

## Audit Committee Meeting Minutes September 15, 2022

Via Videoconference

<u>Committee Members present</u>: Jason Griffin (chair), Evelyn Lamson, Mary Alice Rennick, Joe

Committee members absent: Joyce Simon

Audit Firm representatives: Brandon Harrison, Rebecca Kerber—Eide Bailly, LLP

Monterey Peninsula College Foundation (MPCF) Staff Present: Karen Kelly, Beccie Michael

- 1. Mr. Griffin called the meeting to order at 4:05 pm
- 2. Recognition of Guests and Public Comment None
- 3. Minutes of the September 3, 2021 annual Audit Committee meeting were presented for review and approval;
  - Motion to approve: Ms. Lamson; second: Mr. Griffin
  - Abstentions: Ms. Rennick; Mr. Servi joined the meeting after this vote
- 4. Review of MPCF 2021 Audited Financial Statements

  Brandon Harrison of Eide Bailly, LLP

Mr. Harrison reviewed the 2021 Independent Auditors' Report, noting that:

- MPC Foundation received an *unmodified opinion*—the highest level of audit assurance that the statements are materially correct as presented.
- There is no Management Letter outlining deficiencies or recommendations, and the auditors required no adjustments or corrections to the financial statements.
- MPC Foundation management cooperated fully with auditor requests for documents and explanations
- In 2021, MPCF's total assets increased by \$1.6MM, to \$12.4MM. About \$1MM of that increase was unrealized gains on invested funds—i.e an increase "on paper" only
- Of MPCF's \$11.2MM Net Asset balance, \$10MM is subject to donor restrictions. This is a heavy ratio of restricted: unrestricted funds
- MPCF's expense allocations among *Program (77%), Operating (13.5%)*, and *Fundraising* (9.5%) indicate a healthy organization, and are aligned with sector standards



- 5. 4:18 pm 4:22 pm—MPCF staff temporarily left the meeting to allow the Audit firm to consult with Board Audit committee without Foundation staff present
- 6. The committee agreed to recommend that the MPC Foundation Board accept the 2021 Audited Financial Statements;

Motion: Ms. Rennick; Second: Ms. LamsonAyes: Mr. Griffin, Mr. Servi; Nays: none

7. ADJOURNED at 4:25 pm

Minutes submitted by Karen Kelly, MPC Foundation Accounting Manager