Board of Trustees Laramie County Community College Cheyenne, Wyoming

We are pleased to present this report related to our audit of the consolidated financial statements of Laramie County Community College (the "College") for the year ended June 30, 2014. This report summarizes certain matters required by professional standards to be communicated to you in your oversight responsibility for the College's financial and compliance reporting process.

Auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (AU-C 260, *The Auditor's Communication with Those Charged with Governance*) require the auditor to promote effective two-way communication between the auditor and those charged with governance. Consistent with this requirement, the following summarizes our responsibilities regarding the basic financial statement audit, as well as observations arising from our audit that are significant and relevant to your responsibility to oversee the financial and compliance reporting process.

#### Our Responsibilities with Regard to the Financial Statement Audit

Our responsibilities under auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, have been described to you in our arrangement letter dated June 20, 2014.

#### Overview of the Planned Scope and Timing of the Financial Statement Audit

We have issued a separate communication regarding the planned scope and timing of our audit and have discussed with you our identification of and planned audit response to significant risks of material misstatement.

#### **Accounting Policies and Practices**

- Preferability of Accounting Policies and Practices: There were no circumstances that required management to select amongst alternative accounting practices.
- Adoption of, or Change in, Accounting Policies: Management has the ultimate responsibility for the appropriateness of the accounting policies used by the College. Following is a description of a significant accounting policy that was changed during the year:

Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 65, *Items Previously Reported as Assets and Liabilities*. The objective of Statement No. 65 is to establish accounting and financial reporting standards that reclassify, as deferred outflows or deferred inflows of resources, certain items that were previously reported as assets and liabilities. See impact of adoption in Note 13 to the financial statements.

• Significant or Unusual Transactions: We did not identify any significant or unusual transactions or significant accounting policies in controversial or emerging areas for which there is a lack of authoritative guidance or consensus.

- Management's Judgments and Accounting Estimates: Accounting estimates are an integral part of the preparation of basic financial statements and are based upon management's current judgment. The process used by management encompasses their knowledge and experience about past and current events and certain assumptions about future events. Management has informed us that they used all the relevant facts available to them at the time to make the best judgments about accounting estimates, and we considered this information in the scope of our audit. Estimates significant to the financial statements include the items listed below. The College may wish to monitor throughout the year the process used to compute and record these accounting estimates.
  - 1. Significant Estimate: Deferred Property Tax Receivable
    - Accounting Policy: Property taxes assessed during the year which will be levied and recognized as revenue in the subsequent year.
    - Management's Estimation Process: 5 mills of Laramie County valuation.
    - Our Conclusion: We evaluated the estimation process and noted it appeared reasonable.
  - 2. Significant Estimate: Scholarship Allowance
    - Accounting Policy: Scholarship discounts and allowances are the difference between the stated charge for the goods and services provided by the College and the amount that was paid by the students or third parties making payments on the student's behalf.
    - Management's Estimation Process: NACUBO Guidelines.
    - Our Conclusion: We evaluated the estimation process and noted it appeared reasonable.

#### Audit Adjustments

Audit adjustments proposed by us and recorded by the College are included in the attached representation letter within *the Summary of Recorded Audit Adjustments*.

#### **Uncorrected Misstatements**

Uncorrected misstatements are included in the attached representation letter within the Summary of Uncorrected Misstatements.

#### Disagreements with Management

We encountered no disagreements with management over the application of significant accounting principles, the basis for management's judgments on any significant matters, the scope of the audit, or significant disclosures to be included in the financial statements.

#### Consultation with Other Accountants

We are not aware of any consultations management had with other accountants about accounting or auditing matters.

#### Significant Issues Discussed with Management

No significant issues arising from the audit were discussed with or were the subject of correspondence with management.

#### Significant Difficulties Encountered in Performing the Audit

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We did not encounter any significant difficulties in dealing with management during the audit.

#### Significant Written Communications between Management and Our Firm

A copy of the audit representation letter between our firm and the management of the College is attached to this letter.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Trustees and management and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties. It will be our pleasure to respond to any questions you have about this report. We appreciate the opportunity to continue to be of service to Laramie County Community College.

Cheyenne, Wyoming October 28, 2014

McGee, Hearne & Paiz, LLP P.O. Box 1088 Cheyenne, Wyoming 82003

This representation letter is provided in connection with your audits of the basic financial statements of Laramie County Community College (the "College") as of and for the years ended June 30, 2014 and 2013 for the purpose of expressing an opinion on whether the financial statements are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (U.S. GAAP).

We confirm, to the best of our knowledge and belief, that as of the date of this letter:

#### **Financial Statements**

- 1. We have fulfilled our responsibilities, as set out in the terms of the audit arrangement letter dated June 20, 2014, for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements referred to above in accordance with U.S. GAAP.
- 2. We acknowledge our responsibility for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.
- 3. We acknowledge our responsibility for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control to prevent and detect fraud.
- 4. Significant assumptions used by us in making accounting estimates, including those measured at fair value, are reasonable and reflect our judgment based on our knowledge and experience about past and current events and our assumptions about conditions we expect to exist and courses of action we expect to take.
- 5. Related party transactions, including those with Laramie County Community College Foundation and Laramie County Community College Building Authority, as defined in Section 2100 of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board's Codification of Governmental Accounting and Financial Reporting Standards, and interfund transactions, including interfund accounts and advances receivable and payable, sale and purchase transactions, interfund transfers, long-term loans, leasing arrangements, and guarantees, have been recorded in accordance with the economic substance of the transaction and appropriately accounted for and disclosed in accordance with the requirements of U.S. GAAP.
- 6. All events subsequent to the date of the financial statements and for which U.S. GAAP requires adjustment or disclosure have been adjusted or disclosed.
- 7. The effects of all known actual or possible litigation and claims have been accounted for and disclosed in accordance with U.S. GAAP.

- 8. We acknowledge our responsibility for the selection and application of accounting policies. In that regard, all accounting policies used by us during the year are deemed appropriate.
- 9. There are no unasserted claims or assessments that our lawyer has advised us are probable of assertion and must be disclosed in accordance with Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 5 and/or GASB Statement No. 10.
- 10. We have no direct or indirect, legal or moral obligation for any debt of any organization, public or private, that is not disclosed in the financial statements.
- 11. We have complied with all aspects of contractual agreements that would have a material effect on the financial statements in the event of noncompliance.
- 12. We have informed you of all uncorrected misstatements. The uncorrected misstatements are included in the *Summary of Uncorrected Misstatements* attached as Appendix A.

#### Information Provided

- 13. We have provided you with:
  - a. Access to all information, of which we are aware that is relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements such as records, documentation, and other matters;
  - b. Additional information that you have requested from us for the purpose of the audit;
  - c. Unrestricted access to persons within the entity from whom you determined it necessary to obtain audit evidence.
  - d. Minutes of the meetings of the governing board and committees or summaries of actions of recent meetings for which minutes have not yet been prepared.
- 14. All transactions have been recorded in the accounting records and are reflected in the financial statements.
- 15. We have disclosed to you the results of our assessment of risk that the financial statements may be materially misstated as a result of fraud.
- 16. We have no knowledge of allegations of fraud or suspected fraud, affecting the College's financial statements involving:
  - a. Management.
  - b. Employees who have significant roles in the internal control.
  - c. Others where the fraud could have a material effect on the financial statements.
- 17. We have no knowledge of any allegations of fraud or suspected fraud affecting the College's financial statements received in communications from employees, former employees, analysts, regulators, short sellers, or others.
- 18. We have no knowledge of noncompliance or suspected noncompliance with laws and regulations whose effects were considered when preparing financial statements.
- 19. We have disclosed to you all known actual or possible litigation and claims whose effects should be considered when preparing the financial statements and we have not consulted legal counsel concerning litigation or claims.

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- 20. We have disclosed to you the identity of the College's related parties and all the related-party relationships and transactions of which we are aware, and there are no material items necessary for disclosure.
- 21. We are aware of no significant deficiencies, including material weaknesses, in the design or operation of internal controls that could adversely affect the College's ability to record, process, summarize, and report financial data.
- 22. We are aware of no communications from regulatory agencies concerning noncompliance with, or deficiencies in, financial reporting practices.

#### **Supplementary Information**

- 23. With respect to supplementary information presented in relation to the financial statements as a whole:
  - a. We acknowledge our responsibility for the presentation of such information.
  - b. We believe such information, including its form and content, is fairly presented in accordance with U.S. GAAP.
  - c. The methods of measurement or presentation have not changed from those used in the prior period.
  - d. There are no significant assumptions or interpretations regarding the measurement or presentation of such information.
- 24. With respect to management's discussion and analysis presented as required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board to supplement the basic financial statements:
  - a. We acknowledge our responsibility for the presentation of such required supplementary information.
  - b. We believe such required supplementary information is measured and presented in accordance with guidelines prescribed by U.S. GAAP.
  - c. The methods of measurement or presentation have not changed from those used in the prior period.
  - d. There are no significant assumptions or interpretations regarding the measurement or presentation of such information.
- 25. We represent that as of the date of this letter, the financial statements were complete in a form and format that complied with U.S. GAAP, and all approvals necessary for issuance of the financial statements had been obtained.
- 26. We are responsible for and have reviewed and approved the proposed adjustments to the trial balance identified during the audit, which are included in the *Summary of Recorded Audit Adjustments* and will post all adjustments accordingly. These adjustments are attached as Appendix B.
- 27. During the course of your audits, you may have accumulated records containing data that should be reflected in our books and records. All such data have been so reflected. Accordingly, copies of such records in your possession are no longer needed by us.

#### **Compliance Considerations**

In connection with your audit, conducted in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we confirm that management:

28. Is responsible for compliance with the laws, regulations, and provisions of contracts and grant agreements applicable to the auditee.

- 29. Has identified and disclosed to the auditor that there were no instances that have occurred or are likely to have occurred, of fraud and noncompliance with provisions of laws and regulations that have a material effect on the financial statements or other financial data significant to the audit objectives, or other instances that warrant the attention of those charged with governance.
- 30. Has identified and disclosed to the auditor that there were no instances that have occurred or are likely to have occurred, of noncompliance with provisions of contracts and grant agreements that have a material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts or other financial data significant to the audit objectives.
- 31. Has identified and disclosed to the auditor that there were no instances that have occurred or are likely to have occurred of abuse that could be quantitatively or qualitatively material to the financial statements or other financial data significant to the audit objectives.
- 32. Has taken timely and appropriate steps to remedy noncompliance with provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements that the auditor reports.
- 33. Has a process to track the status of audit findings and recommendations.
- 34. Has identified for the auditor that there were no previous audits, attestation engagements, and other studies related to the audit objectives.
- 35. Has provided views on the auditor's reported findings, conclusions, and recommendations, as well as management's planned corrective actions, for the report.
- 36. Acknowledges its responsibilities as it relates to nonaudit services performed by the auditor, including a statement that it assumes all management responsibilities; that it oversees the services by designating an individual, preferably within senior management, who possesses suitable skill, knowledge, or experience; that it evaluates the adequacy and results of the services performed; and that it accepts responsibility for the results of the services.

In connection with your audit of Federal awards conducted in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*, we confirm:

- 37. Management is responsible for complying, and has complied, with the requirements of Circular A-133.
- 38. Management is responsible for understanding and complying with the requirements of laws, regulations, and the provisions of contracts and grant agreements related to each of its Federal programs.
- 39. Management is responsible for establishing and maintaining, and has established and maintained, effective internal control over compliance for Federal programs that provides reasonable assurance that the auditee is managing Federal awards in compliance with laws, regulations, and the provisions of contracts or grant agreements that could have a material effect on its Federal programs.
- 40. Management has prepared the schedule of expenditures of Federal awards in accordance with Circular A133 and has included expenditures made during the period being audited for all awards provided by
  Federal agencies in the form of grants, Federal cost-reimbursement contracts, loans, loan guarantees,
  property (including donated surplus property), cooperative agreements, interest subsidies, insurance, food
  commodities, direct appropriations, and other assistance.
- 41. Management has identified and disclosed to the auditor the requirements of laws, regulations, and the provisions of contracts and grant agreements that are considered to have a direct and material effect on each major program.
- 42. Management has made available all contracts and grant agreements (including amendments, if any) and any other correspondence relevant to Federal programs and related activities that have taken place with Federal agencies or pass-through entities.

- 43. Management has identified and disclosed to the auditor all amounts questioned and all known noncompliance with the direct and material compliance requirements of Federal awards.
- 44. Management believes that the College has complied with the direct and material compliance requirements, except for noncompliance it has disclosed to the auditor.
- 45. Management has made available all documentation related to compliance with the direct and material compliance requirements, including information related to Federal program financial reports and claims for advances and reimbursements.
- 46. Management has provided to the auditor its interpretations of any compliance requirements that are subject to varying interpretations.
- 47. Management has disclosed to the auditor that there were no communications from grantors and pass-through entities concerning possible noncompliance with the direct and material compliance requirements, including communications received from the end of the period covered by the compliance audit to the date of the auditor's report.
- 48. Management has disclosed to the auditor that there were no findings received or related corrective actions taken for previous audits, attestation engagements, and internal or external monitoring that directly relate to the objectives of the compliance audit, including findings received and corrective actions taken from the end of the period covered by the compliance audit to the date of the auditor's report.
- 49. Management is responsible for taking corrective action on audit findings of the compliance audit.
- 50. Management has provides the auditor with all information on the status of the follow-up on prior audit findings by Federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities, including all management decisions.
- 51. Management is not aware of any subsequent events that provide additional evidence with respect to conditions that existed at the end of the reporting period that affect noncompliance during the reporting period.
- 52. Management is not aware of any known noncompliance with direct and material compliance requirements occurring subsequent to the period covered by the auditor's report.
- 53. Management is not aware of any changes in internal control over compliance or other factors that might significantly affect internal control, including any corrective action taken by management with regard to significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in internal control over compliance, that have occurred subsequent to the date as of which compliance is audited.
- 54. Federal program financial reports and claims for advances and reimbursements are supported by the books and records from which the basic financial statements have been prepared.
- 55. The copies of Federal program financial reports provided to the auditor are true copies of the reports submitted, or electronically transmitted, to the Federal agency or pass-through entity, as applicable.
- 56. Management has monitored subrecipients to determine that they have expended pass-through assistance in accordance with applicable laws and regulations and have met the requirements of Circular A-133.
- 57. Management has issued management decisions timely after their receipt of subrecipients' auditor's reports that identified noncompliance with laws, regulations, or the provisions of contracts or grant agreements, and has ensured that subrecipients have taken the appropriate and timely corrective action on findings.
- 58. Management has considered the results of subrecipient audits and has made any necessary adjustments to the auditee's own books and records.
- 59. Management has charged costs to Federal awards in accordance with applicable cost principles.

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- 60. Management is responsible for, and has accurately prepared, the summary schedule of prior audit findings to include all findings required to be included by Circular A-133.
- 61. Management has accurately completed the appropriate sections of the data collection form.

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Carol Hoglund, Vice President of	Herry Andrews, Director of Accounting Services

#### APPENDIX A

#### LARAMIE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

### **Summary of Uncorrected Misstatements As of and For the Year Ended June 30, 2014**

Management believes that the effects of the uncorrected misstatements aggregated by you and summarized below are immaterial, both individually and in the aggregate to the basic financial statements. For purposes of this representation, we consider items to be material, regardless of their size, if they involve the misstatement or omission of accounting information that, in light of surrounding circumstances, makes it probable that the judgment of a reasonable person relying on the information would be changed or influenced by the omission or misstatement.

	Effect - Debit (Credit)									
Description	A	ssets	I	Liabilities		Equity	R	evenue	]	Expenses
Carryover Impact from Previous Years:										
Accrual of June 2013 payroll	\$	-	\$	-	\$	80,480	\$	-	\$	(80,480)
Current Year Misstatements:										
Known Errors: Accrual of June 2014 payroll		-		(80,341)		-		-		80,341
	\$	-	\$	(80,341)	\$	80,480	\$	-	\$	(139)

#### APPENDIX B

#### LARAMIE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE Summary of Recorded Audit Adjustments June 30, 2014

Account Number	Name		Debit		Credit
Adjusting Journal Entry #1					
	Calculation requested by the College.	Φ.	02.004		
10-410-000000-3302 GF01 10-410-119801-8130 GF01	General: Reserve for TOPS TOP: TOP	\$	82,084		(82,084)
10 410 117001 0130 0101	101 . 101	\$	82,084	\$	(82,084)
Adingting January Entury #2			- ,	·	( , , , , ,
Adjusting Journal Entry #2	LRM14 in fixed assets (2014 library additions).				
70-410-000000-2104 GF01	General: Library Resource Materials	\$	90,076		
70-410-000000-7901 GF01	General: Operating Transfers: Equipment	Ψ	,0,0.0		(90,076)
		\$	90,076	\$	(90,076)
Adjusting Journal Entry #3					
To roll equity for journal entries	es not posted by College.				
10-410-000000-5000 GF01	General: Fund Balance	\$	16		
10-410-000000-5000 GF01	General: Fund Balance		200		
10-410-110111-9210 GF01	Mass Med./Multimed.: Contract Services				(200)
10-410-461101-9210 GF01	Dean of Arts & Humanities : Contract Service				(16)
20-410-110438-3900 GF01 20-410-110438-5020 GF01	INBRE Deferred Revenue		37,636		(37,636)
70-410-000000-2105 GF01	INBRE (Even) : Department Fund Balance General : Equipment - Current		6,963		
70-410-000000-2103 GF01	General: A/P Lease Obligation: ACC		0,703		(100,000)
70-410-000000-5000 GF01	General: Fund Balance		100,000		(100,000)
70-410-000000-5000 GF01	General: Fund Balance		,		(6,963)
		\$	144,815	\$	(144,815)
Adjusting Journal Entry #4					
	current year property tax receivable and deferred revenue.				
10-410-000000-1321 GF01	General: Uncollected Tax held by County	\$	5,416		
10-410-000000-1550 GF01	General: Property Tax Receivable		452,708		
10-410-000000-3915 GF01	General: Deferred Revenue				(452,708)
10-410-000000-6410 GF01	General: Mill Levy				(5,416)
11-410-000000-1321 GF01	General: Uncollected Tax held by County		1,354		
11-410-000000-1550 GF01 11-410-000000-3915 GF01	General : Property Tax Receivable General : Deferred Revenue		150,903		(150,903)
11-410-000000-3913 GF01 11-410-000000-6410 GF01	General: Mill Levy				(1,354)
75-410-000000-1321 GF01	General: Uncollected Tax held by County				(132)
75-410-000000-6410 GF01	General: Mill Levy		132		(102)
	•	\$	610,513	\$	(610,513)
Adjusting Journal Entry #5					
	equestrian stalls and transfer equestrian stalls to plant.				
10-410-760200-9795 GF01	Operating Transfer	\$	450,466		
10-410-760200-9954 GF01	Repair & Renov: Other: Building Improvement				(450,466)
70-410-000000-2225 GF01	General: Equestia Stalls 1990		450,466		
70-410-000000-7902 GF01	General: Operating Trans:Bldg/Site/Infr				(450,466)
		\$	900,932	\$	(900,932)
Adjusting Journal Entry #6					
	r wayfinding CIP and welding and entry improv CIP to plant.				
10-410-760200-9795 GF01	Operating Transfer	\$	54,030		/# · o = =:
10-410-760200-9952 GF01	Repair & Renov: Other: Site Improvement		710 7		(54,030)
11-410-710102-9795 GF01	Operating Transfer		713,766		(710.755)
11-410-710102-9947 GF01	Ann. Temp. Res.: Remodeling expense				(713,766)

Account Number	Name		Debit		Credit
Adjusting Journal Entry #6 (co	ntinued):				
70-410-000000-2321 GF01	CIP - Wayfinding	\$	54,030		
70-410-000000-2456 GF01	CIP - Entry Improv		385,614		
70-410-000000-2457 GF01	General: CIP:CT- Welding Training Area		333,152		
70-410-000000-7902 GF01	General: Operating Trans:Bldg/Site/Infr				(54,030)
70-410-000000-7902 GF01	General: Operating Trans:Bldg/Site/Infr				(718,766)
		\$	1,540,592	\$	(1,540,592)
Adjusting Journal Entry #7					
To record prior year INBRE de					
20-410-110437-6500 GF01	INBRE (Odd): Federal Contracts and Grants			\$	(4,547)
20-410-110438-3900 GF01	INBRE Deferred Revenue	_	4,547	_	
		\$	4,547	\$	(4,547)
Adjusting Journal Entry #8					
To adjust for overstated assets.					
70-410-000000-2106 GF01	General: Equipment - Federal fund			\$	(42,000)
70-410-000000-2109 GF01	General: Equipment - Plant		10.000		(6,000)
70-410-000000-2123 GF01	General: Grants Equip. Accum. Depr.		18,900		
70-410-000000-9971 GF01	General: Loss on Disposed Asset	Φ.	29,100	Φ	(49,000)
		\$	48,000	\$	(48,000)
Adjusting Journal Entry #9					
	e fiscal year 2014 vacation liability adjustment.	Φ.	156704		
10-410-000000-3201 GF01	General: Provision for Vacation Pay	\$	156,794		(47.010)
10-410-119803-8310 GF01	Float: ESS Full Time				(47,918)
10-410-310115-8310 GF01	Float: ESS Full Time Float: ESS Full Time				(1,791)
10-410-460115-8310 GF01 10-410-510104-8310 GF01	Float: ESS Full Time Float: ESS Full Time				(12,586)
10-410-630803-8310 GF01	Float: ESS Full Time				(61,278) (12,924)
10-410-710103-8310 GF01	Float: ESS Full Time				(12,924) $(20,297)$
10-410-710103-0310 GI 01	Tout. LSS I un Time	\$	156,794	\$	(156,794)
Adjusting Journal Entury #10					(
Adjusting Journal Entry #10	fiscal year 2014 vacation accrual for employer share of FICA.				
10-410-000000-3201 GF01	General: Provision for Vacation Pay			\$	(86,549)
10-410-119803-8310 GF01	Float: ESS Full Time		14,685	Ψ	(60,547)
10-410-310115-8310 GF01	Float: ESS Full Time		1,447		
10-410-460115-8310 GF01	Float: ESS Full Time		17,266		
10-410-510104-8310 GF01	Float: ESS Full Time		14,435		
10-410-630803-8310 GF01	Float: ESS Full Time		26,848		
10-410-710103-8310 GF01	Float: ESS Full Time		11,868		
		\$	86,549	\$	(86,549)
Adjusting Journal Entry #11					
<u> </u>	Foundation and State endowment match activity.				
40-410-000000-1216 GF01	General: Challenge Endow:Hld by Found.	\$	49,162		
40-410-000000-6603 GF01	General: St. of WY-Challenge Grant Inc.		34,628		
40-410-810100-1216 GF01	State Challenge Grant : Challenge Endow:Hl		108,715		
40-410-810100-1218 GF01	State Challenge Grant : Challenge Endow/In		985,910		
40-410-810100-1218 GF01	State Challenge Grant : Challenge Endow/In		328,159		(92.700)
40-410-810100-6603 GF01	State Challenge Grant: St. of WY-Challenge				(83,790)
40-410-810100-6603 GF01 40-410-810100-7410 GF01	State Challenge Grant : St. of WY-Challenge State Challenge Grant : Investment Income				(108,715) (1,188,855)
40-410-810100-7410 GF01	State Challenge Grant: Investment Income				(418,752)
40-410-810100-9610 GF01	State Challenge Grant: Tuition - Academic		129,279		(,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
40-410-810100-9610 GF01	State Challenge Grant : Tuition - Academic		90,593		
40-410-810100-9781 GF01	State Challenge Grant : Bank & Interest Ex		73,666		
		\$	1,800,112	\$	(1,800,112)

Account Number	Name		Debit		Credit
Adjusting Journal Entry #12					
Provided by Client - To adjust					
10-410-000000-1307 GF01	General: Receivables-Accrued Interest	\$	27		
10-410-000000-7410 GF01	General: Investment Income				(27)
		\$	27	\$	(27)
Adjusting Journal Entry #13					
_ v _ v	full-time salary, retirement for June 20-30.				
10-410-000000-3305 GF01	Salaries Payable			\$	(100,749)
10-410-000000-3305 GF01	Salaries Payable				(14,123)
10-410-119803-8310 GF01	Float: ESS Full Time		7,545		, , ,
10-410-119803-8610 GF01	Float: Retire		1,061		
10-410-310115-8310 GF01	Float: ESS Full Time		2,978		
10-410-310115-8610 GF01	Float: Retire		419		
10-410-460115-8310 GF01	Float: ESS Full Time		20,618		
10-410-460115-8610 GF01	Float: Retire		2,900		
10-410-510104-8310 GF01	Float: ESS Full Time		11,885		
10-410-510104-8610 GF01	Float: Retire		1,672		
10-410-630803-8310 GF01 10-410-630803-8610 GF01	Float: ESS Full Time Float: Retire		22,705 3,193		
10-410-710103-8310 GF01	Float: ESS Full Time		27,690		
10-410-710103-8510 GF01	Float: Retire		3,847		
10-410-916000-8310 GF01	Float: ESS Full Time		7,328		
10-410-916000-8610 GF01	Float: Retire		1,031		
10 110 310000 0010 0101	1 10401 1101110	\$	114,872	\$	(114,872)
			,		, , ,
Adjusting Journal Entry #14					
•	full-time social security, health insurance, and life insurance				
for June 20-30.	C 1 ' D 11			Ф	(7.272)
10-410-000000-3305 GF01	Salaries Payable			\$	(7,373)
10-410-000000-3305 GF01	Salaries Payable				(33,636)
10-410-000000-3305 GF01 10-410-119803-8620 GF01	Salaries Payable Float: SS		555		(1,072)
10-410-119803-8630 GF01	Float: Health Insurance		2,769		
10-410-119803-8650 GF01	Float: Life Insurance		2,709		
10-410-310115-8620 GF01	Float: SS		216		
10-410-310115-8630 GF01	Float: Health Insurance		1,143		
10-410-310115-8650 GF01	Float: Life Insurance		21		
10-410-460115-8620 GF01	Float: SS		1,503		
10-410-460115-8630 GF01	Float: Health Insurance		5,888		
10-410-460115-8650 GF01	Float: Life Insurance		242		
10-410-510104-8620 GF01	Float: SS		871		
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### LARAMIE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

### FINANCIAL REPORT

**JUNE 30, 2014** 

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Trustees Laramie County Community College Cheyenne, Wyoming

#### **Report on the Financial Statements**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the business-type activities of the Laramie County Community College (the "College"), as of and for the years ended June 30, 2014 and 2013, and its discretely presented component unit, Laramie County Community College Foundation as of and for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the College's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

#### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the College's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

#### **Opinions**

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the business-type activities and the discretely presented component unit of the College as of June 30, 2014 and 2013, and December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### **Other Matters**

#### Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis on pages 3 through 17 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

#### Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the College's basic financial statements. The combining schedules and schedule of expenditures of Federal awards, as required by Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations,* are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The combining schedules and schedule of expenditures of Federal awards are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the combining schedules and schedule of expenditures of Federal awards are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

#### Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

Mc Gee, Thearne & Paix, LLP

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated October 15, 2014 on our consideration of the College's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the College's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Cheyenne, Wyoming October 15, 2014

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# **Laramie County Community College Management's Discussion and Analysis**

#### Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2014

The Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) section of the LCCC annual financial report provides an overview of the College's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014. This discussion has been prepared by management and should be read in conjunction with the financial statements, notes to financial statements, and supplementary information. The discussion and analysis is designed to focus on current activities, resulting changes, and current known facts. Comparable facts are given for fiscal years 2012, 2013 and 2014.

In June 1999, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) released Statement No. 34, "Basic Financial Statements and Management's Discussion and Analysis for State and Local Governments," which established a reporting format for annual financial statements. In November 1999, GASB released Statement No. 35, "Basic Financial Statements and Management's Discussion and Analysis for Public Colleges and Universities," which applies the reporting standards to public colleges and universities. Previously, financial statements focused on the accountability of individual fund groups rather than Laramie County Community College (LCCC) as a whole. LCCC was required to adopt these reporting standards beginning with fiscal year 2003. GASB 33, issued in December, 1998, specifies accounting treatment of imposed non-exchange transactions (property taxes and certain grants) in financial reporting. An imposed non-exchange transaction is one in which one party is imposed upon by the government and there is no direct exchange for service or product. GASB 33 deals with when to recognize a receivable, specifically for LCCC property taxes. LCCC manages its financial records in accordance with W.S. 21-18 -205 (Appropriation and distribution of state funds; restrictions; budget authority), and complies with the Uniform Municipal Fiscal Procedures Act (W.S. 16-4-201 through 16-4-205 and W.S. 16-4-121) as required by W.S. 21-18-204.

In the mid 1990's, GASB issued Statement No. 14, "The Financial Reporting Entity." GASB 14 addresses the inclusion of affiliated organizations such as Laramie County Community College (LCCC) Foundation in the LCCC financial report. In May 2002, GASB issued GASB 39 which amended GASB 14 and declared the effective date to be periods beginning after June 15, 2003. This requires the LCCC Financial Report for 2004 and beyond to include the LCCC Foundation financial information. In March 2003, GASB 40, "Deposit and Investment Risk Disclosure," was issued which expanded on GASB 3. GASB 40 does not change the numbers reported, but does change the amount of information provided and requires a discussion of interest rate risk, some disclosures regarding the maturities of investments and breaks down securities by their quality rating (please refer to the Notes to the Financial Statements #2). The LCCC Foundation has a fiscal year ending December 31; all financial statements from the Foundation included in this report reflect their financial status as of December 31, 2013.

During Fiscal Year 2006, the LCCC Building Authority was formed for the financing of the construction of a new residence hall. In subsequent years, the Authority financed a dining facility in 2009 and refunded the bonds held by the Foundation for the Albany County Campus Building in 2012. The Authority's financial statements are included in this report as a blended component unit of the College. For an itemized explanation of each entity please refer to the "Combining Schedule of Net Assets" included in the Supplementary Information Section of this report.

#### **Using the Annual Report**

The annual report follows the Independent Auditor's Report and the MD&A. The annual report consists of required financial statements, prepared in accordance with the GASB Statement No. 35, "Basic Financial Statements - and Management's Discussion and Analysis-for Public Colleges and Universities," and other supplementary information.

#### **Required Financial Statements**

There are three basic financial statements that are required to provide information on the College as a whole: the Statement of Net Position; the Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position; and the Statement of Cash Flows. Notes to the financial statements are also part of the required financial statements. A brief description of each statement follows:

The Statement of Net Position includes all assets and liabilities. It is prepared using economic resource measurement and accrual basis of accounting. It presents the assets, liabilities, deferred inflows, and net assets of the College at a point in time. Its purpose is to present a financial snapshot of the College. The difference between total assets and total liabilities and deferred inflows is net position, which is one indicator of the current financial condition of the College. The change in net position also indicates whether the College's overall financial condition has improved or worsened during the year.

The Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position presents the total revenues earned and expenses incurred by the College for operating, non-operating, and other related activities during a period of time. Its purpose is to assess the College's operating results. The utilization of long-lived assets, referred to as Capital Assets, is reflected in the financial statements as depreciation allocating the cost of an asset over its expected useful life. The seven community colleges in Wyoming met as a group and agreed upon a uniform useful life policy for each asset type. The original value of the buildings was based on actual cost rather than market value.

The Statement of Cash Flows presents cash receipts and payments of the College during a period of time. Its purpose is to assess the College's ability to generate future net cash flows and meet its obligations as they come due.

*Notes to the Financial Statements* present additional information to support the financial statements and are commonly referred to as Note(s). Their purpose is to clarify and expand on the information in the financial statements.

The Statement of Financial Position and the Statement of Activities for the LCCC Foundation reflect the audited financial information as of December 31, 2012, and December 31, 2013. Although the inclusion of these figures in our financial report is required by GASB 39, they are not included in this management analysis and discussion. If there are questions regarding this information, contact the LCCC Foundation at 1400 East College Drive, Cheyenne, Wyoming, 82007.

#### **Supplementary Information**

Supplementary Information includes the following: Combining Schedule of Net Position; Combining Schedule of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position; Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards; and Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards.

#### **Management Discussion and Analysis**

#### ASSETS

#### **CURRENT ASSETS**

	2012	2013	2014
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 12,141,206	\$ 17,111,258	\$ 15,875,302
Investments	75,000	75,000	75,000
Accounts receivable, net	5,505,555	3,627,188	3,475,027
Property taxes receivable	5,279,391	5,466,511	6,081,358
Inventories	325,000	324,999	-
Pre-paid expenses	157,898	232,632	48,217
Total current assets	\$ 23,484,050	\$ 26,837,588	\$ 25,554,904

#### Cash, cash equivalents, investments, and cash with fiscal agent

Cash and cash equivalents consist of cash in LCCC bank accounts, the LCCC Building Authority bank accounts, short-term investments, register cash and petty cash drawers maintained on campus. Investments include secured (FDIC or collateralized) certificates of deposit held in local banks. The decrease in cash and cash equivalents is mainly due to spending down carryover funds from previous operations for equipment and capital items to be used for future operations.

#### Accounts receivable

Accounts receivable include credit and noncredit student tuition and fee billings, inter-fund transactions between LCCC and the LCCC Foundation, accrued interest, student sponsorships, student housing rent and board, state appropriations, grant awards, financial aid and scholarships, summer housing, and other miscellaneous operational transactions. The receivables in FY 2013 were \$1,878,367 lower than FY 2012. The receivables in FY 2014 were \$152,161 lower than FY 2013 due to continued improvement of account collections. However, while total receivables decreased, the federal and state grants and contracts receivables increased by \$100,295.

#### Property taxes receivable

The property tax receivable for FY 2014 is \$614,847 higher than FY 2013 because of an approximately 11.5% increase in taxable assessed property valuation for Laramie County. Total approved mill levy for next year is 5.00 mils.

In Wyoming, property taxes are assessed based on the property value as of January 1 of each year for the upcoming year. A receivable for the entire calendar year is recorded based on 5.00 mils of the assessed property value on January 1. Laramie County does provide the assessed value, but does not provide the amount of the receivable until after the second Tuesday in August when the property taxes are actually levied. Property taxes receivable represents taxes expected for the period January 1 through December 31. Both the property tax receivable and deferred inflows for FY 2013 and FY 2014 increased as assessed values of property increased. The property values for FY 2014 saw an increase due to the economy of the region. The Cheyenne regional economy appears to be more stable than many areas within Wyoming and surrounding states. The increase of tax revenue results from mainly new commercial construction. In today's economy, future year valuation must be monitored closely.

#### Pre-paid expenses

In the past three years, two pre-paid contracts were listed in this category: 1) a three year IT maintenance contract in its third year of execution; and 2) pre-paid food services vendor payments in accordance with Build America Bonds for the dining facility. The pre-paid IT contact was completed in 2014 to leave only the food service payments for next year.

#### **Inventories**

Prior to FY 2014, the College maintained inventory of land and houses constructed to be sold. The decrease in FY 2012 is due to the sale of land. The construction trades program was closed in the 2010 school year and the remaining inventory was sold in July of 2013 and is reflected in FY 2014 statements.

#### **NONCURRENT ASSETS**

		J12	2013	2014
Restricted cash	\$ 1,1	60,707	\$ 298,057	\$ 293,389
Restricted investments	1,7	21,971	1,944,089	1,973,141
Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation	60,6	76,048	59,014,325	58,097,760
Investments held by others	6,9	84,467	8,060,318	9,566,892
Total noncurrent assets	\$ 70,5	43,193	\$ 69,316,789	\$ 69,931,182
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 94,0	27,243	\$ 96,154,377	\$ 95,486,086

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#### Noncurrent restricted cash

In FY 2011, residual funds from the 2007 bond repayment funds were restricted for secondary Health and Science Building (HSB) and other capital projects in coming years. In FY 2012, restricted cash was increased by cash for the completion of the dining facility and remodeling of the west residence hall provided by the issuance of Series 2009 Build America Bonds (BAB). FY 2013 and FY 2014 restricted cash is primarily for capital projects in coming years.

#### Restricted investments

Restricted investments are investments belonging to the LCCC Building Authority. They are classified as non-current restricted because the investment is restricted to Series 2005 bonds (residence halls), Series 2009 BAB (dining facility/residence hall), and Series 2012 bonds (refunded bonds for Albany County Campus Building) issuance restrictions. The bonds are a long-term liability. Both restricted cash and restricted investments were generated from proceeds of bond issuances.

#### Capital assets, net

Net capital assets include land, site improvements, infrastructure, buildings, equipment, library resources and construction in progress. The amount reported is net of accumulated depreciation. The decrease of \$916,565 in capital assets reflects the net of the year's additions of (+) \$2,972,181 and depreciation/disposals (-) \$3,888,746. The major FY 2014 activity in capital assets was the continued construction-in-progress/capital lease of campus improvements including the welding training addition, building renewals, campus lighting improvements and various equipment purchases of \$2,168,942.

#### <u>Investments held by others</u>

This category reflects the amount invested and held by the LCCC Foundation, as custodian for the College. The investments were funded by the State of Wyoming Endowment Challenge Grant. This category is classified as a "non-current" asset and shows a year-end amount of \$9,566,892. FY 2014 saw continued recovery of prior year economic losses, current year interest and additional funds of \$192,505 provided from state funds. All endowment funds given by the state must be booked as revenue by the College and shown as an asset on the College books.

#### **LIABILITIES**

#### Definition of current and noncurrent liabilities

Current liabilities are those items which will be paid during the 12-month period from July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015. Non-current liabilities are those items that are due beyond the 12-month period ending June 30, 2015.

#### **CURRENT LIABILITIES**

	2012	2013	2014
Accounts payable	\$ 2,260,291	\$ 704,175	\$ 885,848
Payroll and related liabilities	1,284,866	1,243,771	1,589,614
Accrued compensated absences	987,683	991,853	937,765
Accrued interest payable (bond)	199,356	151,870	130,636
Advanced tuition payments	265,190	257,333	252,786
Custodial deposits	958,158	808,215	918,596
Capital lease obligation	148,659	25,523	34,913
Current maturities of bonds payable	 792,639	1,073,192	1,088,802
Total current liabilities	\$ 6,896,842	\$ 5,255,932	\$ 5,838,960

#### Accounts payable

Accounts payable include amounts due at June 30 for goods and services received prior to the end of the fiscal year, funds held for others (Auxiliary Funds), and amounts due to others. The large decrease for FY 2013 of \$1,556,116 was mainly due to decreased payables connected to construction projects, the dining hall construction project and the HSB third floor build-out in FY 2012. FY 2014 accounts payable is comparable to prior year.

#### Payroll and related liabilities

Payroll and related liabilities include July and August contract salaries, benefits and unemployment. FY 2014 liabilities are comparable to prior years.

#### Accrued interest payable (bond)

Accrued interest payable is the amount of interest accrued from the date of the last payment to year-end for the below mentioned current and non-current capital lease obligations and bonds payable. Accrued interest payable for FY 2014 is comparable to prior years.

#### Advanced tuition payments

Advanced payments for tuition and fees represent the portion of the summer term that occurs after the fiscal year end, but were collected prior to June 30. This line item has trended downward in direct relation to decreased enrollment.

#### Custodial deposits

Custodial deposits represent the amounts that LCCC holds for the Agency Funds including student fees (income and expense) equity.

#### Capital lease obligation

The capital lease obligation represents the current (due during the next 12 months) amount of the capital lease for the Cisco systems.

#### Current maturities of bonds payable

The current maturities of bonds payable refers to the amount to be repaid in the next 12-month period for bonds associated with the residence hall, dining facility, and Albany County Campus Building in the LCCC Building Authority. The refunded bonds held previously by the LCCC Foundation, but now held by the LCCC Building Authority, were added in FY 2013.

#### **NONCURRENT LIABILITIES**

	2	2012	2013	2014
Liability for voluntary termination	\$	817,032	\$ 1,092,800	\$ 1,010,716
Accrued compensated absences		295,022	296,268	280,111
Capital lease obligation	2,	642,308	263,249	72,522
Long-term bonds payable	14,	204,005	15,945,064	14,855,540
Total noncurrent liabilities	\$ 17,	958,367	\$ 17,597,381	\$ 16,218,889
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 24,	855,209	\$ 22,853,313	\$ 22,057,849

#### Liability for voluntary termination

The liability for voluntary termination refers to the Transitional Opportunity Plan (TOP) liability. The increase of \$275,768 for FY 2013 is based on an increase in the number of eligible TOP recipients. To be eligible for TOP, an employee must have begun employment with LCCC prior to April 11, 1991, and must be paid by Current Funds for a five-year period. FY 2014 is comparable to FY 2013 as to number of eligible recipients.

#### Accrued compensation absences

The liability for accrued compensation is associated with vacation that has been earned but not taken. It is comparable with prior years.

#### Capital lease obligation

This liability is the portion of the leases that are to be paid in a time period longer than the next 12 months. FY 2014 saw a large decrease in capital leases mainly due to the paying off of the capital lease to the LCCC Foundation (Albany County Campus Building) by refunded bond proceeds from the LCCC Building Authority. The balance will continue to decrease as the Cisco system lease is paid off.

#### Long-term bonds payable

The increase in this non-current liability for FY 2013 was primarily due to the long-term portion of the 2012 Series Bonds payable for the Albany County Campus Building. The long-term maturities of bonds payable refers to the amount to be repaid in a time period longer than the next 12 months for bonds associated with the residence hall, the Albany County Campus building and the dining facility held by the LCCC Building Authority. The balance will decrease over time as the bonds are paid off.

#### **DEFERRED INFLOW**

Deferred inflow of resources can be defined as an acquisition of net assets by the College that is applicable to a future reporting period, for example, deferred property tax revenue.

	2012	2013	2014
Deferred Inflow:			
Property tax revenue	\$ 5,038,207	\$ 5,230,777	\$ 5,834,387
Total deferred inflows	\$ 5,038,207	\$ 5,230,777	\$ 5,834,387

#### Deferred property taxes

Deferred property tax revenue is reflective of the amount that becomes revenue next fiscal year on the levy date (second Tuesday in August). FY 2014 shows an increase to prior years indicating a stable tax base in uncertain economic times. See the property tax receivable section above for a discussion of the FY 2014 increase.

#### **NET POSITION**

Net position (fund balances) is equal to College assets minus liabilities and deferred inflows. Net position is classified in three types: Invested in Capital Assets, Restricted, and Unrestricted.

#### **NET POSITION**

	2012	2013	2014
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	\$ 42,888,437	\$ 41,707,297	\$ 42,045,983
Restricted for:			
Non-expendable (endowment)	7,195,058	7,592,069	7,784,574
Expendable:			
Scholarships, research, instruction and other	73,151	809,165	2,060,356
Capital projects and asset purchases	1,194,105	2,389,916	1,315,995
Unrestricted	13,031,592	15,571,840	14,386,942
Total net position	\$ 64,382,343	\$ 68,070,287	\$ 67,593,850

#### Analysis of Net Position - Restricted and Unrestricted Type

#### Restricted non expendable

These funds are not available. They represent funds that have been received and/or are due from the State of Wyoming for the Endowment Challenge Grant and the Excellence in Higher Education Endowment Grant.

#### Restricted expendable

Restricted expendable assets are those items restricted in use by parties external to the College such as granting agencies.

#### Restricted for capital asset

Restricted for capital asset purchases refer to funds that have been restricted specifically for purchases of capital assets including equipment, building improvements, site improvements, infrastructure improvements, and buildings.

#### Unrestricted

Unrestricted net position represents those balances received from operational activities that have not been restricted by parties external to the College (such as granting agencies.) This includes funds which have been designated by the governing board for specific purposes as well as amounts that have been contractually committed for goods and services which have not yet been received.

The increase in net position of \$3,688,144 for FY 2013 was primarily due to an increase of state appropriations of \$4,120,423. Two appropriations were responsible for the majority of this increase. The major maintenance appropriation (\$1,805,214) is a two-year appropriation dispersed at the beginning of the state's bi-annual budget. The enrollment growth appropriation (\$1,662,539) is a one-time state appropriation determined by LCCC to be used for current and future years' one-time expenditures. As FY 2014 was the second year of the biennium, these factors did not reoccur, which led to a decrease in net position of \$476,437.

#### **REVENUES**

#### **OPERATING REVENUES**

	2012	2013	2014
Tuition and fees (net of scholarship allowances of			
\$2,225,302 for 2012, \$1,735,767 for 2013 and			
\$1,016,643 for 2014)	\$ 9,276,302	\$ 8,989,033	\$ 9,938,247
Federal grants and contracts	3,522,470	1,731,067	1,804,919
State and local grants and contracts	1,809,171	1,422,155	1,492,561
Auxiliary enterprise charges	4,465,572	3,265,494	3,322,432
Other operating revenues	629,241	191,403	420,658
Total operating revenues	\$ 19,702,756	\$ 15,599,152	\$ 16,978,817

#### Tuition and fees

This category includes all tuition and fees assessed for educational purposes. Scholarships applied to student accounts are shown as a reduction of student tuition revenue. The tuition discount for the year ended June 30, 2013, and June 30, 2014, was \$1,735,767 and \$1,016,643 respectively. This compares to \$2,225,302 for FY 2012 reflecting the increase and decrease of federal student grants. This discount is calculated using an approved formula designed to reflect other scholarship revenues and institutional scholarship expense used specifically for tuition and fees. For example, LCCC records funds received from the PELL student grant program as revenue. Those funds are then applied to student accounts in payment of tuition and fees which are also included as revenue. Without this discount, student tuition revenues would be overstated by that amount.

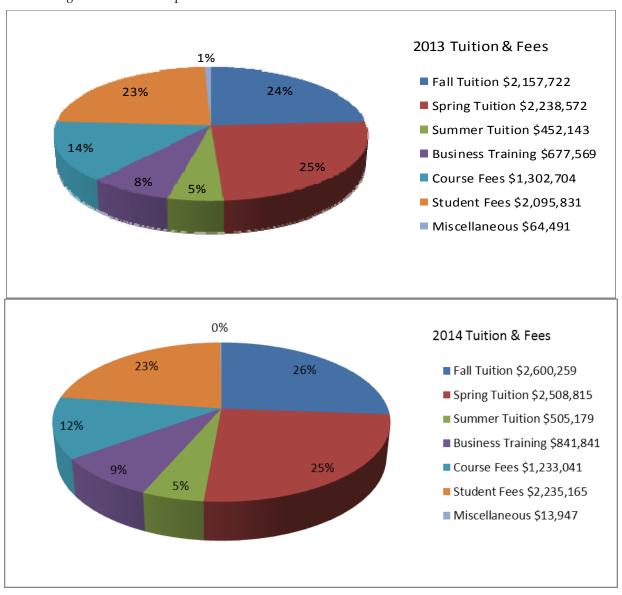
After the scholarship allowance was applied to tuition, student tuition revenue for FY 2013 was approximately 3% less and an increase in FY 2014 of approximately 10.5%. Because of a state mandated cap on chargeable tuition hours of 12 hours, increased/decreased enrollment may not directly translate to increased/decreased revenue. Tuition was increased by 5.3% by the Wyoming Community College Commission for FY 2014 to \$79.00 per credit hour and student fees have remained at \$35 per credit hour (most fees capped at 12 hours like tuition) since FY 2010. Tuition and fees for FY 2014 include Community Development/Workforce Training revenues of \$841,841.

#### Enrollment

Enrollment at LCCC continues to hold relatively steady as evidenced by the following table:

Enrollment History		Heado	ount		FTE			
				Annualized				Annualized
Academic Year	SU	FA	SP	Total	SU	FA	SP	Total
2003-04	1,298	4,465	4,737	5,250.0	499.70	2,975.00	3,110.21	3,292.46
2004-05	1,380	4,522	4,772	5,337.0	527.42	3,169.80	3,234.30	3,465.76
2005-06	1,479	4,603	4,943	5,512.5	564.70	3,176.40	3,313.92	3,527.51
2006-07	1,503	4,584	5,051	5,569.0	589.25	3,252.05	3,491.50	3,666.40
2007-08	1,568	4,886	4,948	5,701.0	606.92	3,411.17	3,441.20	3,729.65
2008-09	1,585	5,033	5,322	5,970.0	634.80	3,549.30	3,695.90	3,940.00
2009-10	1,619	5,040	5,609	6,134.0	628.08	3,737.30	4,095.17	4,230.28
2010-11	1,774	5,193	5,600	6,283.5	710.42	3,928.00	4,158.70	4,448.56
2011-12	1,920	5,302	5,512	6,367.0	813.80	3,888.33	3,963.09	4,332.61
2012-13	1,828	5,141	5,411	6,190.0	708.33	3,720.70	3,876.41	4,152.72
2013-14	1,541	4,894	4,901	5,668.0	606.93	3,552.80	3,515.41	3,837.57
1-Year Change	-15.7%	-4.8%	-9.4%	-8.4%	-14.3%	-4.5%	-9.3%	-7.6%
5-Year Change	-2.8%	-2.8%	-7.9%	-5.1%	-4.4%	0.1%	-4.9%	-2.6%
10-Year Change	18.7%	9.6%	3.5%	8.0%	21.5%	19.4%	13.0%	16.6%

The following charts show a comparison of tuition and fees for 2013 and 2014:



#### Grant and contract revenues

Grant and contract revenues include all restricted revenues from governmental agencies and private agencies. Grant revenues are recorded as reimbursement of expenses associated with the grant. FY 2012 saw a large increase in federal grants compared to previous years especially in the areas of self-sufficiency programs, wind energy programs and health related grants (\$598,182), as well as the second year of Federal SFSF grants (\$1,648,988). FY 2013 and FY 2014 have seen the closing out of those programs and no large new programs.

This category also includes funds from the State of Wyoming for the Hathaway Scholarship Program of \$828,135, a decrease of \$104,585 over FY 2013. The state program provides merit and need based awards to eligible Wyoming students.

#### Auxiliary enterprises

Auxiliary enterprises consist of various entities that exist primarily to furnish goods or services to students, faculty, staff or the general public and charge a fee directly related to the cost of those goods or services. These enterprises are intended to be self-supporting and include the bookstore and cafeteria commission income, rental of facilities, residence halls, summer housing, child care, CTE training, and dental hygiene services. The overall FY 2013 decrease in auxiliary revenues of \$1,200,078 was mostly due to decreased revenues from the CTE training of \$779,580 and decreased operating transfers-in to child care of \$521,204. FY 2014 is comparable to prior years.

#### Other operating revenues

Other operating revenues are comprised of income from miscellaneous sources including collection of prior year bad debts, gate receipts, exam lab, GED testing, and administration fees. FY 2012 included \$356,723 in improvement reimbursements associated with the dining facilities project. FY 2014 includes \$218,171 in student service remodel reimbursements.

#### **EXPENSES**

#### **OPERATING EXPENSES**

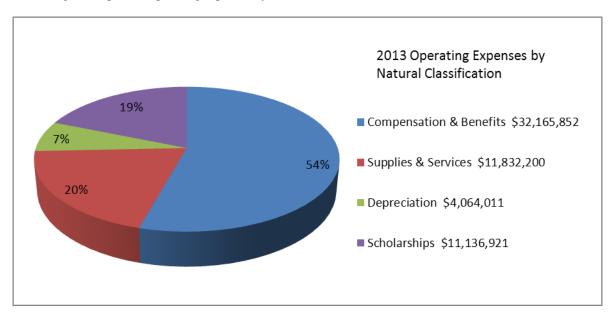
	2012	2013	2014
Operating expenses by function:			
Instruction	\$ 19,556,363	\$ 19,992,553	\$ 19,703,495
Public service	399,870	508,202	447,038
Academic support	6,383,688	5,680,560	6,701,981
Student services	3,798,071	3,572,357	4,000,550
Institutional support	7,791,889	6,903,687	7,514,764
Operation and maintenance of plant	3,607,952	4,733,131	4,977,537
Scholarships	11,523,472	11,136,921	13,215,710
Auxiliary enterprises	4,058,183	2,607,562	2,422,421
Depreciation	3,872,879	4,064,011	3,800,630
Total operating expenses	\$ 60,992,367	\$ 59,198,984	\$ 62,784,126
Operating (loss)	\$ (41,289,611)	\$ (43,599,832)	\$ (45,805,309)

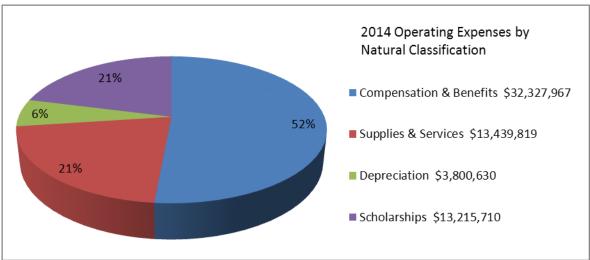
Operating expenses include salaries and benefits, goods and services provided to the College, institutional scholarships, and operations and maintenance of plant. Increases in salaries and benefits are reflective of increased salary funding of 2.5% in FY 2012 and FY 2014 and no increases in FY 2013. Health insurance benefits cost to the College increased by an average of 5.4% and 4.5% for FY 2013 and FY 2014 respectively. Only a minimal number of new staff were added because of budget constraints in FY 2014.

Instruction had decreased Compensation and Benefits (C&B) of \$508,692 and increased in supplies and services (S&S) of \$219,634 for a net decrease of \$289,058. Public Service C&B increased \$65,798 and S&S decreased \$126,962. Academic support C&B increased \$194,371 and S&S increased \$827,050. Student services C&B increased \$260,848 and S&S increased \$167,345. Institutional support C&B increased \$74,966 and S&S increased \$536,111.

Plant operation and maintenance, as well as depreciation expense, were comparable to previous years. Scholarship increases were a combination of merit scholarships and federal program scholarships. Auxiliary enterprises expenses tracked downward in comparison with the downward revenue trends stated above.

The following charts present operating expenses by natural classification:





Scholarships, including federal, state, local and institutional scholarships, total \$13,215,710. Prior to FY 2011, federal direct student loans were processed through third-party banks. Congress now mandates those loans are to be processed by the College in conjunction with the U.S. Department of Education. The federal direct student loans processed through the College for FY 2014 were \$6,240,488. The loans, along with an additional \$4,942,592 in PELL grants, make up the bulk of scholarship for FY 2014.

The operating loss reflected is prior to the application of state and local revenues. LCCC is not intended to be self-supporting and although tuition and fees are an important source of revenue, the College could not operate without funding from the Federal Government, State of Wyoming and Laramie County. FY 2014 operating losses increased by \$2,205,477 over FY 2013.

#### **NON-OPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES)**

	 2012	2013	2014
Nonoperating revenues (expenses):			
Non-exchange federal and state grants	\$ 10,586,031	\$ 10,413,916	\$ 12,161,995
State appropriations	25,938,015	30,058,438	25,185,336
Local appropriations	5,904,978	6,263,540	6,555,970
Investment income	391,201	879,406	1,712,246
Interest expense	(849,256)	(522,120)	(598,434)
Interest refund	141,413	129,612	119,254
Bond issuance costs	 -	(76,954)	_
Net nonoperating revenues	\$ 42,112,382	\$ 47,145,838	\$ 45,136,367
Income (loss) before other revenue, expenses,			
gains or losses	822,771	3,546,006	(668,942)
State of Wyoming endowment appropriation	 448,983	390,654	192,505
Increase (decrease) in net assets	\$ 1,271,754	\$ 3,936,660	\$ (476,437)

Non-operating revenues are those revenues which are not directly generated through the operation of the College. Included are funds from the Federal Government, State of Wyoming, Laramie County local property and vehicle taxes, interest income, and other miscellaneous sources.

#### Non-exchange federal and state grants

Non-exchange funds are not direct payment for services or products. The Federal Pell Grant Program provides need-based grants to low-income undergraduate students to promote access to postsecondary education. The Federal Direct Loan Program provides need-based loans to low-income undergraduate students to promote access to postsecondary education. PELL grants and direct loans account for the majority of funds in this category. \$4,942,592 and \$6,240,080 in FY 2013 and FY 2014 respectively, are attributed to direct loans. This category also includes funds from the State of Wyoming for the Hathaway Scholarship Program of \$828,135, a decrease of \$104,585 from FY 2013. The state program provides merit and need based awards to eligible Wyoming students.

#### State appropriations

A funding formula is used to determine the LCCC portion of total community college state appropriation and is based on a comparison to the other six community colleges in Wyoming. There has been a slight decrease in enrollment as compared to other colleges, and increased employee benefit appropriation. As stated in the net assets section above, LCCC saw a decrease of state appropriations of \$4,873,102. Two appropriations present in FY 2013 not present in FY 2014 were responsible for the majority of this decrease. The major maintenance appropriation (\$1,805,214) is a two-year appropriation dispersed at the beginning of the state's bi-annual budget. The enrollment growth appropriation (\$1,662,539) is a one-time state appropriation determined by LCCC to be used for current and future years' one-time expenditures.

#### Local taxes - assessed valuation

A history of the assessed valuations for the District, the City of Cheyenne, Laramie County and the State of Wyoming is set forth in the following table.

#### **Comparative Assessed Valuation History**

Tax Year	College District	<b>Laramie County</b>	City of Cheyenne	<b>State of Wyoming</b>
2014	\$1,166,877,447	\$1,166,877,447	\$577,640,126	\$24,164,467,525
2013	\$1,046,155,321	\$1,046,155,321	\$546,175,351	\$25,242,644,578
2012	\$1,007,641,555	\$1,007,641,555	\$533,191,527	\$22,797,094,335
2011	\$ 951,876,262	\$ 951,876,262	\$522,506,425	\$24,339,700,232
2010	\$ 908,727,797	\$ 908,727,749	\$510,335,674	\$21,316,477,631
2009	\$ 916,265,909	\$ 916,265,909	\$512,011,815	\$29,219,533,181

Source: Annual Reports of the Wyoming Department of Revenue; Laramie County Assessor's Office

#### Local taxes - certification and collection of taxes

Based upon the valuation certified by the County Assessor, the Board of County Commissioners computes a tax rate to be levied which, when levied upon every dollar of the valuation for assessment taxable property within the County, and together with other legally available revenues, will raise the amount required by all taxing entities within the County in the upcoming fiscal year. Taxes are certified in August each year and fifty percent (50%) are due on and after September 1 and payable on and after November in each year and the remaining fifty percent (50%) is due on and after March 1 and payable on and after March 10 of the succeeding calendar year. If the entire tax is paid on or before December 31, no interest or penalties is chargeable. The balance of any tax not paid as provided is delinquent after the day on which it is due and will bear interest at eighteen percent (18%) per annum until paid or collected. The Laramie County Treasurer reports that tax collections in the District for the Tax Years 2010-2014 are as follows:

#### **Historical District Property Tax Collections**

		Total Tax	Percentage of Taxes
Tax Year	<b>Total Tax Levy</b>	Collections(1)	<b>Collected</b>
2013-2014(2)	\$5,155,755.89	\$5,186,779.73	100.60%
2012-2013	\$4,961,404.82	\$4,949,099.43	99.75%
2011-2012	\$4,683,889.01	\$4,680,586.33	99.93%
2010-2011	\$4,543,639.00	\$4,465,263.55	98.28%
2009-2010	\$4,576,400.00	\$4,408,933.96	96.34%

- (1) Figures include current, delinquent and supplemental tax collections, as well as rebates, interest and/or penalties thereon; therefore, tax collections may exceed 100%.
- (2) Tax collections through August 31, 2014.

Source: Laramie County Treasurer's Office.

#### Investment income

The majority of interest income is related to the investments held by the LCCC Foundation for the State Challenge Grant monies (\$1,607,607). The investment income includes recovery of economic losses from market downturns in prior years.

#### Interest expense

Interest expense is the interest paid on the College capital leases and bond issues held by the LCCC Building Authority for the financing of College facilities. It is reported under non-operating revenues according to GASB 35 requirements.

#### Interest refund

Build America Bonds (BAB) were used to fund the dining facility/west residence hall improvements. LCCC files with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) for interest expense refunds equal to 35% of interest paid for the BAB under terms set forth in the bond issue. This effectively reduces the interest rate paid by LCCC on the BAB. The bonds were issued in FY 2010. FY 2013 saw a reduction in the refund amount received by 7.8% in line with the Federal budget sequestration. Federal budget sequestration is likely to continue so the effective rate of the refund will be 32.27% of interest paid.

#### **Endowment appropriation**

Funds from a state managed fund for scholarship endowment is appropriated by the State of Wyoming to the various colleges and university in Wyoming according to a prescribed formula. The appropriation varies with the performance of the state fund. See investments held by others section above.

#### **BUDGET**

The Board of Trustees is required to approve the College's annual budget no later than the third Wednesday in July (W.S. 16-4-111) and is required to provide public notice of the budget meeting at least one week prior to the budget hearing (W.S. 16-4-109). A budget is to be prepared for each fund and the format for the budget for community colleges is to be uniform and approved by the Wyoming Community College Commission and the Wyoming State Department of Audit (W.S. 16-4-104).

Revenue sources that support the College's budget include tuition, fees, local four mill tax levy, state appropriations and investment income, optional tax levies (one mill Board of Trustees authorized and up to five mills with the approval of the voters in the taxing district), grants, auxiliary enterprise funds, bond funds and agency funds.

#### Current Fund

The Current Fund includes tuition, fees, four mill tax levy income, state appropriation, investment income and other income related to operations. Tuition is established by the Wyoming Community College Commission (W.S. 21-18-202(a)(ii)). Fees are established by the Board of Trustees (W.S. 21-18-303(a)(viii)). The local four mill tax levy is required of each community college district to be eligible to receive state funding (W.S. 21-18-205). State appropriations are provided to the College based on a funding allocation model approved by the Wyoming Community College Commission (W.S. 21-18-205). Investment income and any other income source that may be provided to the College are included in the Current Fund of the College's accounts.

#### One Mill Fund (W.S. 21-18-303 (b))

The Board of Trustees may approve up to one additional mill levy on the assessed valuation of the community college district for a period not to exceed two years for the regular support and operation of the College. Notice of the intent to levy the tax is required to be published in a newspaper of general circulation within the district at least 30 days before the hearing date. The tax may be renewed every two years provided a public hearing and the 30-day notification requirement has been met. The Board approved this funding source at their meeting on June 18, 2014.

#### Five Mill Fund (W.S. 21-18-311(f))

The Board of Trustees may submit to qualified electors a proposition calling for an additional mill levy not to exceed five mills on the assessed value of the district for College purposes for four years. The Laramie County voters approved the levy on November 3, 1998. These funds were used for the College's campus renewal, deferred maintenance and renovation plan. Fiscal Year 2004 was the fourth and final year of collections from this funding source.

#### Restricted Funds (W.S. 21-18-303 (a)(ix))

The Board of Trustees may "enter into agreements with any public or private agency, institution, person or corporation for the performance of acts or for the furnishing of services or facilities by or for the community college district or for the joint performance of an act or function or the joint furnishing of services and facilities and the other party to the agreement."

The College enters into many agreements with federal and state governments. A smaller share of funds is received by the College from local government and private entity agreements. These agreements require separate accounting and reporting of these funds. Pell grants and Direct Student Loans that flow through the College to students are the largest accounts processed through this fund. Many state competitive grants are also processed through this fund.

#### **BUDGET AMENDMENTS**

The Board of Trustees approves all budget amendments as provided by the Wyoming Municipal Fiscal Procedures Act W.S.16-4. For fiscal year 2014, the Board approved five amendments.

The first amendment was to increase the unrestricted operating fund in the amount of \$1,877,679. These funds were expended from the fund balance and were used to invest in the following technology items: Document Imaging, Assessment Software System, and Share Point Installation. Expenditures also included the following campus improvements: Phase I Implementation of the Wayfinding/Signage Plan, the planning for two additional parking lots, and the development of one. Funds were also allocated for the following miscellaneous items: transferring ITS operational expenses from One Mill to the General Fund and computer upgrades.

The second amendment was to decrease the unrestricted operating fund in the amount of \$272,980. In the fall of 2013, the Wyoming Community College Commission staff collected new information related to local revenue collection estimates from all of the state's seven community colleges. This new revenue information was added into the formula funding model and the state appropriation allocation was redistributed to each college. After the redistribution of funds, LCCC received a decrease of \$519,754 in our State Appropriation and an increase of \$246,774 in the Local Appropriation for a net decrease of \$272,980.

The third amendment was an increase to the unrestricted operating fund. Increased tuition revenue for community services was collected in the amount of \$60,000. This amount was used to cover increased adjunct costs and contract services in Public Services.

The fourth amendment was an adjustment to the One Mill Fund. One of the Innovative Funds projects approved in Fall 2013 was the Campus Safety Academy for \$10,000. The funding for Innovative Funds was budgeted under Instruction, so \$10,000 for the academy was moved from Instruction to Public Services.

The fifth amendment was to increase the Federal Fund budget by \$1,430,675. Of this amount, \$56,675 was for the following new grants that were received in FY 2014: Wyoming Department of Health, Wyoming Quality Counts, and League for Innovation. The additional \$1,375,000 was for increased disbursements of direct student loans.

#### **FINAL OBSERVATION**

The mission of Laramie County Community College is to transform our students' lives through the power of inspired learning. We are bound by a basic understanding that our students, regardless of how they arrive at LCCC, yearn for a better life by engaging in the process of acquiring knowledge. Thus, we are compelled to aid this transformation by offering diverse educational experiences designed to be inspirational for all those involved in the learning process. Our over-arching goal is that our accomplishments as a community college will distinguish LCCC from others in the nation, in turn benefiting our communities. To guide LCCC in fulfilling its mission, a comprehensive strategic plan was developed for the years 2013-2020. Nationally, all eyes are shifting to higher education with attention on the community college as never seen before. There has been a paradigm shift away from the access mission to the access merged with accountability for student success and completion. LCCC has positioned itself to be nimble and responsive to the rapidly changing skills and abilities demanded by the workforce.

Budgets are tied to the achievement of the goals of the plan, embracing the following four strategic goals to guide our work through the next year and to the year 2020:

1. Increase the number of students earning high-value credentials by reinventing the College's programs and services to be designed for the 21st century learners and aligned to drive the economic and social futures of Southeastern Wyoming.

Progress: For 2014, degree and certificate production increased 20% over the previous base year

2. Strengthen relationships and connections with key community partners, such as K12, UW and other fouryear institutions, and business and industry to improve student transitions between educational entities and into the workforce.

*Progress*: The percent of students matriculating to a four-year institution equaled 30.77%, an increase of 4.42% over the previous year

- 3. Build the organizational capacity to thrive in the future by focusing on establishing a climate of trust; an effective, efficient and entrepreneurial workforce; and a culture of continuous improvement.

  \*Progress:\* Implemented a Center for Teaching and Learning for faculty development and focused on employee recruitment, retention, development, and performance
- 4. Transform the College's physical environment into a vibrant and appealing place conducive to the engagement of students and community through campus renovations, additional facilities, and beautiful grounds.

*Progress*: Significant progress made toward the planning and design of the University/Student Center and the Flexible Technology buildings with completion by summer, 2016

Additionally, as LCCC strives to be performance based in the allocation of human and fiscal resources, the College has established a set of measures to guide its processes and serve as starting points for conversations. These measures, grouped into nine categories known as Key Performance Indictors, support everyday operations and assist LCCC as it seeks continuous improvement in fulfilling its mission.

LCCC invests more than 66% of the budget in instruction, student services, academic support and scholarships. This investment is a pillar in the foundation of student success.

Enrollment has trended downward over the last three years, partly due to the low unemployment rate in Laramie County. However, the production of high school graduates is predicted to dramatically increase over the next 10 years. During the last year, 67.5% of Wyoming students at LCCC come from Laramie County.

The College continues in a strong financial condition allowing us to preserve the core operations and prepare for the future. LCCC has positioned the institution to withstand future budget cuts, while moving the College forward in achieving the Strategic Plan goals. The economic outlook is positive. LCCC resides in a state and community that supports higher education both in voice and in funding.

#### LARAMIE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

### STATEMENTS OF NET POSITION

June 30, 2014 and 2013

ASSETS		2014		2013
Current Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents (Note 2)	\$	15,875,302	\$	17,111,258
Investments (Note 2)		75,000		75,000
Accounts receivable, net		3,475,027		3,627,188
Property taxes receivable		6,081,358		5,466,511
Inventories		-		324,999
Prepaid expense		48,217		232,632
Total current assets		25,554,904		26,837,588
Noncurrent Assets	·			
Restricted cash (Note 2)		293,389		298,057
Restricted investments (Note 2)		1,973,141		1,944,089
Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation (Notes 3 and 5)		58,097,760		59,014,325
Investments held by others		9,566,892		8,060,318
investments note by others		69,931,182		69,316,789
Total assets		95,486,086		96,154,377
LIABILITIES	1	25,100,000		70,101,577
Current Liabilities				
Accounts payable		885,848		704,175
Payroll and related liabilities		1,589,614		1,243,771
Accrued compensated absences (Note 4)		937,765		991,853
Accrued interest payable (Note 4)		130,636		151,870
Advance tuition payments		252,786		257,333
Custodial deposits (Note 8)		918,596		808,215
Capital lease obligation (Notes 4 and 5)		34,913		25,523
Current maturities of bonds payable (Note 4)		1,088,802		1,073,192
Total current liabilities		5,838,960		5,255,932
Noncurrent Liabilities		,		
Liability for voluntary termination (Note 4)		1,010,716		1,092,800
Accrued compensated absences (Note 4)		280,111		296,268
Capital lease obligation (Notes 4 and 5)		72,522		263,249
Long-term bonds payable (Note 4)		14,855,540		15,945,064
Total noncurrent liabilities		16,218,889		17,597,381
Total liabilities		22,057,849		22,853,313
DEFERRED INFLOW		,,		9 9-
Deferred property taxes		5,834,387		5,230,777
		3,034,307		3,230,111
NET POSITION		42 045 002		41 707 207
Invested in Capital Assets, net of related debt		42,045,983		41,707,297
Restricted for:		7 70 4 77 4		7.502.060
Nonexpendable		7,784,574		7,592,069
Expendable:		2.060.256		000 165
Scholarships		2,060,356		809,165
Capital projects		1,315,995		2,389,916
Unrestricted (Note 11)		14,386,942	¢.	15,571,840
Total net position	\$	67,593,850	\$	68,070,287

## LARAMIE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE COMPONENT UNIT - LARAMIE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOUNDATION

## STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION December 31, 2013 and 2012

ASSETS		2013		2012
Current Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	2,210,435	\$	1,149,768
Receivables:				
Accrued interest		6,194		9,361
Pledges receivable for 2013 and 2012, net allowance				
of \$1,151 and \$1,370		18,032		21,491
Endowment challenge program receivable		49,162		239,265
Grants receivable		22,256		15,609
Total current assets		2,306,079		1,435,494
Noncurrent Assets				
Pledges receivable for 2013 and 2012, net of allowance of				
\$29,949 and \$41,830 and discount of \$50,000 and \$73,000,				
less current portion		419,146		582,216
Property and equipment		66,743		67,059
Investments:				
Certificates of deposit (Note 2)		461,717		786,706
Marketable securities (Note 2)		17,887,873		15,557,047
Other investments		3,665		3,665
Total noncurrent assets		18,839,144		16,996,693
Total assets	\$	21,145,223	\$	18,432,187
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS				
Current Liabilities				
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$	16,556	\$	11,007
Deferred revenue	Ψ	-	Ψ	76,500
Total current liabilities		16,556		87,507
Noncurrent Liabilities				
Charitable gift annuity		261,312		217,792
Investments held for others (Note 2)		8,932,470		7,795,484
Total noncurrent liabilities		9,193,782		8,013,276
Total liabilities				
1 otal nadinties		9,210,338		8,100,783
Net Assets				
Unrestricted, undesignated		(100,578)		(850,164)
Temporarily restricted		2,217,358		1,549,574
Permanently restricted		9,818,105		9,631,994
Total net assets		11,934,885		10,331,404
Total liabilities and net assets	\$	21,145,223	\$	18,432,187

#### LARAMIE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

## STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION Years Ended June 30, 2014 and 2013

		2014	2013
Operating Revenues			_
Tuition and fees (net of scholarship allowances of			
\$1,016,643 and \$1,735,757)	\$ 9	9,938,247	\$ 8,989,033
Federal grants and contracts		1,804,919	1,731,067
State and local grants and contracts		1,492,561	1,422,155
Auxiliary enterprise charges		3,322,432	3,265,494
Other operating revenues		420,658	191,403
Total operating revenues	10	6,978,817	15,599,152
Operating Expenses (Note 12)			
Instruction	19	9,703,495	19,992,553
Public service		447,038	508,202
Academic support	(	6,701,981	5,680,560
Student services		4,000,550	3,572,357
Institutional support		7,514,764	6,903,687
Operation and maintenance of plant		4,977,537	4,733,131
Scholarships	13	3,215,710	11,136,921
Auxiliary enterprises	2	2,422,421	2,607,562
Depreciation	3	3,800,630	4,064,011
Total operating expenses	62	2,784,126	59,198,984
Operating (loss)	(45	5,805,309)	(43,599,832)
Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses)			
Non-exchange Federal and state grants	12	2,161,995	10,413,916
State appropriations		5,185,336	30,058,438
Local appropriations	(	6,555,970	6,263,540
Net investment income	1	1,712,246	879,406
Interest expense		(598,434)	(522,120)
Interest refund		119,254	129,612
Bond issuance costs		-	(76,954)
Net nonoperating revenues	45	5,136,367	47,145,838
Income (loss) before other revenue, expenses,			
gains or losses		(668,942)	3,546,006
Other Pavenue Evnences Gains or Lossos			
Other Revenue, Expenses, Gains or Losses State endowment appropriation		192,505	390,654
State endowment appropriation		172,303	390,034
Increase (decrease) in net position		(476,437)	3,936,660
Net Position, beginning of year, as previously reported	68	8,070,287	64,382,143
Restatement to prior period (Note 13)		-	(248,516)
Net Position, beginning of year, as restated	68	8,070,287	64,133,627
Net Position, end of year	\$ 67	7,593,850	\$ 68,070,287

## LARAMIE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE COMPONENT UNIT - LARAMIE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOUNDATION

## STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES Years Ended December 31, 2013 and 2012

	2013		2012
Changes in Unrestricted Net Assets			
Revenue, gains and other support:			
Administrative fees	\$ 470,4	41	\$ 296,254
Direct financing lease income, Albany County Campus		-	52,395
Net investment income	31,2	19	64,817
Grants	230,7	21	101,589
Net assets released from restrictions	1,757,5	77	1,003,774
Total unrestricted revenue, gains and			
other support	2,489,9	58	1,518,829
Expenses:			
Program services:			
Albany County Campus		-	118,796
College support	1,245,2	66	1,223,662
Management and fundraising	495,1	06	315,930
Total expenses	1,740,3	72	1,658,388
Increase (decrease) in unrestricted net			
assets before extraordinary item	749,5	86	(139,559)
(Loss) on transfer of lease		_	(412,938)
Increase (decrease) in unrestricted net			
assets after extraordinary item	749,5	86	(552,497)
Changes in Temporarily Restricted Net Assets			
Gifts	544,8	52	606,858
Net investment income	1,880,5		978,063
Net assets released from restrictions	(1,757,5	77)	(1,003,774)
Increase in temporarily restricted			_
net assets	667,7	84	581,147
Changes in Permanently Restricted Net Assets			
Gifts	173,4	39	695,264
Unrealized gains on investments	12,6		5,544
Increase in permanently restricted net assets	186,1		700,808
Change in net assets	1,603,4	81	729,458
Net Assets, beginning	10,331,4	04	9,601,946
Net Assets, ending	\$ 11,934,8	<u>85 S</u>	\$ 10,331,404

## STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS Years Ended June 30, 2014 and 2013

,		2014	2013
Cash Flows from Operating Activities			_
Received from customers	\$	17,122,346	\$ 18,290,342
Payments to employees and fringe benefits		(31,204,611)	(30,963,395)
Payments to vendors and suppliers		(13,624,679)	(13,615,088)
Payments for scholarships		(13,215,710)	(11,136,921)
Other receipts		1,092,475	28,582
Net cash (used in) operating activities		(39,830,179)	(37,396,480)
Cash Flows from Noncapital Financing Activities			_
Non-exchange Federal and state grants		12,162,195	9,481,196
State appropriations		25,185,336	30,058,438
Local appropriations		6,544,733	6,258,790
Net cash provided by noncapital financing activities		43,892,264	45,798,424
Cash Flows from Investing Activities			
Purchases of investments		_	(3,073,505)
Proceeds from sales and maturities of investments		_	2,770,000
Interest received on investments		369,125	636,062
Net cash provided by investing activities		369,125	332,557
Cash Flows from Capital and Related Financing Activities		,	,
Cash paid for capital assets		(3,897,630)	(3,494,405)
Buyout of Albany Campus lease		-	(2,434,401)
Proceeds from issuance of bonds		_	2,815,000
Payment of bond issuance costs		_	(76,954)
Payment of bond principal		(1,085,000)	(805,000)
State endowment invested in Foundation		(192,505)	(747,377)
State endowment appropriation		192,505	747,377
Principal paid on capital lease		(203,117)	(37,653)
Interest paid on capital lease and bonds		(605,341)	(723,298)
Interest refund		119,254	129,612
Net cash (used in) capital and related financing activities		(5,671,834)	(4,627,099)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		(1,240,624)	4,107,402
Cash and Cash Equivalents			
Beginning of year		17,409,315	13,301,913
End of year	\$	16,168,691	\$ 17,409,315
Reconciliation of Operating (Loss) to Net Cash (Used in) Operating Activities	3		
Operating (loss)	\$	(45,805,309)	\$ (42,667,112)
Adjustments to reconcile operating (loss) to net			, , , , , ,
cash (used in) operating activities:			
Depreciation expense		3,800,630	4,064,011
Loss on disposal of assets		1,013,565	433,617
Changes in assets and liabilities:			
Receivables, net, and cash with fiscal agent		171,100	1,849,446
Inventories		324,999	100
Prepaid items		184,415	(74,734)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		555,213	(999,367)
Deferred revenue		(4,547)	(7,857)
Accrued compensated absences		(70,245)	5,416
Total adjustments		5,975,130	5,270,632
Net cash (used in) operating activities	\$	(39,830,179)	\$ (37,396,480)
Noncash Capital and Related Financing Activities			
Construction in progress in accounts payable	\$	-	\$ 80,739
Unrealized gain on investments held by Foundation		1,314,069	328,474

See Notes to Financial Statements.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### **Note 1.** Nature of Activities and Significant Accounting Policies

Nature of activities: Laramie County Community College (the "College") is a public institution of higher education. The College's main campus is located in Cheyenne, Wyoming. It is governed by a Board of Trustees (the "Board") comprised of seven elected trustees and is subject to the laws of the State of Wyoming. The College was created in 1969 to serve the post secondary educational needs of the citizens of Laramie County, Wyoming. Since its inception, the College has grown to annually serve approximately 3,730 full-time equivalent students at four education centers in two counties. The College is a municipal corporation formed under and subject to the requirements of the Wyoming State Statutes.

<u>Reporting entity</u>: As defined by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America established by the GASB, the financial reporting entity consists of the primary government, as well as its component unit the Laramie County Community College Foundation (the "Foundation") and Laramie County Community College Building Authority (the "Authority").

The Foundation was organized to develop and sustain support for the College through solicitation, management, and recognition of donations. The Foundation is dedicated to providing services and assistance to the students, faculty, staff and community, thereby enhancing a sense of tradition and pride that will assist in advancing the College. The Foundation's year-end is December 31.

The Foundation is a private not-for-profit organization that reports its financial results under the Financial Accounting Standards Board Codification Topic 958, *Not-for-Profit Entities*. As such, certain presentation features are different from GASB presentation features. No modifications have been made to the Foundation's financial information in the College's financial reporting entity for these differences; however, significant note disclosures to the Foundation's financial statements have been incorporated into the College's notes to the financial statements.

Financial statements for the Foundation can be obtained by calling the Foundation at (307) 778-5222.

The Authority was created May 18, 2005 as a public benefit corporation financing construction, ownership and operation of real and personal property to be used by the College. The Authority is a separate legal entity from the College but is considered a blended component unit of the College and is reported in its financial statements.

The Authority has authorized the issuance of bonds as necessary to provide sufficient funds for construction and purchase of student dorms, dining facility, and Albany County Campus. Those bonds do not constitute a debt of the College or any political subdivision thereof.

Basis of accounting: For financial reporting purposes, the College is considered a special-purpose government engaged only in business-type activities. Accordingly, the College's financial statements have been presented using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Under the accrual basis, revenues are recognized when earned, and expenses are recorded when an obligation has been incurred. All significant intra-agency transactions have been eliminated.

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<u>Cash equivalents</u>: For purposes of the statement of cash flows, the College considers all highly liquid investments with an original maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents for purposes of the statement of cash flows.

Accounts receivable: Accounts receivable consists of tuition and fee charges to students and auxiliary enterprise services provided to students, faculty and staff. Accounts receivable also include amounts due from the Federal Government, state and local governments, or private sources, in connection with reimbursement of allowable expenditures made pursuant to the College's grants and contracts. The College considers all accounts receivable to be fully collectible at June 30, 2014; therefore, no allowance for doubtful accounts is deemed necessary.

<u>Inventories</u>: Inventories are comprised of construction trade homes that are completed and available for sale. Inventories are stated at the lower of cost or market. The College will recognize an impairment loss when the College considers inventory impaired and will recognize inventory at the lower of carrying value or fair value. This program was discontinued.

<u>Property tax receivable</u>: Property tax receivable includes delinquent property tax receivable and property taxes assessed during the year which will be levied and billed in the subsequent year.

<u>Investments</u>: The College accounts for its investments at fair value, as determined by quoted market prices, in accordance with GASB Statement No. 31, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Certain Investments and for External Investment Pools*.

<u>Capital assets</u>: The College records capital assets at cost at the date of acquisition, or fair market value at the date of donation. For equipment, the College's capitalization policy includes all items with a unit cost of \$5,000 or more, and an estimated useful life of greater than one year. Renovations to buildings, infrastructure, and land improvements that significantly increase the value or extend the useful life of the structure are capitalized. Routine repairs and maintenance are charged to operating expense in the year in which the expense was incurred.

Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets, generally 40 years for buildings, 20 years for infrastructure and land improvements, 5 years for library materials, and 3 to 10 years for equipment.

The College does not capitalize works of art or historical treasures that are held for exhibition, education, research and public service. These collections are neither disposed of for financial gain nor encumbered in any means. Accordingly, such collections are not recognized or capitalized for financial statement purposes.

<u>Compensated absences</u>: Employee vacation pay is accrued at year-end for financial statement purposes. The liability and expense incurred are recorded at year-end as accrued vacation payable in the statement of net position, and as a component of compensation and benefit expense in the statement of revenues, expenses, and changes in net position. Compensated absences other than vacation, are nonvesting benefits and, accordingly, are reflected as expenses in the accompanying financial statements only when used.

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<u>Deferred advance payments and property taxes</u>: Deferred revenue consists primarily of amounts received for summer school tuition and fees related to future fiscal years and property taxes assessed during the year which will be levied and recognized as revenue in the subsequent year.

<u>Noncurrent liabilities</u>: Noncurrent liabilities include estimated amounts for accrued compensated absences, capital lease obligation, bonds payable, and other liabilities that will not be paid within the next fiscal year.

<u>Net position</u>: The College's net position is classified as follows:

*Invested in capital assets, net of related debt:* This represents the College's total investment in capital assets, net accumulated depreciation and outstanding debt and capital lease obligations related to those capital assets.

Restricted net position – nonexpendable: Restricted nonexpendable net position consists of endowment and similar type funds in which donors or other outside sources have stipulated, as a condition of the gift instrument, that the principal is to be maintained inviolate and in perpetuity, and invested for the purpose of producing present and future income, which may either be expended or added to principal.

Restricted net position – expendable: Restricted expendable net position includes resources in which the College is legally or contractually obligated to spend resources in accordance with restrictions imposed by external third parties.

*Unrestricted net position:* Unrestricted net position represents resources derived from student tuition and fees, state and local appropriations, and sales and services of educational departments and auxiliary enterprises. These resources are used for transactions relating to the educational and general operations of the College, and may be used at the discretion of the governing board to meet current expenses for any purpose.

<u>Classification of revenues</u>: The College has classified its revenues as either operating or nonoperating revenues according to the following criteria:

Operating revenues: Operating revenues include activities that have the characteristics of exchange transactions, such as: (1) student tuition and fees, net of scholarship discounts and allowances, (2) sales and services of auxiliary enterprises, net of scholarship discounts and allowances, and (3) Federal, state and local grants and contracts and Federal appropriations.

Nonoperating revenues: Nonoperating revenues include activities that have the characteristics of nonexchange transactions, such as gifts and contributions, and other revenue sources that are defined as nonoperating revenues by GASB Statement No. 9, Reporting Cash Flows of Proprietary and Nonexpendable Trust Funds and Governmental Entities That Use Proprietary Fund Accounting, and GASB Statement No. 34, such as state and local appropriations and investment income.

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Scholarship discounts and allowances: Student tuition and fee revenues, and certain other revenues from students, are reported net of scholarship discounts and allowances in the statement of revenues, expenses, and changes in net position. Scholarship discounts and allowances are the difference between the stated charge for the goods and services provided by the College and the amount that is paid by students and/or third parties making payments on the students' behalf. Certain governmental grants, such as Pell grants, and other Federal, state or nongovernmental programs are recorded as either operating or nonoperating revenues in the College's financial statements. To the extent that revenues from such programs are used to satisfy tuition and fees and other student charges, the College has recorded a scholarship discount and allowance.

<u>Property taxes</u>: Property taxes are assessed as of January 1. Taxes are levied on or about August 1 and payable in two installments on November 1 and March 1. The County bills and collects its own property taxes and also taxes for all municipalities and political subdivisions within the County, including Laramie County Community College. The College's property tax revenues are recognized when levied.

Accounting estimates: The preparation of financial statements requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual amounts could differ from those estimates.

Federal direct loans: The College makes loans to students under the William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Program. Under this program, the U.S. Department of Education makes interest subsidized and nonsubsidized loans directly to students through institutions like the College. Direct student loan receivables are not included in the College's combined statements of net position as the loans are repayable directly to the U.S. Department of Education. In 2014, the College received and disbursed \$6,240,488 under the Federal Direct Loan Program on behalf of the U.S. Department of Education, which is included as nonoperating revenues (non-exchange Federal and state grants) and operating expense (scholarships) on the statements of revenues, expenses, and changes in net position.

<u>Bond issuance costs</u>: Bond issuance costs consist of bond issuance costs, including underwriter discounts. The bond issuance costs are expensed in the period incurred.

Recent pronouncements: In March 2012, the GASB issued GASB Statement No. 65, *Items Previously Reported as Assets and Liabilities*. This statement was issued to establish accounting and financial reporting standards that reclassify, as deferred outflows of resources or deferred inflows of resources, certain items that were previously reported as assets and liabilities and recognizes, as outflows of resources or inflows of resources, certain items that were previously reported as assets and liabilities. The requirements of this statement are effective for financial statements for periods beginning after December 15, 2012. Accounting changes adopted to conform to the provisions of this statement were applied beginning in the year ended June 30, 2014 retroactively by restating financial statements for all periods presented. See discussion of prior period restatement in Note 13.

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In June 2012, the GASB issued GASB Statement No. 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions, which replaces GASB No.27, Accounting for Pensions by State and Local Government Employers, for the most government pensions. This statement requires governments providing defined benefit pensions to recognize their long-term obligation for pension benefits as a liability for the first time, and to more comprehensively and comparably measure the annual cost of the pension benefits. The statement also enhances accountability and transparency through revised and new note disclosures and required supplementary information (RSI). This statement is effective for years beginning after June 15, 2014 with effective changes made to comply with the statement reported as adjustments to prior periods. The College is currently evaluating the impact that the provisions of this statement will have on the College's financial statements.

#### Component Unit – Laramie County Community College Foundation:

A summary of the Foundation's significant accounting policies is as follows:

Basis of accounting: The Foundation conforms to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as applicable to not-for-profit entities. Revenue is recognized when earned and expenses are recorded when incurred. The financial statements reflect unrestricted, temporarily restricted and permanently restricted net assets and activities. Net assets of the two restricted classes are created only by donor-imposed restrictions on their use. All other net assets, including board designated or appropriated amounts, are reported as part of the unrestricted class.

<u>Contributions</u>: Contributions received are recorded as increases in unrestricted, temporarily restricted, or permanently restricted net position depending on the existence or nature of any donor restrictions. Unconditional promises to give are recognized as revenue or gain in the period received as assets, decreases of liabilities, or expenses, depending on the form of the benefits received. Conditional promises to give are recognized only when the conditions on which they depend are substantially met and promises become unconditional.

<u>Donated services and materials</u>: To the extent that contributions of materials made to the Foundation are objectively measurable and represent program or support expenditures, they are reflected in the financial statements at their fair market value. No amounts have been reflected in the statements for donated services since the services do not require specialized skills.

<u>Donated assets</u>: Donated marketable securities and other noncash donations are recorded as contributions at their estimated fair values at the date of donation.

<u>Cash and cash equivalents</u>: For purposes of cash flows, the Foundation considers all demand deposits, money market funds and highly liquid debt instruments with an original maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

The Foundation maintains its cash in bank deposit accounts which, at times, may exceed federally insured limits. The Foundation believes it is not exposed to any significant credit risk on cash and cash equivalents.

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<u>Compensated absences</u>: The Foundation employees' vacation pay is accrued at year end through the Foundation for financial statement purposes. The liability and expense incurred are recorded at year end as accrued vacation payable in the statements of financial position, and as a component of management and fundraising in the statements of activities.

<u>Advertising</u>: Advertising costs are expensed as incurred. Advertising expense for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012 were \$21,086 and \$6,299, respectively.

<u>Investments</u>: The Foundation carries investments in marketable securities with readily determinable fair value and all investments in debt securities at their fair values in the statement of financial position. Unrealized gains and losses are included in the change of net assets in the accompanying statement of activities. Investment income and gains restricted by donors are reported as increases in unrestricted net position if the restrictions are met (either a stipulated time period ends or a purpose restriction is accomplished) in the reporting period in which the income and gains are recognized.

<u>Fair value measurements</u>: The Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures Topic of the FASB Accounting Standards Codification establishes a framework for fair value measurement and disclosure. It requires that assets and liabilities carried at fair value will be classified and disclosed in one of the following three categories:

- Level 1: Quoted market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2: Observable market based inputs or unobservable inputs that are corroborated by market data.
- Level 3: Unobservable inputs that are not corroborated by market data.

The Foundation has valued its investments utilizing the Level 1 approach. The Foundation has valued its certificates of deposit at Level 2.

<u>Estimates</u>: The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

<u>Investment pool</u>: The Foundation maintains master investment accounts for its donor-restricted endowments. Realized and unrealized gains and losses from securities in the master investment accounts are allocated to the individual endowments based on the relationship of the value of each endowment to the total value of the master investment accounts, as adjusted for additions to or deductions from those accounts. These gains and losses are accounted for in temporarily restricted net asset category that correspond to each endowment unless the temporary restricted net asset category corresponding to endowments is reduced to zero at which time any remaining losses are allocated to unrestricted net assets.

<u>Expense allocation</u>: The costs of providing various programs and other activities have been summarized on a functional basis in the statement of activities. Accordingly, certain costs have been allocated among the programs and supporting services benefited.

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<u>Property and improvements</u>: Property and improvements are stated at cost, or if donated, at approximate fair market value on the date of the donation. Such donations are reported as unrestricted support unless the donor has restricted the donated assets to a specific purpose. Assets donated with explicit restrictions regarding their use and contributions of cash that must be used to acquire property and equipment are reported as restricted support. Depreciation is recorded using the straight-line method over the estimated useful life. Amortization of software is recorded over 36 months. Repairs are expensed as incurred. New equipment with an original cost of \$1,000 or more is capitalized.

Income taxes: The Foundation is an exempt organization for income tax purposes under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. In addition, the Foundation qualifies for the charitable contribution deduction under Section 170(b)(1)(A) and has been classified as an organization that is not a private foundation under Section 509(a)(2).

Management evaluated the Foundation's tax positions and concluded that the Foundation had taken no uncertain tax positions that require adjustments to the financial statements. With few exceptions, the Foundation is no longer subject to income tax examinations by the U.S. Federal, state or local tax authorities except for the last three years filed.

Donor restrictions: Donors can change their designations from the different net asset classifications.

#### Note 2. Deposits with Financial Institutions and Investments

#### Laramie County Community College:

The statutes of the State of Wyoming authorize agencies of the State to deposit public funds in financial institutions authorized to do business in the State of Wyoming. These deposits must be fully insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) or secured by a pledge of assets including any bonds, debentures and other securities in which the State Treasurer may by law invest or a depository may pledge conventional real estate mortgages and notes connected with mortgages at a ratio of one and one-half to one of the value of public funds secured by the securities. The Authority is not an agency of the State and maintains its cash deposits at a financial institution in a money market fund invested in U.S. Government securities

<u>Custodial credit risk</u>: Custodial credit risk for deposits of the College is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the College's deposits may not be returned to them. At June 30, 2014, the carrying amount of the College's deposits, including certificates of deposit treated as investments, were \$16,139,582 and bank balances were \$17,240,285, with Federal insurance and pledged securities totaling \$20,990,403.

As of June 30, 2014, \$263,113 was held to be used to complete construction of the Health Sciences Building. In addition, \$30,276 was held in bond reserve and project funds for the Building Authority.

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The Authority does not have a formal policy addressing concentration of credit risk or interest rate risk. All investments are held in the name of the Authority by its custodial bank. The Authority's specific investments at June 30, 2014 are as follows:

	 Fair Value	Maturity	Rate	Rating
Federal Home Loan Bank	\$ 646,194	3/24/2022	2.250%	AAA
Federal National Mortgage Association	258,495	11/15/2024	2.500%	AAA
Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation	1,068,452	6/27/2018	1.250%	AAA
	\$ 1,973,141			

## Laramie County Community College Foundation:

The carrying values and fair values of certificates of deposit and marketable securities for the Foundation are as follows at December 31, 2013:

		Cost		Fair Value
Certificates of deposit	\$	433,182	\$	461,717
Marketable securities:	_		_	
Equity securities	\$	4,841,438	\$	6,200,900
Corporate debt securities		3,553,978		3,566,448
Municipal debt securities		214,996		221,670
Mutual funds		6,431,738		7,427,583
Other		480,000		471,272
Total marketable securities	\$	15,522,150	\$	17,887,873

<u>Concentration of credit risk</u>: The College has no formal investment policy. The Foundation's investment policy is as follows:

The investment portfolio should be adequately diversified to provide maximum earnings, safety of the corpus of the portfolio, and allow for expenditure needs. A mix of investments both within managed mutual funds and for the entire portfolio will be recommended by the investment manager at least annually.

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#### Laramie County Community College Foundation (continued):

The target allocation is as follows:

Target Allocation	Minimum	Target	Maximum
Fixed Income: U.S. Investment Grade	20%	30%	40%
Equity	55%	65%	75%
Alternatives	0%	5%	10%

The equities total shall be the sum of all equities owned either as individual stocks or within mutual funds. At least one-half of the equity portfolio shall be invested in large capitalization stocks of the United States with the remainder to be invested in small-medium capitalization stocks of the United States and large capitalization stocks of companies located outside the United States.

<u>Interest rate risk</u>: The Foundation is also exposed to investment fair value loss arising from increased interest rates. The Foundation's policy for fixed-income portfolios is as follows:

*U.S. fixed-income* – *investment grade*: The Board will be managing the U.S. fixed income portfolio (i.e. debt issued by the U.S. Government and its agencies, marketable corporate bonds, debentures, preferred stock, commercial paper, certificates of deposit). The investment manager will not be authorized to purchase securities classified as U.S. fixed income.

*Prohibited investments*: The Board will normally not authorize investment in the following asset categories:

Venture capital
Private placement or other securities not publicly traded
Short sales or margin purchases
Direct placement of mortgages
Commodities

At December 31, 2013, the following table shows the fixed-income investments by type, amount and maturity:

		Investment Maturities (in Years)								
Investment Type	Fair Value	Le	ess than 1		1 to 5	More than 5				
Corporate Bonds	\$3,566,448	\$	100,921	\$	362,999	\$3,102,528				
Municipal Bonds	221,670		65,368		156,302	-				
	\$ 3,788,118	\$	166,289	\$	519,301	\$ 3,102,528				

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#### Laramie County Community College Foundation (continued):

The distribution of quality rating of debt securities in the Foundation's investment portfolio at fair value as of December 31, 2013 is as follows:

Quality rating:	
AAA	\$ 54,862
AA	322,591
A	50,713
BBB	1,259,555
BB	525,354
В	1,575,043
Total credit risk debt securities	\$ 3,788,118

<u>Investments held for others</u>: The Foundation received funds from the College to invest on its behalf pursuant to the requirements of the Wyoming Community College Endowment Challenge Program under Wyoming Session Laws, Chapter 117. Under the terms of this program, the Foundation has solicited contributions for its endowment funds. These contributions were reported to the State of Wyoming, which made a matching contribution to the College. The College invested these funds with the Foundation as required by statute. The Foundation is required to invest the money and use the investment earnings to fund endowments consistent with the original donor's intent.

As of December 31, 2013 and 2012, the Foundation held \$8,932,470 and \$7,795,484, respectively, of investments for the College.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Note 3. Capital Assets

Following are the changes in capital assets for the College for the years ended June 30, 2014 and 2013:

	Balance June 30, 2013	Additions	Transfers	R	etirements	Balance June 30, 2014
Capital assets not being depreciated:						
Land	\$ 870,564	\$ -	\$ -	\$	-	\$ 870,564
Construction in progress	 1,190,774	1,775,869	(18,593)		-	2,948,050
Total capital assets not						
being depreciated	\$ 2,061,338	\$ 1,775,869	\$ (18,593)	\$	-	\$ 3,818,614
Other capital assets:						
Infrastructure	\$ 3,603,324	\$ -	\$ -	\$	-	\$ 3,603,324
Land improvements	4,112,449	-	-		-	4,112,449
Buildings	86,324,962	431,873	18,593			86,775,428
Furniture, fixtures and equipment	8,518,473	674,363	-		(262,697)	8,930,139
Library materials	 1,733,093	90,076	-		(81,853)	1,741,316
Total other capital assets	104,292,301	1,196,312	18,593		(344,550)	105,162,656
Less accumulated depreciation for:						_
Infrastructure	(1,852,402)	(106,501)	7,832		-	(1,951,071)
Land improvements	(1,797,120)	(196,977)	-		-	(1,994,097)
Buildings	(35,830,478)	(2,650,229)	(7,832)		-	(38,488,539)
Furniture, fixtures and equipment	(6,379,170)	(767,245)	-		174,580	(6,971,835)
Library materials	 (1,480,144)	(79,678)	-		81,854	(1,477,968)
Total accumulated depreciation	(47,339,314)	(3,800,630)	-		256,434	(50,883,510)
Other capital assets, net	\$ 56,952,987	\$ (2,604,318)	\$ 18,593	\$	(88,116)	\$ 54,279,146
Capital asset summary:						
Capital assets not being depreciated	\$ 2,061,338	\$ 1,775,869	\$ (18,593)	\$	-	\$ 3,818,614
Other capital assets, at cost	104,292,301	1,196,312	18,593		(344,550)	105,162,656
Total cost of capital assets	106,353,639	2,972,181	-		(344,550)	108,981,270
Less accumulated depreciation	(47,339,314)	(3,800,630)	-		256,434	(50,883,510)
Capital assets, net	\$ 59,014,325	\$ (828,449)	\$ -	\$	(88,116)	\$ 58,097,760

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		Balance June 30, 2012		Additions		Transfers	Ret	tirements		Balance June 30, 2013
Capital assets not being depreciated:	¢	970 574	ø		ø		¢.		ď	970 574
Construction in progress	\$	870,564 1,780,710	\$	- 2,029,744	\$	(2,619,680)	\$	-	\$	870,564 1,190,774
Total capital assets not		1,780,710		2,029,744		(2,019,080)				1,190,774
being depreciated	•	2,651,274	\$	2,029,744	\$	(2,619,680)	\$		\$	2,061,338
being depreciated	Ψ	2,031,274	Ψ	2,027,744	Ψ	(2,017,000)	Ψ		Ψ	2,001,336
Other capital assets:										
Infrastructure	\$	3,394,482	\$	-	\$	208,842	\$	-	\$	3,603,324
Land improvements		4,112,449		-		-		-		4,112,449
Buildings		84,294,723		-		2,410,838	(	380,599)		86,324,962
Furniture, fixtures and equipment		8,831,539		721,691		-	(1,	034,757)		8,518,473
Library materials		1,714,595		84,470		-		(65,972)		1,733,093
Total other capital assets		02,347,788		806,161		2,619,680	(1,	481,328)		104,292,301
Less accumulated depreciation for:										_
Infrastructure		(1,756,343)		(96,059)		-		-		(1,852,402)
Land improvements		(1,600,143)		(196,977)		-		-		(1,797,120)
Buildings		(33,055,073)		(2,775,405)		-		-		(35,830,478)
Furniture, fixtures and equipment		(6,442,554)		(918,415)		-		981,799		(6,379,170)
Library materials		(1,468,901)		(77,155)		-		65,912		(1,480,144)
Total accumulated depreciation		(44,323,014)		(4,064,011)		-	1,	047,711		(47,339,314)
Other capital assets, net	\$	58,024,774	\$	(3,257,850)	\$	2,619,680	\$ (	433,617)	\$	56,952,987
Capital asset summary:										
Capital assets not being depreciated	\$	2,651,274	\$	2,029,744	\$	(2,619,680)	\$	-	\$	2,061,338
Other capital assets, at cost		02,347,788		806,161		2,619,680		481,328)		104,292,301
Total cost of capital assets		104,999,062		2,835,905		-		481,328)		106,353,639
Less accumulated depreciation		(44,323,014)		(4,064,011)		-		047,711		(47,339,314)
Capital assets, net	\$	60,676,048	\$	(1,228,106)	\$	-	\$ (	433,617)	\$	59,014,325

#### Note 4. Long-Term Liabilities

<u>Voluntary termination</u>: Employees of the College who meet certain employment, age and service requirements are eligible to apply for voluntary termination benefits. Upon application by a qualified employee, and subject to the recommendation of the College President and approval by the Board of Trustees, the retiring employee is entitled to receive annual voluntary termination payments. An employee's aggregate voluntary termination incentive is computed based upon his or her annual salary immediately prior to retirement, increased by 4% for each year of service in excess of ten (not to exceed an aggregate of \$75,000) plus an amount equal to 85% of the State's contribution for annual health insurance benefit at the time of termination. The aggregate termination incentive is paid over a five-year period.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The accompanying financial statements reflect an obligation of \$750,042 as of June 30, 2014, for voluntary termination benefits, which amount represents the present value (discounted at a rate of 6%) of future payments to former employees who elected to receive, and who were approved to receive, voluntary termination benefits. The financial statements also include the present value of estimated obligation for health insurance benefits of \$260,674 as of June 30, 2014.

The following summarizes scheduled future liquidation of June 30, 2014 long-term voluntary termination obligations:

	]	Imputed	Present	
Fiscal Year Ending June 30,		Interest	Value	Total
2015	\$	46,261	\$ 262,774	\$ 309,035
2016		30,054	246,686	276,740
2017		14,838	181,164	196,002
2018		3,665	59,418	63,083
	\$	94,818	\$ 750,042	\$ 844,860

The Authority issued \$9,360,000 of revenue bonds on September 1, 2005, \$8,110,000 of revenue bonds on July 15, 2009, and \$2,815,000 of revenue bonds on November 6, 2012. The bonds are limited obligations of the Authority and do not constitute an obligation or guarantee of the College or of its agencies or political subdivisions. The bonds are secured by the leased assets and repayments will be made through lease payments by the College for the use of the assets.

	Authorized		Bonds
	and	Interest	Outstanding at
	Issued	Rates	June 30, 2014
Series 2005 Revenue Bonds	9,360,000	3.5% - 4.5%	7,430,000
Series 2009 Revenue Bonds	8,110,000	3.25% - 6.25%	6,000,000
Series 2012 Revenue Bonds	2,815,000	0.85% - 3.1%	2,590,000

Aggregate maturities, including interest of \$4,564,965, required on the bonds at June 30, 2014 are as follows:

	Principal	Interest
2015	\$ 1,100,000	\$ 708,601
2016	1,150,000	665,014
2017	1,200,000	616,599
2018	1,280,000	563,497
2019	1,385,000	503,297
2020 - 2024	6,980,000	1,345,286
2025 - 2026	2,925,000	162,671
	16,020,000	\$4,564,965
Original issue discount/premium	(75,658)	
	\$ 15,944,342	_
		_

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Long-term liability activity for the years ended June 30, 2014 and 2013 is as follows:

	Balance				Balance		Amounts
	June 30,				June 30,	Ι	Due Within
	2013	Additions	R	Reductions	2014		One Year
Other liabilities:							
Liability for voluntary termination	\$ 1,092,800	\$ 336,252	\$	418,336	\$ 1,010,716	\$	-
Accrued compensated absences	1,288,121	535,368		605,613	1,217,876		937,765
Capital lease obligation	288,772	-		181,337	107,435		34,913
Bonds payable	 17,018,256	-		1,073,914	15,944,342		1,088,802
Total other liabilities	\$ 19,687,949	\$ 871,620	\$	2,279,200	\$ 18,280,369	\$	2,061,480
	Balance				Balance		Amounts
	June 30,				June 30,	Ι	Oue Within
	2012	Additions	R	Reductions	2013		One Year
Other liabilities:							
Liability for voluntary termination	\$ 817,032	\$ 674,943	\$	399,175	\$ 1,092,800	\$	-
Accrued compensated absences	1,282,705	884,522		879,106	1,288,121		991,853
Capital lease obligation	2,790,967	-		2,501,925	288,772		25,523
Bonds payable	14,996,644	2,815,000		793,388	17,018,256		1,073,192
Total other liabilities	\$ 19,887,348	\$ 4,374,465	\$	4,573,594	\$ 19,687,949	\$	2,090,568

#### Note 5. Capital Lease

In October 2004, the College entered into a lease with the Foundation for the Albany County, Wyoming campus. This lease was purchased by the Building Authority on October 2012 and a new lease agreement was entered into with the Building Authority for the Albany County, Wyoming Campus. The leased asset is included in capital assets at the present value of the future minimum lease payments using an effective interest rate of 2.89%. The cost of the asset acquired under the capital lease is \$2,434,401 and is included in capital assets. The lease expires on August 1, 2024. The lease obligation has been eliminated in consolidation.

The College also has other capital leases for equipment at year end with an ending balance at June 30, 2014 of \$107,435, with annual payments of \$37,653.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### **Note 6.** The Foundation

The College is affiliated with the Laramie County Community College Foundation (the "Foundation"). The Foundation serves to further the goals of the College and its students. The Foundation Board is comprised of 16 members, which include three College Board members and the College President.

#### **Note 7.** Retirement Commitments

Eligible College employees may participate in one of two pension plans offered by the College, either the Wyoming Retirement System (WRS) or Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association/College Retirement Equities Fund (TIAA/CREF). WRS is a cost-sharing, multiple-employer public employee defined benefit, contributory retirement plan. TIAA/CREF is a private defined contribution pension plan, which is portable to other institutions and states. For the years ended June 30, 2014, 2013 and 2012, the College's contributions to TIAA/CREF were \$1,241,217, \$1,218,596 and \$1,237,786, respectively.

Participants in WRS who retire at age 60 with four years of credited service are entitled to a retirement benefit according to predetermined formulas and are allowed to select one of five optional methods for receiving benefits. Early retirement is allowed provided the employee has completed four years of service and attained the age of 50, but will result in a reduction of benefits based on the length of time remaining to normal retirement age. WRS also provides death and disability benefits. Benefits are established by State statutes. The WRS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. This report may be obtained by writing to Wyoming Retirement System, 6101 Yellowstone Road, Suite 500, Cheyenne, Wyoming 82002 or by calling (307) 777-7691.

Statutes require that 14.12% (2011 - 2013) of the covered employee's salary be contributed to the plan, 1.43% by the employee and 12.69% by the employer. For the years ended June 30, 2014, 2013 and 2012, the College's contributions to the WRS were \$1,670,349, \$1,517,197 and \$1,492,843, respectively, which equals the required contribution for the years then ended.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### Note 8. Agency Funds

The College holds in trust, funds collected by various student groups. A liability for these funds is included in the accompanying financial statements. The following summarizes activity within the student activity funds during the years ended June 30, 2014 and 2013:

Student Activity Funds:	2014	2013
Beginning of year	\$ 808,215	\$ 958,158
Additions:		
Student fees	688,834	412,476
Allocated interest and other	1,595	2,355
Total additions	690,429	414,831
Total available funds	 1,498,644	1,372,989
Deductions:		
Salaries and benefits	182,160	140,482
Other noncapital expenditures	397,888	424,292
Total deductions	580,048	564,774
End of year	\$ 918,596	\$ 808,215

#### Note 9. Commitments and Contingencies

<u>Voluntary termination</u>: As discussed in Note 4, the College offers voluntary termination to employees of the College who meet certain employment, age and service requirements. As of June 30, 2014, approximately 29 employees have met the eligibility requirements of the plan.

No liability for payment of incentive benefits to these employees has been recorded in the accompanying financial statements in as much as formal application to receive benefits has not been made by the employees and because, even if such application had been made, ultimate payment is subject to required Board approval. The estimated benefit payment requirement for the employees who meet eligibility requirements as of June 30, 2014 was approximately \$2,128,417.

Other: Amounts expended under the terms of certain grants are subject to audit and possible adjustment by governmental agencies. In the opinion of College management, any adjustments will not have a material effect on the accompanying financial statements.

As of June 30, 2014, the remaining commitment to complete construction projects totaled approximately \$36,136. These completion costs will be paid primarily from a state appropriation for major maintenance and contingency reserve.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Bond reserve fund: For the Series 2005 Bond, the Indenture of Trust agreement with the bond trustee required the Authority to deposit \$936,000 into a separate account with the trustee. These funds may only be used to fund deficiencies in meeting bond debt service payments. Funds withdrawn from the reserve account are to be repaid in equal monthly payments over the next 12 months. No withdrawals have been made as of June 30, 2014. As of June 30, 2014, the reserve fund consists of investments with a fair market value of \$914,550 and cash of \$8,984.

For the Series 2009 Bond, the Indenture of Trust agreement with the bond trustee required the Authority to deposit \$811,000 into a separate account with the trustee. These funds may only be used to fund deficiencies in meeting bond debt service payments. Funds withdrawn from the reserve account are to be repaid in equal monthly payments over the next 12 months. No withdrawals have been made as of June 30, 2014. As of June 30, 2014, the reserve fund consists of investments with a fair market value of \$800,096 and cash of \$12,365.

For the Series 2012 Bond, there was no public issue that required a reserve requirement. However, the Authority created a reserve account where the funds may only be used to fund deficiencies in meeting bond debt service payments. No withdrawals have been made as of June 30, 2014. As of June 30, 2014, the reserve fund consists of investments with a fair market value of \$258,495 and cash of \$8,927.

#### Note 10. Risk Management

The College is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts, theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets, errors and omissions, injuries to employees and natural disasters. During the year ended June 30, 2014, the College contracted with various insurance companies for property insurance (including boiler and machinery), general liability insurance, professional insurance, vehicle insurance, natural disaster insurance, and insurance on the dental hygiene clinic. The coverage under each type of insurance policy varies in amounts and deductibles. The College has not had significant settlements exceeding insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years. The College has had no significant reductions in insurance coverage from coverage in the prior year.

#### **Note 11.** Designated Net Position

During the 1999 fiscal year, the College requested and received public support for a five mill property tax levy which is restricted under State of Wyoming Statutes for community college purposes. Although the State statutes include provisions restricting the use of funds for certain broad purposes or under certain circumstances, one provision allows use of the funds for specific district program needs which needs were not defined or limited by the State statute. Therefore, these funds were considered unrestricted. However, the Board had designated these funds to be used for facility maintenance, renovation and improvement. As of June 30, 2014 and 2013, the College has \$0 and \$117,226, respectively, of net unrestricted assets related to the five mill property tax levy.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# Note 12. Natural Classifications with Functional Classifications

The College's operating expenses by natural classification were as follows:

	Natural Classification					
	Compensation and Benefits	Supplies and Services	Depreciation	Scholarships	Total	
			2014	•		
Functional Classification:						
Instruction	\$ 16,070,124	\$ 3,633,371	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 19,703,495	
Public service	345,922	101,116	_	-	447,038	
Academic support	4,547,824	2,154,157	-	-	6,701,981	
Student services	3,046,275	954,275	-	-	4,000,550	
Institutional support	4,861,949	2,652,815	-	-	7,514,764	
Operation of plant	2,526,031	2,451,506	-	-	4,977,537	
Scholarships	-	-	-	13,215,710	13,215,710	
Auxiliary enterprises	929,842	1,492,579	-	-	2,422,421	
Depreciation		-	3,800,630	-	3,800,630	
<b>Total expenses</b>	\$ 32,327,967	\$ 13,439,819	\$ 3,800,630	\$13,215,710	\$ 62,784,126	
			2013			
Functional Classification:						
Instruction	\$ 16,578,816	\$ 3,413,737	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 19,992,553	
Public service	280,124	228,078	-	-	508,202	
Academic support	4,353,453	1,327,107	_	-	5,680,560	
Student services	2,785,427	786,930	-	-	3,572,357	
Institutional support	4,786,983	2,116,704	-	-	6,903,687	
Operation of plant	2,418,681	2,314,450	-	-	4,733,131	
Scholarships	-	-	-	11,136,921	11,136,921	
Auxiliary enterprises	997,106	1,610,456	-	-	2,607,562	
Depreciation		-	4,064,011	-	4,064,011	
<b>Total expenses</b>	\$ 32,200,590	\$ 11,797,462	\$ 4,064,011	\$11,136,921	\$ 59,198,984	

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### **Note 13.** New Pronouncement

On July 1, 2013, the College implemented GASB Statement No. 65, *Items Previously Reported as Assets and Liabilities* (GASB 65), which states that debt issuance costs should be recognized as an expense in the period incurred. The accounting change adopted to conform to the provisions of GASB 65 has been applied retroactively by restating the beginning net position of the earliest period presented.

At June 30, 2013 and 2012, the Building Authority reported an asset of \$290,633 and \$248,516, respectively, related to capitalized bond issuance costs. The total debt issuance cost of \$248,516 has been reported as a restatement of beginning net position for the year ended June 30, 2013. The statement of revenue, expenses and changes in net position for the year ended June 30, 2013 has also been restated by increasing bond issuance costs and the net decrease in net position by \$42,117.

## **Note 14.** Subsequent Event

On July 8, 2014, the College issued \$25,000,000 of general obligation bonds for the purpose of paying the costs of planning, designing, engineering, constructing, furnishing and equipping a new Flex-Tech Building and a new University/Student Center on the Laramie County Campus.

## LARAMIE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE COMBINING SCHEDULE OF NET POSITION June 30, 2014

ASSETS	L	aramie County Community College	Laramie County Community College Building Authority		Eliminations		Total
Current Assets		Conege	rumonty		Emimations		Total
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	15,801,469	\$ 73,833	\$	_	\$	15,875,302
Investments	Ψ	75,000	-	Ψ	_	Ψ	75,000
Accounts receivable, net		3,475,027	_		_		3,475,027
Current maturities of lease		-	1,096,570		(1,096,570)		-
Interest receivable		_	149,657		(149,657)		-
Property taxes receivable		6,081,358	-		-		6,081,358
Prepaid expense		48,217	-		-		48,217
Total current assets		25,481,071	1,320,060		(1,246,227)		25,554,904
Noncurrent Assets					•		
Restricted cash		263,113	30,276		_		293,389
Restricted investments		-	1,973,141		-		1,973,141
Building Authority receivable		936,000	-		(936,000)		-
Long-term lease		_	13,509,467		(13,509,467)		-
Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation		58,097,760	-		-		58,097,760
Investments held by others		9,566,892	-		-		9,566,892
·		68,863,765	15,512,884		(14,445,467)		69,931,182
Total assets		94,344,836	16,832,944		(15,691,694)		95,486,086
LIABILITIES		<i>y</i> 1,5 1 1,65 0	10,002,911		(10,0)1,0)		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
Current Liabilities							
Accounts payable		885,848	_		_		885,848
Payroll and related liabilities		1,589,614	_		_		1,589,614
Accrued compensated absences		937,765	_		_		937,765
Accrued interest payable		151,143	129,150		(149,657)		130,636
Advance tuition payments		252,786	127,130		(147,037)		252,786
Custodial deposits		918,596	_		_		918,596
Capital lease obligation		1,131,483	_		(1,096,570)		34,913
Current maturities of bonds payable		-	1,088,802		(1,000,070)		1,088,802
Total current liabilities	-	5,867,235	1,217,952		(1,246,227)		5,838,960
Noncurrent Liabilities	-	-,,	-,,		(-,= : -,== : /)		2,020,00
Liability for voluntary termination		1,010,716	_		_		1,010,716
Accrued compensated absences		280,111	_		_		280,111
Due to Laramie County Community College		200,111	936,000		(936,000)		200,111
Capital lease obligation		13,581,989	750,000		(13,509,467)		72,522
Long-term bonds payable		13,301,707	14,855,540		(13,307,407)		14,855,540
Total noncurrent liabilities		14,872,816	15,791,540		(14,445,467)		16,218,889
Total liabilities		20,740,051	17,009,492		(15,691,694)		22,057,849
		20,740,031	17,009,492		(13,091,094)		22,037,649
DEFERRED INFLOWS		5.024.207					5 024 207
Deferred property taxes		5,834,387	-		-		5,834,387
NET POSITION							
Invested in Capital Assets, net of related debt		43,384,288	(1,338,305)	)	-		42,045,983
Restricted for:							<b></b> 0
Nonexpendable		7,784,574	-		-		7,784,574
Expendable:							
Scholarships		2,060,356	-		-		2,060,356
Capital projects		1,315,995	-		-		1,315,995
Unrestricted	_	13,225,185	1,161,757	Α.	-	Φ.	14,386,942
Total net position	\$	67,770,398	\$ (176,548)	\$	-	\$	67,593,850

# COMBINING SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION Year Ended June 30, 2014

Year Ended June 30, 2014	L	aramie County Community College		Laramie County Community College Building Authority	E	liminations		Total
Operating Revenues								
Tuition and fees	\$	9,938,247	\$	_	\$	_	\$	9,938,247
Federal grants and contracts	Ψ	1,804,919	Ψ	_	Ψ	_	Ψ	1,804,919
State and local grants and contracts		1,492,561		_		_		1,492,561
Auxiliary enterprise charges		3,322,432		_		_		3,322,432
Other operating revenues		420,658		_		_		420,658
Total operating revenues	_	16,978,817		-		-		16,978,817
Operating Expenses								
Instruction		19,703,495		-		-		19,703,495
Public service		447,038		-		-		447,038
Academic support		6,701,981		-		-		6,701,981
Student services		4,000,550		-		-		4,000,550
Institutional support		7,514,764		-		-		7,514,764
Operation and maintenance of plant		4,964,773		12,764		-		4,977,537
Scholarships		13,215,710		-		-		13,215,710
Auxiliary enterprises		2,422,421		-		-		2,422,421
Depreciation		3,800,630		-		-		3,800,630
Total operating expenses		62,771,362		12,764		-		62,784,126
Operating (loss)		(45,792,545)		(12,764)		-		(45,805,309)
Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses)								
Non-exchange Federal and state grants		12,161,995		-		-		12,161,995
State appropriations		25,185,336		_		_		25,185,336
Local appropriations		6,555,970		-		-		6,555,970
Net investment income		1,647,897		64,349				1,712,246
Direct financing income		-		668,776		(668,776)		_
Interest expense		(508,476)		(758,734)		668,776		(598,434)
Interest refund		-		119,254		, <u>-</u>		119,254
Net nonoperating revenues		45,042,722		93,645		-		45,136,367
Income (loss) before other revenue,								
expenses, gains or losses		(749,823)		80,881		-		(668,942)
-								
Other Revenue, Expenses, Gains or Losses State endowment appropriation		192,505						192,505
Increase (decrease) in net position		(557,318)		80,881		_		(476,437)
•								
Net Position, beginning of year, as previously reported Adjustment to prior years		68,327,716		(257,429)		-		68,070,287
Net Position, beginning of year, as restated		68,327,716		(257,429)		-		68,070,287
Net Position, end of year	\$	67,770,398	\$	(176,548)	\$	-	\$	67,593,850

# SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS For the Year Ended June 30, 2014

Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/Program Title	Pass-Through Grantor's Number	Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number	Federal Award Expenditures
Student Financial Aid Cluster:			
U.S. Department of Education:			
Federal Direct Loan	N/A	84.268	\$ 6,240,488
Federal Pell Grant Program	N/A	84.063	4,942,591
Federal Work-Study Program	N/A	84.033	75,159
Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant Total Student Financial Aid Cluster	N/A	84.007	83,459 11,341,697
Other Programs:			
U.S. Department of Education:			
TRIO-Student Support Services	N/A	84.042A	266,397
Passed through Wyoming Department of Education:			
Career and Technical Education - Basic	27/1	0.4.0.40	201.206
Grants to States	N/A	84.048	391,206
Passed through University of Wyoming:			
	1001320A/1001320C-LCCC	84.334S	357,748
College Access Challenge Grant		84.378A	55,479
Total passed through University of Wyoming			413,227
Passed through Wyoming College Commission:			
Adult Education State Grant Program	ABE14R04	84.002	103,490
Adult Education State Grant Program	ABE13R04	84.002	6,464
El Civics State Grant Program	ABE14C04	84.002	24,032
El Civics State Grant Program	ABE13C04	84.002	746
Total passed through Wyoming College Commi	ission		134,732
Total U.S. Department of Education			12,547,259
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services:			
Passed through Wyoming Department of Workforce S		02.550	202.044
Adelante - ETSS	N/A	93.558	202,044
Passed through University of Wyoming:	100140117/10010220 1 000	02.050	60.047
	1001481K/10019320-LCCC	93.859	68,947
Passed through Wyoming Department of Health:	108423	93.889	5 500
National Bioterrism Hospital Preparedness Prograr  Total U.S. Department of Health and Human		93.869	5,500 276,491
National Science Foundation:			
Education and Human Resources	Due 1603452	47.076	57,124
National Aeronautics and Space Administration:			
Passed through University of Wyoming:			
Education	NWX10AO95H	43.008	5,666

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# SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS (Continued) For the Year Ended June 30, 2014

Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/Program Title	Pass-Through Grantor's Number	Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number	Federal Award Expenditures
U.S. Department of Labor:			
Passed through Pueblo Community College:			
Trade Adjustment Assistance Community College			
and Career Training	23780-12-60-A-8	17.282	\$ 61,335
Passed through Wyoming Department of Workforce S	Services:		
WIA Youth Activities	98433/110015	17.259	11,590
H-1B Job Training Grant	HG-22737-12-60-A-56	17.268	157,340
Total passed through University of Wyoming			168,930
Total U.S. Department of Labor			230,265
U.S. Department of Homeland Security:			
Passed through Wyoming Department of Homeland S	ecurity:		
	11-GPD-LCCC-MA-SSG11	97.067	3,861
U.S. Department of Agriculture:			
Passed through Wyoming Department of Education			
Child and Adult Care Food Program		10.558	25,950
Total Federal award expenditures			\$ 13,146,616

See Note to Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards.

#### NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS

#### **Note 1.** Basis of Presentation

The purpose of the schedule of expenditures of Federal awards (the "Schedule") is to present a summary of the activities of the Laramie County Community College (the "College") for the year ended June 30, 2014, which have been financed by the U.S. Government. The Schedule is presented on the accrual basis of accounting. The information in this Schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Therefore, some amounts presented in this Schedule may differ from amounts presented in, or used in the preparation of the basic financial statements.

For purposes of the Schedule, Federal awards have been classified into two types:

- 1. Direct Federal awards consisting of Federal assistance and Federal student financial aid, and
- 2. Pass-through funds received from non-Federal organizations made under federally sponsored programs conducted by those organizations.

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

To the Board of Trustees Laramie County Community College Cheyenne, Wyoming

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the business-type activities of Laramie County Community College (the "College") as of and for the year ended June 30, 2014, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the College's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated October 15, 2014.

#### **Internal Control over Financial Reporting**

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the College's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the College's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the College's internal control.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

#### **Compliance and Other Matters**

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the College's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

#### **Purpose of this Report**

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the result of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the College's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the College's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

Cheyenne, Wyoming October 15, 2014

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY OMB CIRCULAR A-133

To the Board of Trustees Laramie County Community College Cheyenne, Wyoming

#### Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

We have audited Laramie County Community College's (the "College") compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of the College's major Federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2014. The College's major Federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

#### Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to its Federal programs.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of the College's major Federal programs based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major Federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the College's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance for each major Federal program. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the College's compliance.

#### Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

In our opinion, the College complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major Federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2014.

#### Other Matters

The results of our auditing procedures disclosed an instance of noncompliance, which is required to be reported in accordance with OMB Circular A-133 and which is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs as item 2014-001. Our opinion on each major Federal program is not modified with respect to this matter.

The College's response to the noncompliance finding identified in our audit is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. The College's response was not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

#### **Report on Internal Control over Compliance**

Management of the College is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered the College's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major Federal program to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for each major Federal program and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the College's internal control over compliance.

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a Federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a Federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a Federal program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and, therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, we identified certain deficiencies in internal control over compliance, as described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs as items 2014-001 and 2014-002 that we consider to be significant deficiencies.

The College's responses to the internal control over compliance findings identified in our audit are described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. The College's responses were not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the responses.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of OMB Circular A-133. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

Mc See, Heurne & Paix, LSP Cheyenne, Wyoming

October 15, 2014

# SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS Year Ended June 30, 2014

## I. SUMMARY OF INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S RESULTS

A.	Financial Statements					
	Type of auditor's report issu	ed: Unmodified				
	Internal control over financi	al reporting:				
	<ul><li>Material weaknesses iden</li><li>Significant deficiencies id</li></ul>			Yes	X	_ No
	not considered to be mate	rial weaknesses?		Yes	<u>X</u>	_ None Reported
	Noncompliance material to statements noted?	<u>financial</u>		Yes	X	_ No
B.	Federal Awards					
	Internal control over major p	orograms:				
	Material weaknesses iden			Yes	<u>X</u>	_ No
	<ul> <li>Significant deficiencies id not considered to be mate</li> </ul>		X	_Yes		_ None Reported
	Type of auditor's report issu	ed on compliance for	r major pro	grams:	Unmo	dified
	<ul> <li>Any audit findings disclose required to be reported in</li> </ul>					
	with Section 510(a) of Cir		<u>X</u>	_Yes		_ No
	Identification of major progr	<u>rams</u> :				
	CFDA Numbers	Name of Federal	Program o	r Clust	<u>er</u>	
	Cluster 17.268	Student Financial A H-1B Job Training (				
	84.048	Career and Technica		n		
	<ul> <li>Dollar threshold used to d</li> <li>Type A and Type B progr</li> </ul>	•	\$300,00	n		
			,			N
	<ul> <li>Auditee qualified as low-</li> </ul>	risk auditee?	X	_ Y es		_ No

# SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS Year Ended June 30, 2014

#### II. FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS

None

#### III. FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR FEDERAL AWARDS

#### 2014-001: Student Financial Aid Cluster – Special Tests: Enrollment Reporting

Catalog of Federal Assistance (CFDA) Number and Title: 84.268 Federal Direct Student
Loans, 84.063 Federal Pell Grant Program
Federal Agency Name: Department of Education
Pass-Through Entity Name (if applicable): N/A
Award Number/Name: N/A
<b>Award Year(s)</b> : July 1, 2013- June 30, 2014

**Condition** – Of the 40 students tested for Enrollment Reporting, we noted four instances in which the students were reported to NSLDS with graduated status effective dates of the last day of classes instead of the last day of finals, which would be the date the student completed the course requirements.

Of the 40 students tested for Enrollment Reporting, we noted 14 instances in which the students status change (to withdrawn or graduate) were not reported to NSLDS.

Of the 40 students tested for Enrollment Reporting, we noted six instances in which the students' withdrawn dates were improperly reported to the NSLDS.

*Criteria* – Per review of 34 CFR 685.305 (FDL), the College must use the withdrawal date determined under 34 CFR 668.22(b) or (c), as applicable for the purpose of reporting the date that the student has withdrawn from the institution. In addition, per review of 34 CFD 690.83 (Pell), an institution shall submit, in accordance with deadline dates established by the Secretary, through publication in the Federal Register, other reports and information the Secretary requires and shall comply with the procedures the Secretary finds necessary to ensure that the reports are correct. Appendix A of the National Student Loan Data System Enrollment Reporting Guide also states that graduated students should be reported with an effective date of the day the student completed the course requirements.

**Cause** – The underlying condition is believed to be a lack of effective controls in place within the Registrar's office to ensure that all enrollment status changes are properly reported after the necessary information is received from the Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid.

*Effect* – Lack of controls over proper reporting of student status changes could impact a student's repayment status.

**Recommendation** – We recommend that the Registrar's office evaluate their controls in place to ensure that all required reporting is occurring and that status effective dates are being properly reported for each student.

#### **Questioned Costs** – \$0

*Management's Response* – As noted during the on-site visit, the academic calendar was changed as of the 2014-2015 academic year to show the last day of finals as the last day of the semester.

Records and Financial Aid will work together to ensure that unofficial withdrawals are reported to the Clearinghouse no later than 60 days after the date of determination.

# SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS Year Ended June 30, 2014

In addition, the Registrar's office will continue to report graduates in batch to the National Student Clearinghouse at the end of each semester, and submit an additional degree file the following month to report any graduates whose degrees were conferred after the batch conferral.

#### 2014-002: Student Financial Aid Cluster - Special Tests: R2T4

Catalog of Federal Assistance (CFDA) Number and Title: 84.007 FSEOG, 84.033 FWS,
84.268 Federal Direct Student Loans, 84.063 Federal Pell Grant Program
Federal Agency Name: Department of Education
Pass-Through Entity Name (if applicable): N/A
Award Number/Name: N/A
<b>Award Year(s)</b> : July 1, 2013- June 30, 2014

**Condition** – The Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid does not have a formalized process regarding the documentation of the date of determination for students who unofficially withdraw during the semester without providing notification to the institution. The date of determination currently documented by the Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid is not the date the institution knew, or should have known, that the student withdrew. The condition does not result in any known questioned costs as the calculations selected for testing were performed accurately and all required funds were returned timely.

*Criteria* – Per review of 34 CFR 668.22, treatment of Title IV funds when a student withdraws, "for an institution that is not required to take attendance, an institution must determine the withdrawal date for a student who withdraws without providing notification to the institution no later than 30 days after the end of the earlier of the -

- i. Payment period or period of enrollment, as appropriate, in accordance with paragraph (e)(5) of this section;
- ii. Academic year in which the student withdrew; or
- iii. Educational program from which the student withdrew."

*Cause* – There was no control process in place to ensure that the date of determination for all students who unofficially withdrew without providing notification to the institution was documented.

*Effect* – If the institution fails to document the date of determination for all students who unofficially withdrew without providing notification to the institution, they may be in violation of 34 CFR 668.22 which would result in R2T4 refunds not being timely return to the Department of Education.

**Recommendation** – We recommend the Director of the Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid establish a formal policy stating when the determination will be made regarding students who unofficially withdrew during the semester without providing the institution notice. The policy should comply with the requirements and the determination should be made within 30 days of the end of the semester.

#### **Ouestioned Costs** – \$0

*Management's Response* – The Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid will determine the date of unofficial withdrawals 30 days after the semester end of Fall, Spring, and Summer semesters and use that date as the determination date.

### SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR YEAR AUDIT FINDINGS Year Ended June 30, 2014

Finding Status

#### 2013-001: Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards

The College did not provide a schedule of expenditures of Federal awards (SEFA) which was presented fairly in all material respects. Specifically, we noted the following:

- 1. An overstatement of Federal expenditures of \$2,186,121 related to the incorrect exclusion of credits to the expenses accounts and the incorrect inclusion of non-Federal expenditures in one program.
- 2. The improper inclusion of state ABE funds and exclusion of Federal ABE funds.

Steps were taken to properly train all personnel in the preparation of the SEFA. Procedures for the collection and reporting of awards information for the SEFA have been recorded and revised as necessary for full disclosure of information between offices at the College. Additional internal control procedures were implemented to include review by the accounting office personnel and the Director of Accounting Services to ensure inclusion of all Federal awards.

Auditor's Comment 2013-001 – Based on audit work performed, the corrective procedures were implemented.

# $\underline{2013-002}$ : Student Financial Aid Cluster- Special Tests: Return of Title IV

Catalog of Federal Assistance (CFDA) Number and Title: 84.268 Federal Direct Student Loans and 84.063 Federal Pell Grant Program

**Federal Agency Name**: Department of Education **Pass-Through Entity Name (if applicable):** N/A

Award Number/Name: N/A

**Award Year(s)**: July 1, 2012- June 30, 2013

Of the 40 students tested for Return of Title IV, we noted five instances where the incorrect amount of Title IV funds was initially returned to the Department of Education. These five instances were corrected through an internal quality control review in June; however, due to the timing of the review, the correct amounts of funds were not remitted to the Department of Education within the required 45 days. In addition, we noted one instance where the R2T4 calculation showed a reduction in Pell, that had not properly been transmitted through COD. We also noted one instance where the institution timely remitted the funds they owed to the Department of Education, but failed to remit the \$311 of Pell funds the student owed within 45 days. In addition, the College was not able to provide proof the student was notified that they were responsible for grant funds to be returned.

The Financial Aid Director uses an Ellucion delivered report to determine students that have withdrawn on a weekly basis. The report was reconfigured to accurately calculate Return of Title IV using the delivered Calculate Return of Funds process. Additional processes were implemented to ensure Return of Title IV was conducted timely.

Auditor's Comment 2013-002 — We selected 22 R2T4 calculations in the current year for testing and noted no errors in calculations or funds that were not returned timely. Based on testing performed, we noted the corrective procedures were implemented; however, there is a control deficiency related to this special test which is reported at 2014-002.

#### SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR YEAR AUDIT FINDINGS Year Ended June 30, 2014

Finding Status

#### 2013-003: Student Financial Aid Cluster- Matching

# Catalog of Federal Assistance (CFDA) Number and Title: 84.007 Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants Federal Agency Name: Department of Education Pass-Through Entity Name (if applicable): N/A Award Number/Name: N/A Award Year(s): July 1, 2012- June 30, 2013

During the testing of the FISAP filed in September 2012 for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2012, we noted the College failed to match 25% of the FSEOG funds. As the College's waiver from the Department of Education ended June 30, 2011, the match was required for the year ended June 30, 2012. Based on the College's total funds to FSEOG recipients of \$52,449, the required match was \$13,112.

The Financial Aid Director and the Director of Accounting Services worked together to determine the SEOG institutional matches and to ensure the match was deposited to the SEOG general ledger account at the same time the Federal portion was received.

Auditor's Comment 2013-003 – Based on audit work performed, the corrective procedures were implemented.

# **<u>2013-004</u>**: Student Financial Aid Cluster- Special Tests: Enrollment Reporting

Catalog of Federal Assistance (CFDA) Number and Title:
84.268 Federal Direct Student Loans
Federal Agency Name: Department of Education
Pass-Through Entity Name (if applicable): N/A
Award Number/Name: N/A
<b>Award Year(s)</b> : July 1, 2012- June 30, 2013

Of the 40 students tested for SSCR, we noted 28 instances (see TME & at 9000-L-1) where the student's status was not updated to withdrawn correctly as the status first started date was either improperly reported or not reported. The error did not result in any questioned costs.

The Financial Aid Director will implement a procedure whereby the Registers Office will be notified timely of students with withdrawn status and the last date of attendance.

Auditor's Comment 2013-004 – Corrective procedures were not implemented completely, which resulted in current year finding 2014-001.