

## **AMERICAN KIDNEY SERVICES, INC (“AKS”) CORPORATE INFORMATION**

### **AKS Mission Statement**

American Kidney Services, Inc. is a nonprofit corporation, designated as tax- exempt under Internal Revenue Code Section 501 (c) (3). The mission of American Kidney Services, Inc. is to help kidney patients and their families through its support of the American Kidney Fund, Inc., one of the Top Three Charities in the country. American Kidney Services, Inc. raises money by soliciting donations of household discards and used clothing from potential donors, sells such donated items to a for-profit entity. The amounts received are used to provide cash donations to the American Kidney Fund, Inc. This for-profit entity also reimburses American Kidney Services, Inc. for all costs of solicitations. AKS owns and operates the website [www.akspickup.org](http://www.akspickup.org)

### **Summary of Program Service Accomplishments**

American kidney Services, Inc. was incorporated in November 2004, and initially contemplated accomplishing its purpose by soliciting contributions of household discards and used clothing within the State of Georgia. As its operations grew more successful, American Kidney Services, Inc. in 2013 expanded its solicitations to Texas as well.

### **Members of the Board of Directors**

In the Past Fiscal year, there have been no changes in the Board of Directors. Edward A. Zito remained the President of the organization. Gary Alexander remained the Chairman of the Board, Scott Lehmann remained Treasurer, and Tyler Alexander remained the Vice President and Secretary. Michael Fleming remained on the Board of Directors.