ENDOWMENT INVESTMENT SUMMARY FOR QUARTER ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2015

INVESTMENT PHILOSOPHY

The purpose of this statement is to establish clear investment policies and objectives of managing assets that the Board of Directors can understand, the Finance Committee can use as a goal to monitor against, and the California State University Channel Islands Foundation’s (CSUCIF) investment manager(s) can use for guidance. This statement is flexible to allow for changing economic conditions and dynamic securities markets, for evaluating investment performance, and policy procedures.

The objective is to promote growth in the investment funds sufficient to offset normal inflation as measured by the Higher Education Price Index (HEPI) plus reasonable spending, thereby preserving the constant-dollar for future generations, and principal of operating cash and reserves while producing market-level income. The minimum total-return objective for the Permanently Restricted Endowment Net asset class shall be HEPI plus 5%. This investment policy will be submitted to the Foundation’s Board of Directors periodically for review and recommended changes. Review times will be determined and at a minimum shall be once every three (3) years. **

INVESTMENT MANAGERS

Domestic Equity Composite:
- Diamond Hill Large Cap
- Schafer Cullen: High Dividend Value Equity
- Saratoga RM: Large Cap Quality
- Wedgewood Partners: Large Cap Focused Growth
- Vaughan Nelson: Small Cap Value

International Equity Composite:
- EuroPacific Growth Fund
- IVA International I
- Lazard Emerging Markets Equity

Fixed Income Composite:
- Western Asset Core Bond 1 & Plus Bond 1
- BlackRock Strategic Income Opps Instl
- Legg Mason B W Global

Alternative Composite:
- RS Global Natural Resources
- Voya Global Real Estate I
- ABS Alpha Ltd

Asset Allocation Policy as Defined by the Foundation Board

- Domestic Equity 36.1%
- Total Fixed Income 24.8%
- International Equity 19.9%
- Alternatives 18.4%
- Cash 0.8%

Endowment Performance *

For period ending December 31, 2015

- Qtr. 1: 1.9%
- Yr. 1: 4.9%
- 3 Years: 4.2%
- 5 Years: -4.7%

12,359,599 as of December 31, 2015

In Endowment Performance, *Endowment performance of individual funds may vary from the total pool return due to the timing of contributions. CI performance is net of funds. **Declines in market could result in reduction of the spending or distribution rate.
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FINANCE COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Douglas McRae, Finance Committee Chair
Financial Consultant

George Leis, Foundation Board Chair, Ex Officio Member
Regional President, Central Coast Division, Union Bank

Larry Hibbler
Owner, President, Simi Valley Ford

Peter Wollons, Member
President & CEO, Airborne Technologies, Inc.

Ysabel Trinidad, Committee Officer
Vice President for Business & Financial Affairs, CSU Channel Islands

Nichole Ipach, Committee Officer
Vice President for University Advancement, CSU Channel Islands

To ensure impartiality, it is the policy of the CI Foundation that no member of the Finance and Investment Committee manage any part of the asset allocation or receive any compensation for advice.

RECENT FINANCE COMMITTEE ACTIONS

Q4-2015
The spending rate trend is decreasing nationally, although schools with endowments of less than $25 million have increased their spending rate, while CI's current rate is at 4%. Discussion continued on the CSU System Wide Historical Returns. CI returns are average as they relate to the system and a summary will be provided to the Board at their next meeting.

Q3-2015
It was noted that the current allocation of funds continues to fall within policy range guidelines, however it was suggested that there could be some rebalancing to allocation targets outlined in the Investment Policy. It was recommended that more detail about the University's position on socially responsible investing to be added to this document.

Q2-2015
NACUBO endowment data reflects that the CI portfolio has performed similarly to other institutions of comparable size over time. Asset allocations, too, are within a close range, and reflect those noted in the University's Investment Policy. Returns since the portfolio's inception in 2002 show an overall 6.8% return.

Q1-2015
The first meeting of the new year took place on January 21. Upon review of the Foundation portfolio's asset allocation, portfolio advisors Beacon Pointe noted that all areas are within Investment Policy ranges. The Lagomarsino CRAT update was presented by Rabobank's senior portfolio manager, and he informed the Committee that its asset allocation has been consistent over time.