GLOBAL PAINT FOR CHARITY, INC.

Annual Report

2024 and 2025

Surplus paint, put back to work: homes, schools, and communities in the United States and around the world.

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Letter from the Founder

A mission rooted in humanity, driven by purpose, and built through service.

Dear Friends, Partners, and Supporters,

When I founded Global Paint for Charity (GPC) in 2010, I never imagined how far a simple idea could travel or how many lives it could touch. I was simply trying to solve a problem that had stayed with me since childhood.

Growing up in a small village, I saw firsthand families living in unfinished homes, children learning in classrooms with bare walls, and communities struggling to afford basic improvements. Years later, after moving to the United States, I discovered that millions of gallons of perfectly usable paint were being discarded while families elsewhere could not afford even a few gallons to improve their surroundings.

I kept asking myself: how can something considered waste in one community become a source of dignity, opportunity, and hope in another? That question became the foundation of Global Paint for Charity.

What began as a small effort has grown into a global movement. Through the generosity of donors, volunteers, businesses, and community partners, we have recovered more than 5 million gallons of paint, reached 44 countries, and positively impacted more than 15 million lives. Yet behind every number is a human story: a child learning in a brighter classroom, a family taking pride in its home, or a community coming together to restore a neglected public space.

Our journey has not been without challenges. Financial limitations, transportation costs, and operational barriers have tested our resilience. But they have also strengthened my belief that meaningful change requires persistence, collaboration, and the courage to keep moving forward when resources are limited.

As we reflect on 2024 and 2025, I am grateful for our progress and mindful of the responsibility ahead. We must move beyond collecting and donating paint toward building sustainable recovery systems, advancing circular economy solutions, creating meaningful jobs, and strengthening partnerships with governments, corporations, foundations, and communities.

Transparency remains central to that responsibility. This report presents fiscal year 2024 based on independently audited financial statements and calendar year 2025 based on management-prepared records and estimates. Each period is presented separately to provide clarity and accountability to those who trust and support our work.

I have learned that leadership is not measured by what we accomplish alone, but by the opportunities we create, the people we empower, and the lives we help improve. GPC's accomplishments belong to everyone who has contributed their time, resources, expertise, and belief in our mission. To our volunteers, donors, partners, board members, and supporters around the world: thank you. I remain humbled by the privilege of serving alongside you.

My hope is that future generations will inherit not only a healthier planet, but also a world where valuable resources are never wasted while communities struggle to meet basic needs.

> *"Waste is not always the absence of value. Sometimes, it is the absence of vision, connection, and opportunity. Together, we can change that."*

With heartfelt gratitude and an unwavering commitment to service,

Dr. Rony S. Delgarde, D.P.P., M.B.A.
Founder & Chief Executive Officer
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Impact at a Glance

Global Paint for Charity joins community volunteers and partner organizations in a collaborative revitalization initiative, demonstrating the power of teamwork, civic engagement, and shared responsibility. Through volunteer service, strategic partnerships, and donated paint, these collective efforts help improve community spaces, promote environmental sustainability, and create lasting social impact. Together, we bring color, hope, and positive change to communities in need.

At Global Paint for Charity (GPC), transforming surplus paint into meaningful community resources begins with a simple, collaborative process. Individuals, businesses, and community partners can submit paint donation requests, coordinate approved drop-off or pickup arrangements, and contribute reusable paint to support GPC's environmental and humanitarian initiatives. Through responsible collection, sorting, processing, and redistribution, donated paint is given a second life, helping reduce waste while revitalizing homes, schools, and community spaces. This approach demonstrates GPC's commitment to circular economy principles, environmental stewardship, and sustainable community development, turning everyday contributions into opportunities for lasting social impact.

Impact at a Glance

Sixteen years of cumulative work, and what 2024 and 2025 added to it

Since 2010: the cumulative record

5 million+
Gallons recovered and redistributed

44
Countries reached

15 million+
Lives improved

16
Years of operation

Cumulative figures since founding. They are presented separately from the annual figures below and are never combined with them. GPC's team is 12 people: 8 full-time and 4 part-time.

Calendar year 2025 (management records and estimates)

50,725
Gallons of paint distributed

888,455
Community members served (estimate)

26,400
Volunteer hours (range 19,800 to 33,000)

32,289
Gallons received from large donors

27,500
Gallons remanufactured into recycled-content paint (estimate)

6
Destinations: 5 countries abroad and the United States

$137,863
Cash contributions per donor ledger

$285,000
Donated professional services per donor ledger

Fiscal year 2024 (independently audited)

$1,164,792
Total revenue and support

$989,907
Total expenses

98.5%
of expenses went to program services

+$174,885
Change in net assets

Reporting note: Cumulative achievements since 2010, independently audited fiscal year 2024 financial results, and management-reported calendar year 2025 outcomes are presented separately to maintain transparency, preserve reporting distinctions, and avoid double counting. The 2025 figures include management estimates and have not been independently audited.

Impact at a Glance

1. Sixteen Years of Global Impact (2010–2026)
Since its founding in 2010, Global Paint for Charity (GPC) has demonstrated how innovative environmental solutions, strategic partnerships, and community-driven initiatives can transform surplus resources into meaningful social and economic opportunities. Over 16 years of operation, GPC has recovered and redistributed more than 5 million gallons of paint across 44 countries, positively impacting an estimated 15 million lives worldwide. These cumulative achievements reflect the organization's commitment to advancing circular economy principles, reducing paint waste, improving living conditions, and restoring dignity in underserved communities.

2. Paint Recovery, Distribution, and Community Impact (2025)
Building on this foundation, GPC's 2025 management records document the distribution of 50,725 gallons of paint across the United States and five international destinations, with an estimated 888,455 community members served through its programs and partnerships. During the same year, the organization received 32,289 gallons of paint from major donors and remanufactured approximately 27,500 gallons into recycled-content paint. These accomplishments demonstrate GPC's capacity to recover, process, and redirect valuable materials away from the waste stream while supporting housing improvements, educational facilities, and community revitalization projects.

3. Volunteer Engagement and Organizational Capacity
GPC's 2025 initiatives were supported by approximately 26,400 volunteer hours, with an estimated range of 19,800 to 33,000 hours. The central estimate represents the equivalent of approximately 13 full-time positions based on a standard 2,080-hour work year. Alongside an organizational team of 12 individuals, comprising eight full-time and four part-time members, these contributions highlight the importance of volunteer leadership, professional expertise, and community collaboration in sustaining GPC's operations and expanding its humanitarian reach.

Note. The photograph illustrates a volunteer-led educational activity in a resource-limited classroom, highlighting the importance of educational access, community engagement, and opportunities for children to learn and develop. Education contributes to community resilience by empowering young people and supporting long-term social development

4. Financial Contributions and In-Kind Support (2025)
During 2025, GPC recorded approximately $137,863 in cash contributions and $285,000 in donated professional services, representing a combined reported value of approximately $422,863. These contributions illustrate the critical role of philanthropy, corporate partnerships, and specialized professional expertise in supporting organizational development, technological innovation, financial management, and program delivery. The figures are based on management's unaudited internal records and demonstrate the organization's ability to mobilize both financial and nonfinancial resources to advance its mission.

5. Financial Accountability and Program Efficiency (2024)
GPC's independently audited fiscal year 2024 financial statements documented $1,164,792 in total revenue and support, $989,907 in total expenses, and a positive change in net assets of $174,885. Notably, 98.5% of total expenditures were allocated to program services, meaning approximately 98.5 cents of every dollar spent supported mission-related activities. These audited results demonstrate GPC's strong emphasis on program delivery, responsible resource stewardship, and the efficient allocation of organizational expenditures.

6. Beyond the Numbers: Transforming Waste Into Opportunity
The significance of GPC's work extends beyond gallons recovered, financial contributions, and volunteer hours. Its impact is reflected in homes restored, classrooms revitalized, community facilities improved, and families empowered through access to sustainable paint solutions. By transforming surplus paint into a valuable community resource, GPC contributes to environmental protection, community resilience, and improved quality of life while demonstrating the practical benefits of a circular economy.

7. Looking Ahead: Scaling Sustainable Solutions
As GPC continues to strengthen its partnerships and expand its international reach, its experience demonstrates that paint waste is not simply an environmental challenge but an opportunity to create sustainable infrastructure, restore dignity, strengthen communities, and generate lasting social value. The organization's long-term vision emphasizes innovative paint recovery systems, technology-enabled operations, expanded recycling and remanufacturing capacity, and sustainable partnerships that can increase its environmental and humanitarian impact worldwide.

Students celebrate outside their school, reflecting the joy, hope, and opportunities that bright color brings to underserved communities. Through its global paint redistribution and community revitalization initiatives, Global Paint for Charity supports the transformation of educational spaces into brighter, more welcoming environments where children can learn, grow, and dream of a better future.

The Power of Volunteers

Approximately 26,400 volunteer hours in calendar year 2025, built so the number can defend itself

Figure 2. Volunteer hours in calendar year 2025

26,400 hours

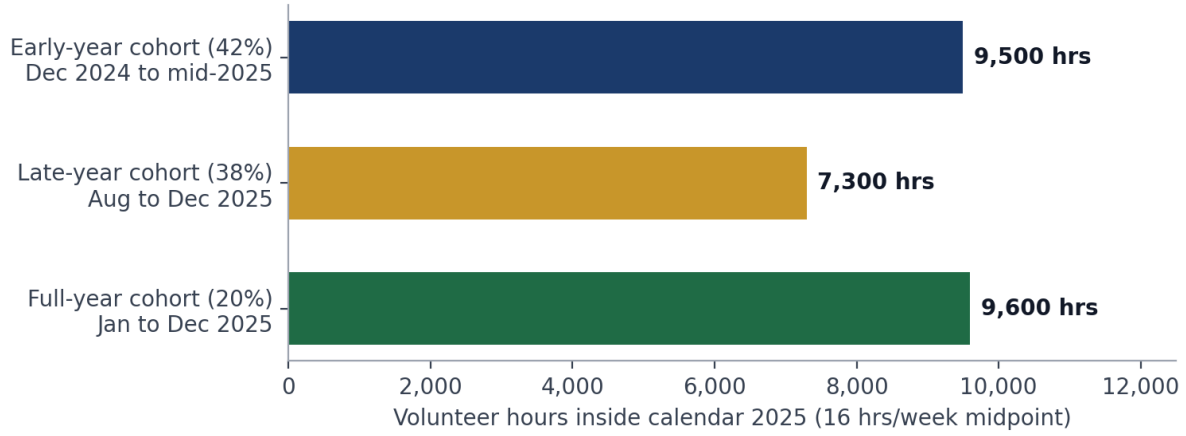
of volunteer service in calendar year 2025 at the 16-hour weekly midpoint. Honest range: 19,800 hours (12 hrs./week) to 33,000 hours (20 hrs./week). Management estimate, unaudited.

GPC's volunteer cohort served on contracts of 6 to 12 months at 12 to 20 hours per week. Because start dates were staggered, the number is built cohort by cohort, counting only the time each group served inside calendar year 2025.

How the number is built

Cohort	Share	Service window	Hours in 2025
Early-year cohort	42%	December 2024 into mid-2025: about 6 months inside 2025	9,500
Late-year cohort	38%	August to December 2025: 5 months	7,300
Full-year cohort	20%	January to December 2025: the full year	9,600
Total, at 16 hrs/week midpoint	**100%**		**26,400**

Table 1. Volunteer hours by cohort. Hours are calculated at the 16-hour weekly midpoint of the 12- to 20-hour contract range.



Honest Range

Weekly commitments varied by contract, so GPC reports the midpoint and shows the full range rather than a single, unqualified figure. The same cohort timing, applied at the low and high ends of the contract range, produces the following totals.

Scenario	Hours per week	Total volunteer hours	Full-time equivalent*
Low case	12	19,800	9.5
Midpoint (reported)	**16**	**26,400**	**12.7**
High case	20	33,000	15.9

Full-time equivalent = total hours divided by 2,080 hours in a standard full-time work year.

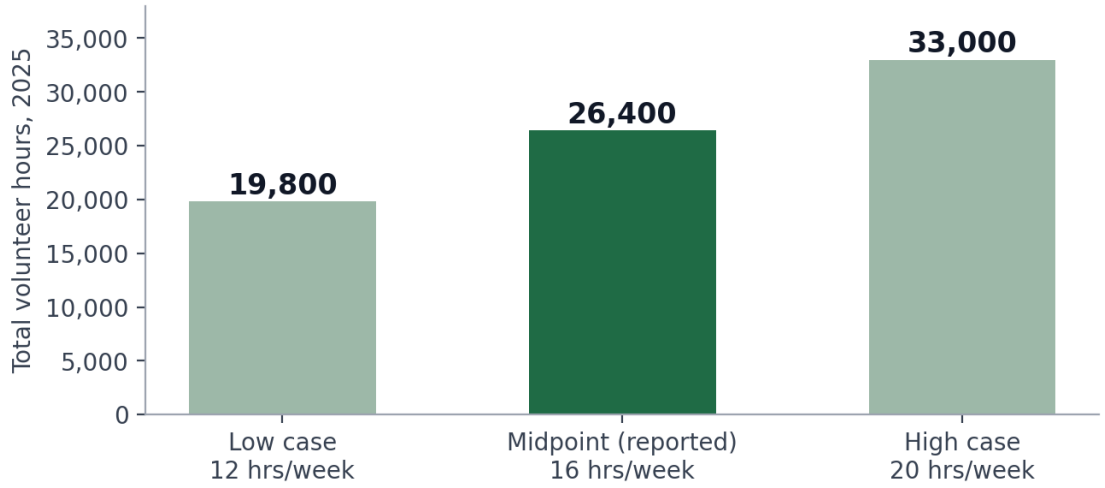


Figure 3. Volunteer hours under three weekly-commitment assumptions.

Volunteer Engagement /Service Contributions (2025)

Volunteer engagement remains a cornerstone of Global Paint for Charity's (GPC) operational model, reflecting the organization's ability to mobilize dedicated individuals who contribute their time, professional expertise, and leadership to advance environmental sustainability and humanitarian initiatives. During calendar year 2025, GPC's volunteers contributed an estimated 26,400 hours of service, calculated using a midpoint commitment of 16 hours per week. Volunteers typically served under agreements ranging from six to twelve months, with weekly commitments of 12 to 20 hours. Because volunteer start dates and service periods varied throughout the year, management calculated contributions across three distinct cohorts: the early-year cohort, representing 42% of volunteers and approximately 9,500 hours; the late-year cohort, representing 38% and approximately 7,300 hours; and the full-year cohort, representing 20% and approximately 9,600 hours. This cohort-based methodology accounts only for service periods occurring within calendar year 2025, providing a structured basis for estimating the organization's volunteer contributions.

Measuring Volunteer Capacity and Organizational Value

To promote transparency and accurately communicate the estimated scale of volunteer engagement, GPC reports a range of 19,800 to 33,000 volunteer hours, corresponding to weekly commitments of 12 and 20 hours, respectively. The reported midpoint of 26,400 hours represents approximately 12.7 full-time equivalent positions, based on a standard annual workload of 2,080 hours per employee. Under the lower and upper scenarios, volunteer contributions represent approximately 9.5 and 15.9 full-time equivalent positions, respectively. These estimates illustrate the substantial operational capacity provided by volunteers and the importance of their contributions to GPC's program implementation, administrative support, technology development, community outreach, strategic partnerships, and organizational growth. By leveraging volunteer expertise across multiple professional disciplines, GPC strengthens its ability to deliver mission-related activities while maintaining a resource-efficient organizational structure.

Reporting Methodology and Transparency

GPC recognizes that volunteer service represents both a valuable organizational resource and an important indicator of community engagement. Accordingly, the 2025 volunteer-hour figures are presented as management-prepared estimates rather than independently verified time records. The calculations are based on volunteer contract terms, cohort participation percentages, and documented service windows, with 16 hours per week serving as the midpoint of the contractual range rather than a measured average of actual hours worked. These estimates are unaudited and are reported separately from GPC's independently audited fiscal year 2024 financial statements. By clearly distinguishing estimated service contributions from verified financial results, GPC reinforces its commitment to responsible impact reporting, transparency, and accountability while recognizing the dedication of volunteers whose collective efforts help transform surplus paint into meaningful environmental and community benefits

Where the Paint Went, 2025

50,725 gallons delivered to communities in the United States and five countries abroad

In 2025, GPC distributed 50,725 gallons: 33,570 gallons internationally and 17,155 gallons in the United States. The book value of the paint distributed, at the internal book rate of $28 per gallon used in GPC's financial records, is $1,420,300. For narrative purposes, GPC cites an estimated fair value of $47 per gallon for donated paint; the financial records in this report use the $28 book rate.

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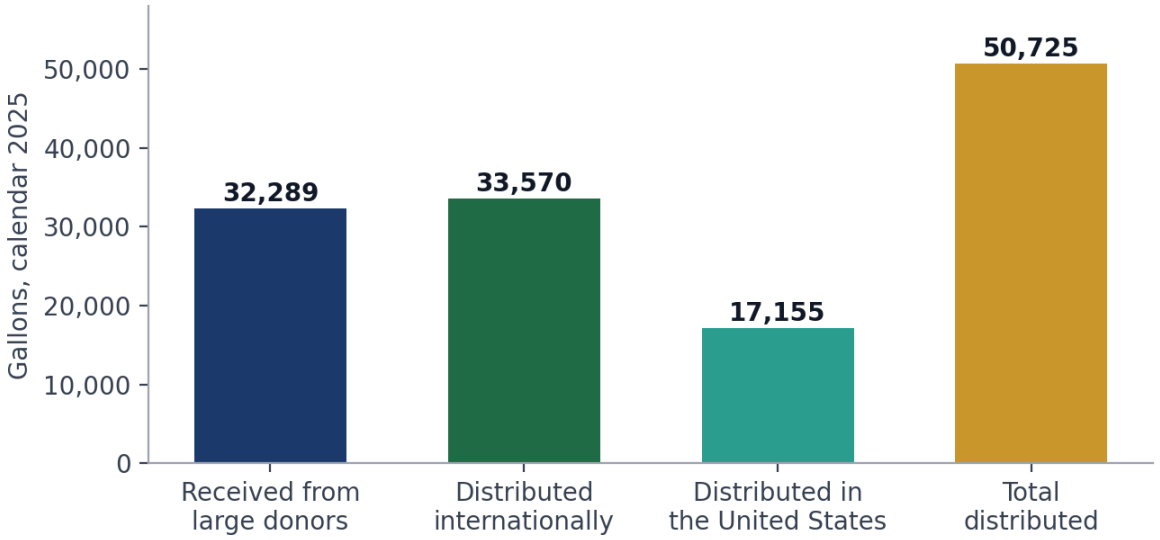

Figure 4. Paint flow, calendar 2025. Source: management 2025 workbook. Distributed volume exceeds large-donor receipts because distribution also drew on household collections and stock on hand.

International shipments, 2025

Destination	Gallons	Notes
Honduras	14,300	Two shipments: 4,800 on Feb 7 and 9,500 on May 15
Democratic Republic of Congo	5,000	Shipped Feb 17, 2025
Haiti	4,970	Shipped Nov 1, 2025
Belize	4,700	Shipped May 25, 2025
Liberia	4,600	Shipped Mar 4, 2025, through the Embassy of Liberia
Total international	**33,570**	

A Guatemala shipment is recorded with a January 26, 2025 date and no gallon count in the records. United States distribution also served Haiti programs through U.S.-based partners: BINAH Foundation of Orlando, Florida received 5,800 gallons across two deliveries, and Integral Development of Dondon, Haiti received 1,200 gallons.

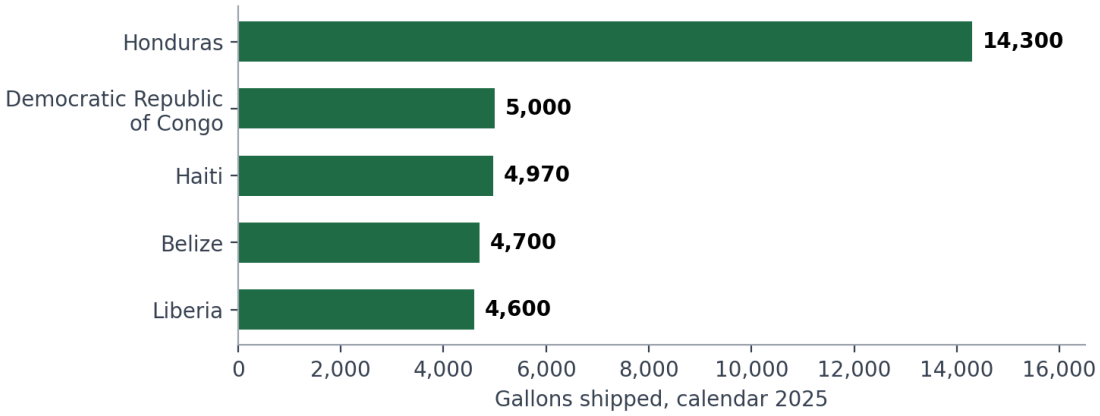

Figure 5. International shipments by destination, calendar 2025.

United States recipients, 2025 (selected)

Recipient	Gallons
BINAH Foundation, Orlando, FL	5,800
Individual recipient, Washington, DC	4,600
Integral Development of Dondon (Haiti program)	1,200
Jack Master Paint LLC	1,200
Gwinnett County Parks and Recreation, GA	950
Joe Kerlin Painting Services Inc	800
Atlanta Beautification Committee	700
Spring Painting Projects	500
Village Skate Park, Atlanta	450
Community Beautification, Las Vegas	300
The Book Bank Foundation	200
Project 150, Las Vegas	150
Atlanta City Murals	120
Individual recipient	80
Fulton County Youth Commission	80
Pigment International Foundation, Chicago	25
Total United States distribution	**17,155**

Individual recipients are shown without names to protect their privacy.

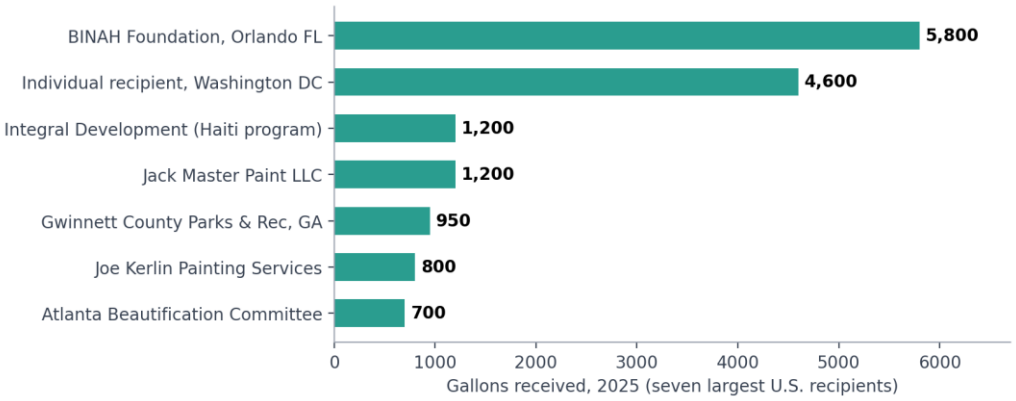

Figure 6. The seven largest U.S. recipients by gallons, calendar 2025

What happened to the paint that could not be reused

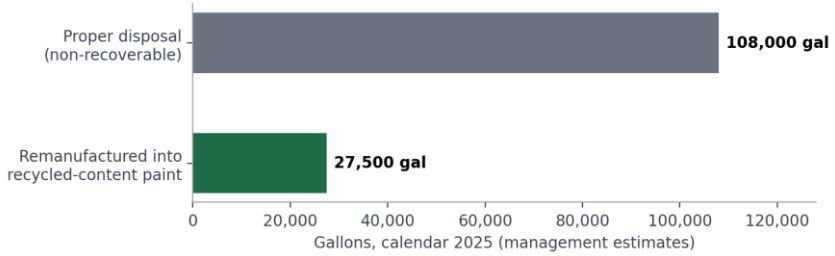

Figure 7. Disposition of paint, calendar 2025 (management estimates). Of the paint that could not be reused as received, 108,000 gallons went to proper disposal, and 27,500 gallons were remanufactured into recycled-content paint. Management also reports 16 forty-foot containers of paint received for processing, 5 containers of remanufactured paint produced in 2025, and 151.25 short tons of paint recycled, as reported in GPC's True Impact

Where the Paint Went, 2025

50,725 gallons delivered to communities in the United States and five countries abroad.

During calendar year 2025, Global Paint for Charity (GPC) demonstrated its commitment to environmental sustainability and community development through the recovery, redistribution, and recycling of surplus paint. According to management's internal records, GPC distributed 33,570 gallons of paint internationally to Honduras, the Democratic Republic of Congo, Haiti, Belize, and Liberia, while an additional 17,155 gallons were distributed to recipients across the United States, bringing documented distribution to 50,725 gallons. These contributions supported humanitarian initiatives, community beautification, educational facilities, and underserved populations, including Haiti-focused programs facilitated through U.S.-based partners. Distribution volumes exceeded large-donor receipts because GPC also utilized household paint collections and existing inventory. Additionally, management reported receiving 16 forty-foot containers of paint for processing, producing five containers of remanufactured paint, and recycling approximately 151.25 short tons of paint. These activities highlight GPC's integrated circular economy approach, transforming surplus materials into valuable community resources while reducing waste, promoting responsible paint management, and strengthening environmental and social impact across domestic and international communities (Global Paint for Charity [GPC], 2025).

At Global Paint for Charity (GPC), we believe that every brushstroke represents more than a fresh coat of paint, it symbolizes hope, dignity, opportunity, and the power of transformation. Through our sustainable paint recovery and redistribution initiatives, we empower individuals and families to revitalize their homes, restore classrooms, and create safer, brighter, and more welcoming environments. By giving surplus paint a second life, we not only reduce environmental waste but also help underserved communities improve their living conditions, strengthen neighborhood pride, and experience the joy of spaces renewed through color.

From families painting their homes to teachers, students, and volunteers transforming classrooms and community facilities, these images capture the human impact behind our mission. Every painted wall tells a story of resilience, collaboration, and renewed possibilities. What might otherwise become waste is transformed into a valuable resource that supports education, enhances community spaces, and inspires a sense of belonging**.** At GPC, we do more than redistribute paint, we help restore dignity, inspire hope, and bring lasting color to people's lives, one home, one classroom, and one community at a time.

Who Gave the Paint, 2025

Collection events, businesses, and the supporters behind every gallon

In 2025, large donors gave 32,289 gallons of paint, recorded in GPC's large-donor ledger at a book value of $904,092 (at $28 per gallon). Collection events and business donors both feed this ledger.

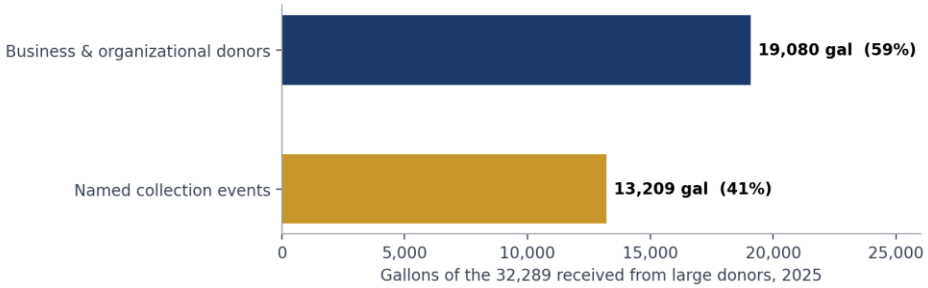

Figure 8. Sources of 32,289 gallons received from large donors, 2025. Event total: 13,209 gallons plus business and organizational donors: 19,080 gallons.

Collection events, 2025

Event	Gallons
Pope Band Recycling Day (three events: Jan 11, Apr 21, Aug 10)	6,100
Earth Day Celebration (Apr 25)	3,909
America Recycles Day (Nov 11)	3,200
Total, named collection events	**13,209**

Largest business and organizational paint donors, 2025

Donor	Gallons
Nashua Wallpaper Co., Inc	4,500
Visions Recycling Inc	3,750
Benjamin Moore Paint	2,700
Stor Safe of Cary	1,500
Venecon Inc, NC	1,000
New Image Painting	1,000
Prime Contractors, Inc	950
Inside Out Paint Center	800
Sherwin-Williams	800
Flying Colors, North Carolina	800
Total Renovations, LLC	500
Jero Merweather, Orlando, FL	400
Bear Mountain Custom Painting	340
Individual donor	40

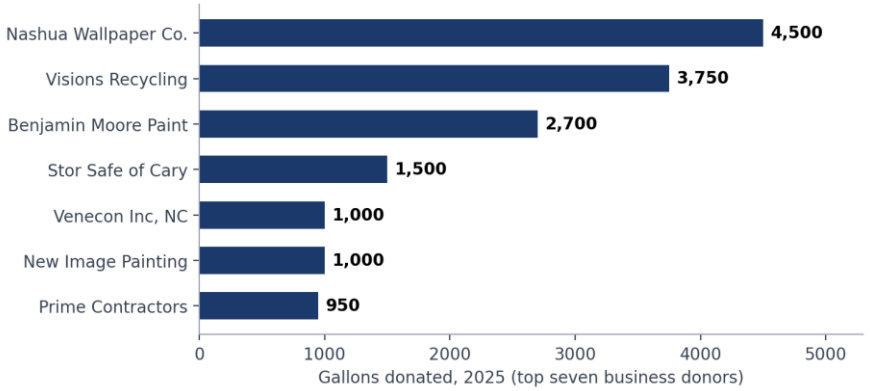

Figure 9. The seven largest business donors by gallons, 2025.

Donor pipeline (offers and standing sources; not counted in 2025 receipts)

Source	Recorded volume
Chicago, Illinois	14,400 gallons offered (60 totes); collection not confirmed
Los Angeles, California	3 containers (13,650 gallons at the 40-foot container standard); pickup on GPC
Baltimore, Maryland	Recurring offer of 1,000 cans every 3 months, most half full; plus a Baltimore stream of 500 to 700 tons of paint per year
Portland, Oregon	Standing surplus latex source, totes and palletized pails; no total quantity stated
St. Louis, Missouri	Donation inquiry; no quantity stated

Separately, in August 2026, Oroville, California provided 10 containers of gray paint (45,500 gallons at the 40-foot container standard), recorded here as a 2026 item, not a 2025 receipt.

Cash and in-kind support, 2025

$137,863
cash contributions per donor ledger

$285,000
donated professional services

$75,000
information technology services

$60,000
accounting services

During calendar year 2025, Global Paint for Charity (GPC) received $137,862.78 in cash contributions, as documented in the organization's internal donor ledger. These financial contributions supported GPC's mission to advance sustainable paint waste management, environmental stewardship, and community development initiatives. In addition to monetary donations, GPC benefited from the financial and institutional support of corporate and community partners. Among the organization's five most recent funders during the reporting period were the UPS Foundation, Wells Fargo, the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (UNLV), Sherwin-Williams, and Benjamin Moore. These partnerships reflect the importance of cross-sector collaboration in strengthening nonprofit sustainability, expanding community engagement, and supporting GPC's efforts to recover and redistribute surplus paint to underserved communities (Global Paint for Charity [GPC], 2025).

Beyond direct financial contributions, GPC's internal records documented $285,000 in donated professional services, reflecting substantial in-kind support that strengthened the organization's operational capacity and reduced the need for cash expenditures. These contributions included $75,000 in information technology services provided by Sherica Tennell, $150,000 in executive leadership and management services contributed by Dr. Rony Delgarde, and $60,000 in professional accounting services provided by Daniel Vildor, CPA. Combined with cash contributions, these recorded amounts represent $422,862.78 in total cash and in-kind support for 2025. The donated services illustrate the significant role of specialized expertise, volunteer leadership, and professional partnerships in advancing GPC's organizational effectiveness, financial stewardship, technological development, and long-term sustainability. These figures are based on management's unaudited internal records, and the recognition of donated services as revenue and expenses in formal financial statements remains subject to applicable nonprofit accounting standards (GPC, 2025).

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Financial Summary

Audited results for 2024; management records for 2025

Fiscal year 2024 (audited)

Independent auditors: The Tax Store P.C., Roswell, Georgia. Unqualified opinion, report dated May 6, 2025. Statement of Activities, year ended December 31, 2024.

Revenue and support	Dollars	Share
Individual and public support contributions	$112,002	9.6%
Corporate organizations contributions	$21,130	1.8%
Grant and event revenue	$72,060	6.2%
In-kind donations (donated paint)	$959,600	82.4%
Total revenue and support	**$1,164,792**	**100%**

Expenses by function	Dollars	Share
Program services	$974,765	98.5%
Management and general	$14,392	1.5%
Fundraising	$750	0.1%
Total expenses	**$989,907**	**100%**

Shares are rounded to one decimal place and may not sum exactly to 100 percent. The largest single expense category was in-kind paint distributed, $907,439 (91.7 percent of total expenses). Change in net assets for FY2024: an increase of $174,885. The audited statement of financial position is not reproduced in this report.

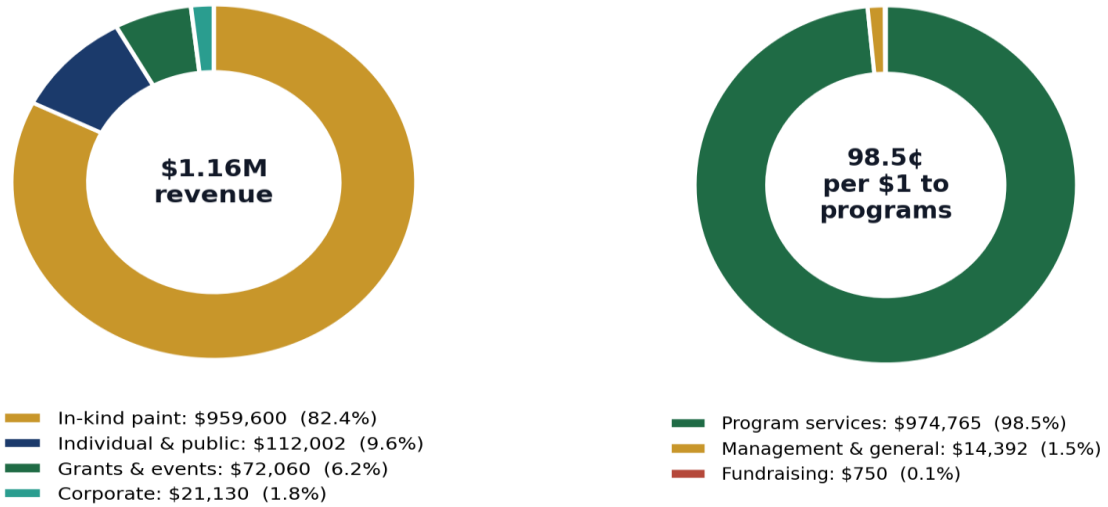

Figure 10. Revenue composition (left) and expenses by function (right), fiscal year 2024 (audited)

Global Paint for Charity's audited fiscal year 2024 financial statements demonstrate strong programmatic investment and responsible resource stewardship, with total revenue and support of $1,164,792 and total expenses of $989,907, resulting in a $174,885 increase in net assets. Notably, 98.5% of expenditure was allocated to program services, underscoring the organization's mission-driven approach and commitment to maximizing community impact. In-kind paint donations represented 82.4% of total revenue and support, highlighting the critical role of donated resources and strategic partnerships in advancing GPC's circular economy model. These findings, supported by an independent unqualified audit opinion, provide a foundation for evaluating the organization's financial performance, operational efficiency, and long-term sustainability (Global Paint for Charity [GPC], 2024).

Calendar year 2025 (management-prepared records, unaudited)

Item	Figure
Paint received from large donors	32,289 gallons, book value $904,092
Paint distributed	50,725 gallons, book value $1,420,300
Cash contributions per donor ledger	$137,862.78
Donated professional services per donor ledger	$285,000
Cash operating expenses, GPC	$64,390.33
Volunteer hours (management estimate)	≈ 26,400 hours (range 19,800 to 33,000)

The 2025 financial figures for Global Paint for Charity (GPC) are derived from management's unaudited internal financial records and reflect the organization's reported financial activities and inventory position. For internal accounting purposes, donated paint is valued at a book rate of $28 per gallon. As of December 31, 2025, GPC maintained 2,750 gallons of paint at its Peachtree Corners facility, representing a recorded inventory value of $77,000. Additionally, the organization's inventory schedule identified 663,370 gallons of paint pledged for donation within the United States and 53,400 gallons internationally. These pledged quantities represent prospective donations awaiting collection rather than physical inventory under GPC's control and are therefore excluded from reported assets. The financial workbook also contains transactions associated with Global Paint Solutions LLC (GPS; EIN 83-0761714), a related but legally distinct entity. Accordingly, GPS cash expenditures totaling $39,456.12 have been excluded from GPC's reported financial figures to maintain organizational and financial reporting distinctions. These figures are management-prepared and have not been independently audited (Global Paint for Charity [GPC], 2025)

2026 budget (management budget)

$1,804,006
Budgeted total revenue and support

$1,793,813
Budgeted total expenses

Global Paint for Charity's management-prepared operating budget for fiscal year 2026 projects total revenue and support of $1,804,006, compared with anticipated operating expenses of $1,793,813, resulting in a projected operating surplus of $10,193, equivalent to approximately 0.56% of budgeted revenue. These projections reflect management's financial expectations and planned resource allocations to support the organization's charitable programs, operational activities, environmental sustainability initiatives, and international community development efforts. The budget provides a framework for financial stewardship, operational planning, and organizational sustainability. However, these amounts represent forward-looking estimates rather than audited financial results, and actual performance may vary depending on fundraising outcomes, donated resources, operating costs, and program implementation (Global Paint for Charity [GPC], 2026).

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Voices from the Field

In their own words

Testimonials are undated and drawn from GPC's program history. They are not tied to the 2025 shipment records.

> *"Our company worked with GPC to coordinate a huge donation of open container latex/waterbased paint. Many of the initial avenues we explored were not interested in taking open containers of usable paint, only sealed cans/buckets.*
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> *Dr. Rony and staff were extremely helpful during the process, and the overall cost to us was quite reasonable compared to what it would have taken to dispose of the paint with waste management. On top of that, the costs and value of the paint can be considered a charitable contribution for tax purposes.*
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> *Mainly though, we were happy to have found a way for all of that leftover paint to be used instead of being discarded. GPC is doing great work, and I will be recommending them to anybody else in the industry that is in a similar situation!"*
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> **— Brandon McDaniels**

> *"GPC, thank you so much for supporting our Earth Day Saturday! We greatly appreciate you and your group being there. As I mentioned, I had no idea how much paint would be collected in that short time. You indicated that your preliminary estimate is 6,000 gallons of paint collected. We are very interested in a follow-up Press Release and would love to get our story out soon. Thank you again for everything, and we look forward to partnering again in the near future!"*
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> **— Schelly T. Marlatt, Gwinnett County Board of Commissioners**

> *"Global Paints provided a beautiful, clean environment for my community, my children, and me. Because of these changes, I feel so much better about myself and the future of my 9 children. Within 2 months of my house being painted, I regained my life and happiness. My children and I live in a beautiful community. The GPC staff and volunteers helped me learn to use paint to create art and craft products. It was through both the paint donation and the support of GPC staff and volunteers that I was able to move forward and start a small boutique. Every day I feel stronger and happier. Thanks to Global Paints, and thank you, Rony. God will bless you."*
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> **— A mother of nine children, Milimani Village, Samburu District, Kenya**

> *"Global Paint! We wanted to thank you for connecting with us and for your painting donations. Today, we gave children the chance to paint for the first time, and some volunteered for the first time. As youth leaders, it was awesome to see them work together and use their creativity. Global Paint has touched our lives, and each time a kid walks into those rooms to sleep, hang out, or learn, they will be impacted by your organization. We will definitely send pictures of the finished projects and keep you posted on where the paint goes. Thanks again!"*
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> **— E3 Leaders, Chicago, IL**

Note on the Earth Day testimonial: the 6,000-gallon figure is a preliminary on-the-day estimate. This report uses the donor ledger, which records the Earth Day Celebration (April 25) at 3,909 gallons.

Looking ahead: the 2026 distribution plan (planned)

GPC’s 2026 beneficiary distribution plan names these container allocations:

Destination	Containers
Nepal	3
Fort Lauderdale, Florida	2
Belize	2
Guyana	2
Honduras	2
Uganda	1
Haiti	1
Cameroon	1
Morocco	1

These are planned allocations, not completed shipments.

Global Paint for Charity's (GPC) 2026 beneficiary distribution plan outlines the proposed allocation of 15 shipping containers of donated paint across nine domestic and international destinations, reflecting the organization's commitment to humanitarian assistance, environmental sustainability, and community revitalization. Notably, three containers are designated for Nepal to support flood recovery and reconstruction efforts, helping affected communities restore damaged homes, schools, and essential community facilities following devastating flooding. This initiative, coordinated with local humanitarian partners, demonstrates GPC's commitment to disaster recovery and long-term community resilience. Additional planned allocations include two containers each for Fort Lauderdale, Florida, Belize, Guyana, and Honduras, and one container each for Uganda, Haiti, Cameroon, and Morocco. These proposed distributions aim to improve living conditions, strengthen community infrastructure, and advance sustainable paint reuse. All allocations remain subject to funding, transportation logistics, customs clearance, and recipient readiness and should not be interpreted as completed shipments (Global Paint for Charity [GPC], 2026).

Closing and How to Help

Sixteen years in, the model is proven, and the need is unchanged

In 2024, independent auditors confirmed a lean organization: more than 98 cents of every expense dollar went to program services. In 2025, the work moved 50,725 gallons of paint to communities in the United States and five countries abroad, served an estimated 888,455 community members, and was powered by roughly 26,400 volunteer hours. GPC thanks every donor of paint, funds, and professional time, every county and community partner, and every volunteer who lifted a bucket.

Give paint.	**Give funds.**	**Give time.**
Donate surplus paint through a pickup or drop-off.	Support recovery, transport, and distribution costs.	Join GPC's volunteer cohort and help put paint to work.

Sources and Basis of Preparation

For evaluators and record-keeping

Period or item	Basis	Assurance
Cumulative figures since 2010	Management cumulative records	Unaudited
Fiscal year 2024 financials	Statement of Activities, year ended Dec 31, 2024	Audited; unqualified opinion dated May 6, 2025 (The Tax Store P.C.)
Calendar year 2025 paint, donor, and cash figures	Management 2025 workbook and donor ledger	Unaudited
2025 community members served; remanufactured and disposed paint	Management estimates	Estimates, unaudited
2025 volunteer hours	Contract terms, cohort shares, and service windows at a 16 hrs/week midpoint	Management estimate; range 19,800 to 33,000
2026 distribution plan and budget	Beneficiary distribution plan; management budget	Planned, not completed

Help Us Paint a Brighter Future!

Your generosity helps Global Paint for Charity transform leftover paint into hope, happiness, and pride for underserved communities worldwide. At Global Paint for Charity, we believe that everyone deserves to live, learn, and thrive in a safe, colorful, and dignified environment. Every donation brings us closer to a world filled with color, dignity, and opportunity.

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