# HUMBOLDT STATE UNIVERSITY SPONSORED PROGRAMS FOUNDATION FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

### **MINUTES**

May 4, 2021 3:00-4:00 p.m.

ZOOM Meeting ID: 822 9388 9935

MEMBERS PRESENT: Jeff Kane

Peter Alstone Dale Oliver Jason Ramos Carly Marino

MEMBERS ABSENT: Tom Jackson

OTHERS PRESENT: Kacie Flynn, SPF

Binta Wright, SPF

Denise Bettendorf, Accounting

Sarah Long, Accounting

#### I. Call to Order

Jeff Kane called the meeting to order at 3:01 p.m.

# II. Review 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Financial Statements

(Attachment A)

Denise Bettendorf of Financial Services presented the 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Financial Report ending March 31, 2021. For the first nine months, the effective IDC rate was 10.8% which is a 0.6-point increase from the prior year.

Invoiced and unbilled Accounts Receivables (AR) of the Research Foundation totaled \$12.8 million, which was a \$1 million increase from the prior year. At the end of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter, there were 595 active projects with a total award portfolio of almost \$109 million. Comparatively, at this point in FY 19/20 there were 556 active projects with a total award portfolio of \$98 million.

Kacie Flynn presented Pre-Award metrics with year to date comparative data on routed proposals and new awards. In the first nine months, the foundation submitted 209 proposals requesting \$54 million in funding; a record high for the foundation. In that same time, SPF received 127 new awards totaling \$26 million.

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Kacie noted the proposal pipeline is \$79.2 million strong, citing over the course of the next fiscal year there are: 130 "Pre-Routing Proposals" in the queue totaling \$43.5 million in potential submissions, 10 "Routings approved but not yet submitted" in the amount of \$702 thousand, and 106 "Proposals submitted still waiting on notification" totaling \$35 million requested.

# **III.** Review Sponsored Programs Foundation FY 21/22 Operating Budget (Attachment B)

Kacie Flynn presented the proposed budget for general operating revenue and expenses. The total operating revenue for FY 20/21 was approved at \$2,290,200. The proposed operating revenue for FY 21/22 is \$2,672,000. The total operating expenditures for FY 20/21 was approved at \$1,987,200. The proposed operating expenditures for FY 21/22 is \$2,139,210. The budget includes a \$49,000 increase to HSU's Business Management Services Agreement. Discussion ensued.

**Action Item**: Dale Oliver m/s Carly Marino. "Motion to recommend the proposed Fiscal Year 2021/2022 General Operations Budget to the Board of Directors for approval." Motion carried unanimously.

#### IV. Other

# V. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 3:42 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Jeff Kane