

Haredim for the State - A Shared Story

A podcast by the Haredi Institute for Democracy

FINANCIAL PLAN

The podcast is currently operating through a mixed, transitional funding model. The two hosts contribute their time on a voluntary basis. The producer is paid, while studio use and social media support are currently partially subsidized by the nonprofit organization where the podcast is recorded. This partial subsidy is expected to end, creating the need for a new and more sustainable funding base.

For the coming year, the Haredi Institute for Democracy is prepared to contribute approximately 22% of the total project value through the continued voluntary professional time of the podcast hosts, equivalent to approximately \$23,700 annually.

We are seeking philanthropic funding for the remaining production, research, technical, distribution, public relations, and audience-growth costs. In parallel, the Institute will continue approaching additional philanthropic partners in order to diversify the project's funding base and avoid reliance on a single funder.

The immediate goal is to secure sufficient funding to maintain uninterrupted weekly production of 52 episodes while significantly expanding the podcast's reach and its role as a platform for community-building and democratic civic engagement.

Over time, we aim to establish the podcast as a stable, ongoing platform of the Haredi Institute for Democracy and Lechatchila - Torah Im Derech Eretz, supported through a diversified mix of philanthropic funding and organizational contribution.