



MEMBER THE TEXAS STATE UNIVERSM

TEM™

ATE O

(This page intentionally left blank.)

(This page intentionally left blank.)

INTRODUCTORY SECTION

(This page intentionally left blank.)

/ \$ 0 \$ 5 8 1 , 9 (5 6 , 7 <

\$ 0 H P E H U R I 7 K H 7 H [D V 6 W D W H 8 Q L Y H U V L W \ 6 \ V W H

2 5 * \$ 1 , = \$ 7 , 2 1 \$ / ' \$ 7 \$ 2) \$ 8 * 8 6 7

The Texas State University System

BOARD OF REGENTS OFFICERS

Rossanna Salazar	Chairman
William F. Scott	Vice Chairman

Members	Term Expires	Hometown
Rossanna Salazar	2/1/2017	Austin
William F. Scott	2/1/2019	Nederland
Charlie Amato	2/1/2019	San Antonio
Veronica Muzquiz Edwards	2/1/2021	San Antonio
Dr. Jaime R. Garza	2/1/2017	San Antonio
David Montagne	2/1/2021	Beaumont
Vernon Reaser III	2/1/2019	Bellaire
Alan L. Tinsley	2/1/2021	Madisonville
Donna N. Williams	2/1/2017	Arlington
Kaitlyn Tyra, Student	5/31/2018	Huntsville

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS

SYSTEM OFFICE

Dr. Brian McCall	Chancellor
Dr. John Hayek	Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs
Dr. Fernando C. Gomez	Vice Chancellor and General Counsel
Dr. Roland Smith	Vice Chancellor for Finance
Sean Cunningham	Vice Chancellor for Governmental Relations
Peter E. Graves	Vice Chancellor for Contract Administration
Carole M. Fox	Director of Audits and Analysis

LAMAR UNIVERSITY

Dr. Kenneth Evans	President
Dr. James Marquart	Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs
Edward C. Ness	Vice President for Finance and Operations
Dr. Vicki McNeil	Vice President for Student Engagement
Dr. John Bello Agunu	Vice President for Diversity and Inclusion
Juan Zabala	Vice President for University Advancement
Priscilla Parsons	Vice President for Information
Jason Henderson	

(This page intentionally left blank.)

FINANCIAL SECTION

(This page intentionally left blank.)



GAO-12-500T | U.S. House of Representatives

To the Board of Regents of
Trans-Siberian Information Services:

Subject: Statement of Reasons, Summary and

Rebuttal to the House's Response to the GAO's Report

Dear Sirs: Pursuant to the House's letter dated January 12, 2012, we have reviewed the accompanying document and

make the following evaluation regarding its contents. Consistent with other similar communications from the House, our analysis of this letter is as follows:

We have evaluated the accompanying document and the subsequent House's response regarding the House's express such an opinion.

House of Representatives, Washington, D.C.
United States of America. This includes

any agreement between the government and the contractor with respect to the nature and extent of the services provided by the contractor to the government.

Statement of Reasons

Statement of Reasons

The House's statement of reasons is as follows: "The GAO's report does not provide a reasonable basis for our conclusion."

Statement of Reasons

Based on our review, we can state some of our initial conclusions that should be made by the government and the contractor in order to reduce the risk associated with providing information security services to the government.

Emphasis of Matter

Attention is directed to how auditors have been instructed "not to agree or disapprove of the financial statements which are presented by management." The auditor's report is to state that the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and that the auditor has "not examined the financial statements to determine whether they present fairly the financial position and results of operations and cash flows in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles." The auditor's statement is not required to include any reference to the auditor's opinion on the financial statements.

Other Options

Required Supplementary Information and Addendum Report

According to the rules, if the auditor does not like the way the financial statements are presented, he can add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

The auditor can also add a "Supplementary Report" to the audit report.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

, nage e allyle -

/ \$ 0 \$ 5 8 1 , 9 (5 6 , 7 <

0 D Q D J H P H Q W ¶ V ' L V F X V V L R Q D Q G \$ Q D O \ V L V
) R U W K H < H D U (Q G H G \$ X J X V W

, 1 7 5 2 ' 8 & 7 , 2 1

The following Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) section of Lamar University (LU) annual financial report has been prepared.

/ \$ 0 \$ 5 8 1 , 9 (5 6 , 7 <

Management's Discussion and Analysis
For the year ended August 31, 2017

conform to the guidelines and presentation formats prescribed for proprietary funds; revenues are recognized when earned and expenses are recognized when a liability is incurred, regardless of when cash is exchanged.

6 W D W H P H Q W R I 1 H W 3 R V L W L R Q

The first schedule presented is the Statement of Net Position.

/ \$ 0 \$ 5 8 1 , 9 (5 6 , 7 <

Management's Discussion and Analysis
For the year ended August 31, 2017

Operating expenses are the costs necessary to provide services to customers and to fulfill the mission of LU.

/ \$ 0 \$ 5 8 1 , 9 (5 6 , 7 <

Management's Discussion and Analysis
For the year ended August 31, 2017

Statement of Net Position

The following table reflects the condensed Statement of Net Position:

\$ 6 6 (7 6		
Current Assets:		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 23,893,118.38	\$ 43,396,808.78
Restricted Cash and Cash Equivalents	10,165,578.31	5,426,787.30
Legislative Appropriations	12,222,533.45	1,284,901.57
Receivables	24,882,348.68	22,256,102.39
Other Current Assets	14,991,155.87	21,090,991.37
Total Current Assets	86,154,734.69	93,455,591.41
Noncurrent Assets		
Restricted:		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	80,287,827.81	18,349,798.71

/ \$ 0 \$ 5 8 1 , 9 (5 6 , 7 <

Management's Discussion and Analysis
For the year ended August 31, 2017

& \$ 3 , 7 \$ / \$ 6 6 (7 6

/ \$ 0 \$ 5 8 1 , 9 (5 6 , 7 <

(This page intentionally left blank.)

BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

(This page intentionally left blank.)

/ \$ 0 \$ 5 8 1 , 9 (5 6

/ \$ 0 \$ 5 8 1 , 9 (5 6

6 W D W H P H Q W R I 5 H Y H Q X H V ([S H Q V F
) R U W K H < H D U (Q G H C

7KLV SDJH LQWHQ

2SHUDWLQJ ([SHQVHVQVWUXFWLRQ 5HVHDUFK \$FDGHPLF ,QVWLWXWDQWDQDUGRLSSXPQGDULQG
6XSSORUHW6HUGWLKBHQBX6BBLWFHYODQW)HOORZVKLQWHUSU\$VIRWVL]DWLRQ 7RWDO

& \$ 6+) / 2 : 6) 5 2 0 2 3 (5 \$ 7 , 1 * \$ & 7 ,
5 H F H L S W V I U |
3 U R F H H G V I U R P |
3 U R F H H G V I U R P 5 H V H D U
3 U R F H H G V I U F
3 U R F H H G V I U R P 2 W K H |
3 D \ P H Q W V W R 6 X S S O L H U

/ \$ 0 \$ 5 8 1 , 9 (5 6

6 W D W H P H Q W F
) R U W K H < H D U (Q G H C

& \$ 6 +) / 2 : 6) 5 2 0 , 1 9 (6 7 , 1 * \$ & 7 , 9 , 7 (6

3 U R F H H G V I U R P

3 D \ P H O W V W R \$ E T

1 H W & D V K 3 U R Y L G H G 8 V H G E \ , Q Y H V \ W \ D Q J ° \$ F \ W L Y 2 \ 9 M \ H N W O L

1 H W , Q F U H D V H ' H F U H D V H L Q & D V K D Q G & D V K (T X L Y D O H Q W V

& D V K D Q G & D V K (T X L Y D O H Q W V 6 H S W H P E H D & \$ 6 @ @ 0 7 9 6) & 5 & / \$ &

& D V K D Q G & D V K (T X L Y D O H Q W V \$ A J A V V W



7KLV SDJH LQWHQ

/ \$ 0 \$ 5 8 1 , 9 (5 6 , 7 <

/ \$0\$5 81,9(56,7<

1RWHV WR WKH)LQDQFLDO 6WDWPHQWV
)RU WKH \HDU HQGHG \$XJXVW

\$VVHWV /LDELOLWLHV DQG 1HW 3RVLWLRQ

\$66(76

&XUUHQW DQG 1RQFXUUHQW \$VVHWV

&XUUHQW DVVHWV DUH WKRVH WKDMWQ WURSHUDWLQJDYDWLQJD
1RQFXUUHQW DVVHWV DUH WKRVHHWWKEDWU DHHQVWQR WHWHDWLQJD
DQG LQVWHDG DUH LQWHQGHG HWHRGVXSSRUW ORQJ WHUP L

&DVK DQG &DVK (TXLYDOHQWV

6KRUW WHUP KLJKO\ OLTXLG LQYHVRWPWQWVH ZPLRVQWDXQ RUL
FRQVLGHUHG FDVK HTXLYDOHQWV

5Hvwulfwhg \$VVHWV

5Hvwulfwhg DVVHWV LQFOXGH PRQHJDORBLURWRQWUDFWRXDU
7KHSV DVVHWV LQFOXGH SURFHGV RI HQWHUSULVH IXQG

/ \$0\$5 81,9(56,7<

1RWHV WR WKH)LQDQFLDO 6WDWHPHQWV
)RU WKH \HDU HQGHG \$XJXVW

IDFLOLWLHV DQG RWKHU LPSURYH HUQHFVR UGHG DW &FDRSVLW
KLVWRULFDO FRVW LI DFWXDO KDWWWBUEBSIDWEDRVVVVWVQVR
DFTXLVLWLRQ YDOXH)RU IDEULFDUWIFVLDRVQVISWWLIRLQDQFHGU
DV SDUW RI WKH FDSLWDO DV VFRVPEFLRQHNG ZKWHKFWSKLHWBVOKHUG

/ \$0\$5 81,9(56,7<

1RWHV WR WKH)LQDQFLDO 6WDWHPHQWV
RU WKH \HDU HQGHG \$XJXVW

)XQGV +HOG IRU 2WKHUV

&XUUHQW EDODQFHV LQ IXQGV KHOOQ IDQJ IRJWHQHUV UHVVLQJ
RUJDQL]DWLRQV

(PSOR\HHV¶ &RPSHQVDEOH /HDYH

(PSOR\HHV¶ &RPSHQVDEOH /HDYH UHSUHQWV SWRQHWKLHD RI
~RM a\$Ð T` ...\$Ð € `€0

/ \$0\$5 81,9(56,7<

1RWHV WR WKH)LQDQFLDO 6WDWHPHQWV
)RU WKH \HDU HQGHG \$XJXVW

1RQRSHUDWLQJ 5HYHQ XHVQ DQXGG H[SDHFQWILHML WMLH VD Q\X F\KR Q W U
LQVXUDQFH UHFRYHULHV UHFHL Y HGV \W H HDSUWU R\\$E \BIVWX RQV
LQFRPH QRQH[FKDQJH EDVLV IHG HU DDOQ G QRGW KWD VQHR Q R\\$DQW
GHILQHG E\ *\$6%

,QWHUIXQG \$FWLYLW\ DQG 7UDQVDFWLRQV
/8 KDV WKH IROOR\ DQJ\ DM\ \H\ RQV EH WZHHQ IXQGV
7UDQVIHUV

/ \$0\$5 81,9(56,7<

1RWHV WR WKH)LQDQFLDO 6WDWHPHQWV
RU WKH \HDU HQGHG \$XJXVW

*\$6% DOVR HVWDEOLVKHV D IDLIUQS\O/XHWKRLHYDDOIXEKA LVR QDV
WKUHH OHYHOV

‡ /HYHO ± 4XRWHG SULFH V XQDGDXNOMHGL HIR UQ GHFQMV YFD
EH DFFHVVHG DW WKH PHDVXUHPHQW GDWH

‡ /HYHO ± ,QSXWV RWKHU WKDQYHORW HNGK SWLBHM REEVQX
DVVHW RU OLDALOOLWTX RMLMOK HPUDUBNLQWES DMRHIW VRUVOLDEL
FRUURERUDWHECO HURDPURNEWHUQDRUPDWLRQ

‡ /HYHO ± 8QREVINU YDDQE OMVHQMS XWVVO LDELOLW\

%H\RQG WKHVH WKUHH OHYHOV QHW]HD VQHYW VWDQHQWPVD Z LEWI
GHWHUPLQDEOHRIDHUQDQGH IDSLVUHQDNOX BRURHI EDQWHV RUL]HG

)DLU 9DOXH +LHUDUFK\

7\SH RI ,QYHVWPHQWV /HYHO /HYHO /HYHMO 9DOXH\$PRUWD&URVDOX

&RPPRQ (TXLW\

)L[HG LQFRPH PRQH\ PDUNHW
DQG ERQG PXWXDO IXQG

'RPHVWL F (TXLW\ &RPPLQJOHG
)XQGV

,QWHUQDWLRQDO (TXLW\
&RPPLQJOHG)XQGV

2WKHU &RPPLQJOHG)XQGV

2WKHU &RPPLQJOHG)XQGV
7H[SRRO

7RWDO ,QYHVWPHQWV

05x~

/ \$ 0 \$ 5 8 1 , 9 (5 6 , 7 <

/ \$0\$5 81,9(56,7<

1RWHV WR WKH)LQDQFLDO 6WDWHPHQWV
)RU WKH \HDU HQGHG \$XJXVW

WKDW DQ HPSOR\HH PD\ FDUU\ KLVL\ F DIOXHGD \O HADRY ID QR WZKHD
ZLWK D PD[LPXP QXPEHU RI KRXUV X\KWR R U IFRUUWKR\H VH
VHUYL FH \$FFUXHG OH DYH LQ H[FHVH\W MOKHW Q RVULFDNO OPHDD
FRQFOXVLRQ RI IL\\$IDRQH\HVD ZLWK \W VORID &WDWLH P\RQ YLFH Z
WKHLU HPSOR\PHQW DUH HQWLWOHG WR SP p Á

/ \$0\$5 81,9(56,7<

1RWHV WR WKH)LQDQFLDO 6WDWHPHQWV
RU WKH \HDU HQGHG \$XJXVW

'HEW VHUYLFH VRUEHHT XSLULKGP EI\Q W6\8 6WIRRNJH/BWUH DOFMOKGG IS U

127('HULYDWLYH ,QVWUXPHQWV

/8 KDV QR GHULYDWLYH LQVWUXPHQWV DV RI \$XJXVW

/ \$0\$5 81,9(56,7<

1RWHV WR WKH)LQDQFLDO 6WDWPHQWV
RU WKH \HDU HQGHG \$XJXVW

7KH 756 3ODQ SURYLGHV UHWLUGHVWDQGLWXEILQYRU DEHQW
EHQHILW DQG FRQWVLREIXWKRIQ756 RYOLDQ DUH DXWKRU

/ \$0\$5 81,9(56,7<

1RWHV WR WKH)LQDQFLDO 6WDWHPHQWV
)RU WKH \HDU HQGHG \$XJXVW

127('HIHUUHG &RPSHQVDWLRLQ

6WDWH HPSOR\HHV PD\ HOHFW WR IRUH ILQF RPSHR WWDL FDQ CR IL
SXUSRHV SXUVXDQW WR DXWKRLW& RJQHD QWQ Q WLQW WCH 6
7ZR SODQV DWIH PSOR\HDHEVQTHZKORLFMLB LSHD DGR LQQ LV WHU
5HWLUHPHQW 6\VWHP 7KH DVVHWV 7RSB 6V R JH SVKDHQ &WGDRWQIR
RU WKH 6WDWH KDYH QR OLDEL ORWWV HUHD WD M GD QIRL QIKVHWSJOD
WKH SODQV

127(3RVWHPSOR\PHQW %HQHILWV 2WKHU 7KDQ BHQVLR

,Q DGGLWLRQ WR ISHURHLLQVJ WSKHQRCQDOLHE XRWHV [WR B SODQ
KHDOWK FDUH DQG OLIH LQVXUDIQFH WKQHUL WS/RKRVH U HDVQLGU
7KHZH RWKHU SRVW HPSOR\PHQW EHKQHILDWQ/G ZFR(%WUDKXW
HVWDEOLVKHDOE \$SASKUR SHQBWLRQV \$FW

(PSOR\HHV 5HWLUHPHQW 6\VWHP RI 7HIDVWKPSW SDUGRPMLOG
SRVWHPSOR\PHQW KHDOWK FDUH QIRIHU IDVQGU BHQ WWDKOU R QJW
(PSOR\HHV *URXS %HQHILWV 3URJUDFH D&VR QHW&KRDQH
LPSOHPHQWHG *\$6% 6WDWHPHQW 1RHPSQRQFDHQFW DQHQSBS
2WKHU 7KDQ 3HQLWIFDQ 3ODQV&RQSDQH WHK HG 16WFDOVRHWX L2B (% FD
LQ WKH 6WDWH RHQH[DH \$QQRSDOH]LQDQFLDO 5HSRUW

/LDELOLWLHV DVVRSFULRDWLGIGLQZ LEW KW ZRQHWD\$MUR YRQG LHQPS
DUH UHSRUWHG E\ 7686 \$GGLWLBQDQDQV UIKTOXLUGHQ FEO R*\$/X
UHSRUWHG E\ 7686

127(,QWHUIXQGD\$QFWZLYDQVDFWLRLQV 3GG`b`DFWLRLQV RQV

/ \$0\$5 81,9(56,7<

1RWHV WR WKH)LQDQFLDO 6WDWPHQWV
RU WKH \HDU HQGHG \$XJXVW

127(

&RQLQXDQFH 6XEMHFW WR 5HYLHZ

/8 LV QRW VXEMHFW WR D UHYLHZ RI FRQWLQXDQFH

/ \$0\$5 81,9(56,7<

1RWHV WR WKH)LQDQFLDO 6WDWHPHQWV
)RU WKH \HDU HQGHG \$XJXVW

\$UELWUDJH

5HEDWDEOH DUELWUDJH LV GHILQHQG E\DQWHIDWQDQ J5H RQQLXQ
SXUFKDVG ZLWK WKH JURVV SURWKHGD/P RXQWE RWQHQ W VZRXHO

/ \$0\$5 81,9(56,7<

1RWHV WR WKH)LQDQFLDO 6WDWPHQWV
RU WKH \HDU HQGHG \$XJXVW

/ \$ 0 \$ 5 8 1 , 9 (5 6 , 7 <

/ \$0\$5 81,9(56,7<

1RWHV WR WKH)LQDQFLDO 6WDWPHQWV
RU WKH \HDU HQGHG \$XJXVW