

ACCOUNTING AID SOCIETY

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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday – Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

CLIENT ELIGIBILITY: An annual income of \$15,000 or less for a one-person household, and \$4,000 for each additional family member. Household income includes taxable and nontaxable items such as wages, social security, unemployment, disability, pension, interest, chore services, and daycare.

SERVICES PROVIDED: A Tax Assistance Program and a Nonprofit Services Program. The Tax Assistance Program provides free income tax assistance service for low-income households, January through April, at more than 20 locations in Wayne, Oakland, and Macomb Counties. Assistance includes filling out federal, state and city income tax forms for those qualifying for homestead property taxes, heating credits, prescription drug credits and earned income credits. Also provides a free mail-in homebound tax program and a summer tax program. English-as-a-second-language service is provided. The Nonprofit Services Program serves not-for-profit organizations through educational opportunities that include workshops, business coaching, *the Michigan Nonprofit Management Manual*, AnswerLine for Nonprofit Management, and Getting Started services.



CLIENT FEES: For services to non-profit organizations, no eligibility. Workshops average \$45 each; the *Manual* is \$79 (bulk prices available); AnswerLine is free; and a range of nominal fees for Getting Started services.

INTAKE PROCEDURES: Call for information.

VOLUNTEERS: Adults and college students with professional accounting, financial, and non-profit management skills.

FUNDED BY: United Way of Southeastern Michigan, private foundations, IRS, Michigan Association of CPAs, Michigan Council for the Arts, Neighborhood Opportunity Fund, City of Detroit, City of Pontiac, membership fees, and corporate contributions.

EMERGENCY SERVICES: None.

LANGUAGE SERVICES OFFERED: English, Spanish and Arabic.