# **Cochise County Community College District**



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### Independent accountants' report

Members of the Arizona State Legislature

The Governing Board of Cochise County Community College District

We have examined the accompanying Annual Budgeted Expenditure Limitation Report of Cochise County Community College District for the year ended June 30, 2019, and the related notes to the report. The District's management is responsible for presenting this report in accordance with the Uniform Expenditure Reporting System as described in Note 1. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this report based on our examination.

We conducted our examination in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Those standards require that we plan and perform the examination to obtain reasonable assurance about whether this report is presented in accordance with the Uniform Expenditure Reporting System in all material respects. An examination involves performing procedures to obtain evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the report. The nature, timing, and extent of the procedures selected depend on our judgment, including an assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the report, whether due to fraud or error. We believe that the evidence we obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the Annual Budgeted Expenditure Limitation Report referred to above is presented in accordance with the Uniform Expenditure Reporting System as described in Note 1 in all material respects.

Donna Miller, CPA Director, Financial Audit Division

May 14, 2020

## Cochise County Community College District (Cochise College) Annual Budgeted Expenditure Limitation Report—Part I Year ended June 30, 2019

1.	Economic Estimates Commission expenditure limitation	\$59,567,476			
2.	Amount subject to the expenditure limitation (total from F	eart II, line C) 39,615,215			
3.	Amount under the expenditure limitation	<u>\$19,952,261</u>			
I hereby certify, to the best of my knowledge and belief, that the information contained in this report is accurate and in accordance with the requirements of the Uniform Expenditure Reporting System.					
Sign	ature of chief fiscal officer: (Signature removed for website	e presentation.)			
Name and title: Dr. Wendy F. Davis, Vice President for Administration					
Tele	phone number: <u>(520) 515-3623</u> Da	ate: <u>May 14, 2020</u>			

# Cochise County Community College District (Cochise College) Annual Budgeted Expenditure Limitation Report—Part II Year ended June 30, 2019

		Current funds		Plant funds			
		Unrestricted		_		_	
			Auxiliary			Retirement of	
		General	enterprises	Restricted	Unexpended	indebtedness	Total
	Description						
A.	Total budgeted expenditures	\$34,793,830	\$1,000,830	\$9,905,981	\$2,108,392	\$18,565,550	\$66,374,583
В.	Less exclusions claimed:						
	Debt service requirements (Note 2)					2,573,950	2,573,950
	Grants, aid, or contributions from the federal government, the State of Arizona, other political subdivisions, tribal						
	governments, or special taxing districts (Note 3)			7,300,751			7,300,751
	Amounts received from the State of Arizona for workforce development in accordance with A.R.S. §15-1472 (Note 4)			960,205			960,205
	Prior years carryforward (Note 5)					15,924,462	15,924,462
	Total exclusions claimed			8,260,956		18,498,412	26,759,368
C.	Amounts subject to the expenditure limitation	\$34,793,830	\$1,000,830	\$1,645,025	\$2,108,392	\$ 67,138	\$39,615,215

## Cochise County Community College District (Cochise College) Notes to Annual Budgeted Expenditure Limitation Report Year ended June 30, 2019

## Note 1 - Summary of significant accounting policies

The Annual Budgeted Expenditure Limitation Report (ABELR) is presented as prescribed by the Uniform Expenditure Reporting System (UERS), as required by Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) §41-1279.07. The ABELR excludes expenditures of certain revenues specified in the Arizona Constitution, Article IX, §21, and A.R.S. §§15-792.03, 15-795.01, 15-1444, and 15-1472, as applicable, from the total budgeted expenditures.

The information reported in both the ABELR and the financial statements is derived from the same underlying accounting data. However, the formats of the ABELR and the financial statements differ. The ABELR presents budgeted expenditures, exclusions, and amounts subject to the limitation by fund type as required by A.R.S. §41-1279.07. The financial statements present the net position, changes in net position, and cash flows in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

In accordance with the UERS requirements, a note to the ABELR is presented below for any exclusion reported in the total column on part II that cannot be traced directly to an amount reported in the annual financial statements.

#### Note 2

The exclusion of \$2,573,950 claimed for debt service requirements includes the amounts of \$1,560,000 and \$506,975 reported as principal paid on capital debt and interest paid on capital debt, respectively, on the statement of cash flows—primary government and \$506,975 of interest payable on the statement of net position—primary government.

#### Note 3

The following schedule presents revenues from which exclusions have been claimed for government grants, aid, contributions, and contracts:

# Statement of revenues, expenses, and changes in net position—primary government:

Government grants	<u>\$7,530,210</u>
Total	<u>\$7,530,210</u>

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Grants and aid from the federal government	\$7,300,751
Other revenues (nonexcludable)	216,209
Amount carried forward	13,250
Total	<u>\$7,530,210</u>

#### Note 4

Amounts received of \$1,247,094 from the State of Arizona for workforce development in accordance with A.R.S. §15-1472 are reported as the share of state sales taxes on the statement of revenues, expenses, and changes in net position—primary government. Of these excludable revenues, only \$960,205 was expended and claimed as an exclusion. The remaining \$286,889 has been carried forward to future years.

## Cochise County Community College District (Cochise College) Notes to Annual Budgeted Expenditure Limitation Report Year ended June 30, 2019

## Note 5

The prior years carryforward consists of constitutionally excludable revenues unexpended in the year of receipt that have been accumulated and were expended in the current year. The \$15,924,462 was received from Royal Bank of Canada through the bond issuance process in prior years and was expended and claimed as an exclusion.

