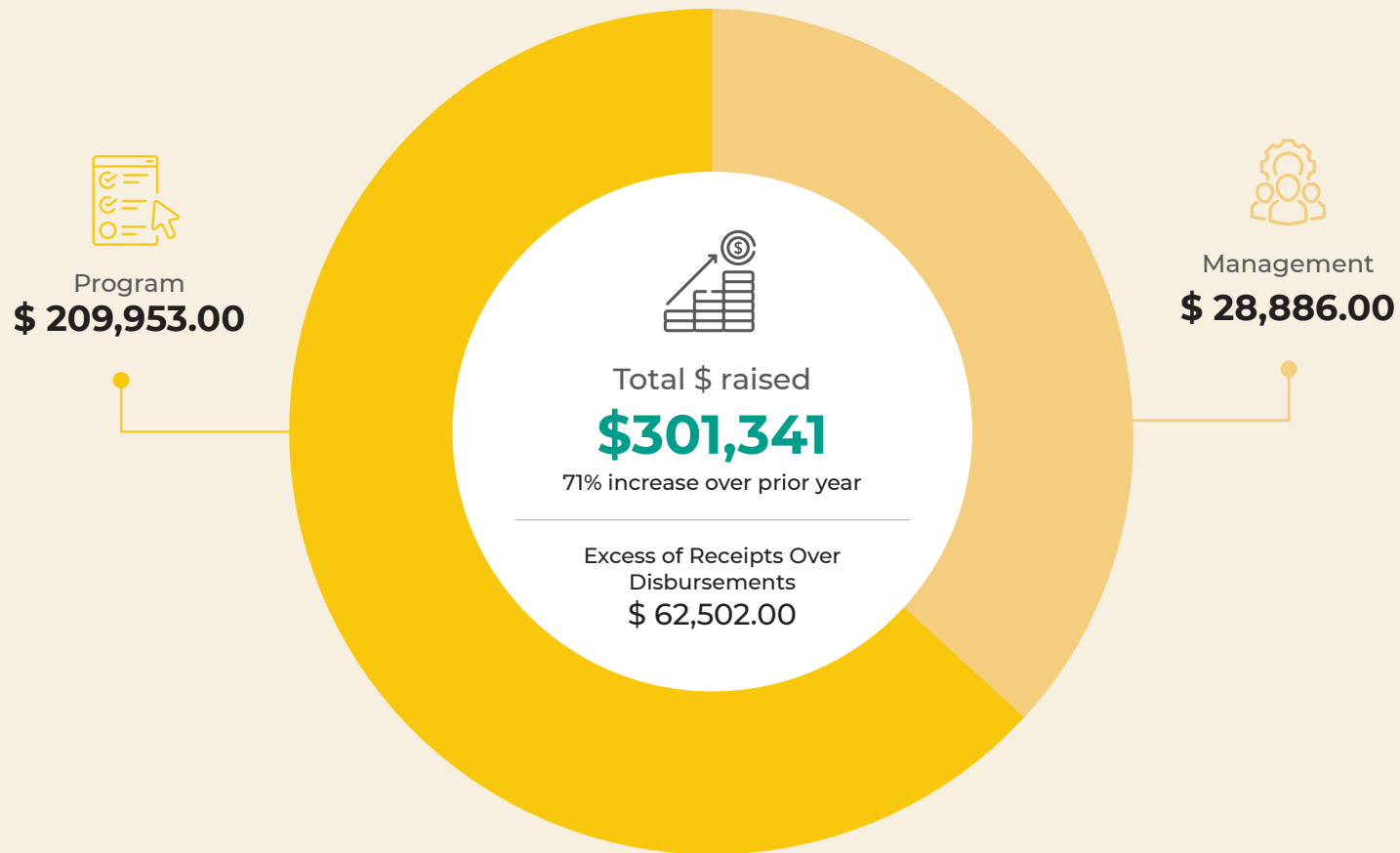
Total Raised

\$ 301,341.00

(a 71% increase over the prior year)



Expenses and Disbursements



Overall, the hiring of two full-time executives had a very positive impact on Tayba's development. Accordingly, Tayba has seen an unprecedented number of enrollments and funds raised. This year has been critical to subsequent years' growth.

- Developed 6 new courses to be delivered to students by mail.
- Reached students in more than 120 prisons in 37 states throughout the U.S.
- Developed a collection of outreach material to reflect the work that our students are doing, including a full-color calendar that showcased their original artwork.
- Voluntarily retained the services of an independent auditor to conduct a thorough review of the organization's financial practices. The results of the audit were very positive.



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Thank you for remembering the forgotten believers and
dreaming of new achievements in the year ahead.

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