CHABOT-LAS POSITAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

MEASURE B GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS FINANCIAL STATEMENTS June 30, 2022

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Governing Board and Measure B Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee Chabot-Las Positas Community College District Dublin, California

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of the Measure B General Obligation Bonds (the "Bonds") activity of Chabot-Las Positas Community College District (the "District"), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements, as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Measure B General Obligation Bonds activity, of Chabot-Las Positas Community College District, as of June 30, 2022, and the changes in its financial position for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS) and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* (*Government Auditing Standards*), issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Chabot-Las Positas Community College District, and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Emphasis of Matter

As discussed in Note 1, the financial statements present only the financial activity and balances of the Measure B General Obligation Bonds activity and do not purport to, and do not, present fairly the financial position of Chabot-Las Positas Community College District, as of June 30, 2022, or the changes in its financial position for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS and *Government Auditing Standards* will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS and Government Auditing Standards, we

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud
 or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include
 examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 5, 2022 on our consideration of the District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters for the Bonds activity. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance for the Bonds activity. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance for the Bonds activity.

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Sacramento, California December 5, 2022

CHABOT-LAS POSITAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT MEASURE B GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS BALANCE SHEET June 30, 2022

ASSETS

Total assets	\$	-
FUND BALANCE		
Fund balance: Restricted – capital projects	<u>\$</u>	_

CHABOT-LAS POSITAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT MEASURE B GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

Revenues: Interest income	<u>\$ 18,432</u>
Expenditures: Current: Supplies Capital outlay	1,872,090 2,386,070
Total expenditures	4,258,160
Change in fund balance	(4,239,728)
Fund balance, July 1, 2021	4,239,728
Fund balance, June 30, 2022	<u>\$ </u>

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies of Chabot-Las Positas Community College District (the "District") conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as applicable to governments and to general practices within California community colleges. The District accounts for its financial transactions in accordance with policies and procedures of the State Chancellor Office's *California Community Colleges Budget and Accounting Manual*. The activities of the Measure B Bonds are recorded internally along with other activities in the District's Measure B General Obligation Bond Fund. The accounting policies of the District conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). The following is a summary of the more significant accounting policies:

<u>Financial Reporting Entity</u>: The financial statements include only the Measure B General Obligation Bond Activity (the "Bond Activity") of the District. An internal Fund was established to account for the expenditures of general obligation bonds issued under the General Obligation Bonds Election of 2004. The authorized issuance amount of the bonds is \$498,000,000. These financial statements are not intended to present fairly the financial position and results of operations of the District in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

<u>Basis of Accounting</u>: Basis of accounting refers to when revenues and expenditures or expenses are recognized in the accounts and reported in the financial statements. Basis of accounting relates to the timing of measurement made, regardless of the measurement focus applied.

The financial statements represent the Measure B General Obligation Bond Activity of the District and are presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting. Under the modified accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recorded when susceptible to accrual; i.e., both measurable and available. "Available" means collectible within the current period or within 60 days after year end. Expenditures are generally recognized under the modified accrual basis of accounting when the related liability is incurred.

<u>Restricted Fund Balance</u>: Restricted fund balance includes resources which are legally or contractually restricted by external third parties. Fund balance is restricted for Measure B General Obligation Bond capital projects in accordance with the Bond Project List for 2004 Measure B General Obligation Bonds.

<u>Accounting Estimates</u>: The presentation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenditures during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

<u>Encumbrances</u>: Encumbrance accounting is used in all budgeted funds to reserve portions of applicable appropriations for which commitments have been made. Encumbrances are recorded for purchase orders, contracts, and other commitments when they are written. Encumbrances are liquidated when the commitments are paid.

NOTE 2 – PURPOSE OF BOND ISSUANCE

<u>Bond Authorization</u>: By approval of the proposition for Measure B by at least 55% of the registered voters voting on the proposition at an election held on March 2 2004, Chabot-Las Positas Community College District was authorized to issue and sell bonds of up to \$498,000,000 in aggregate principal amount. The District received affirmative votes from 59% of voters, which exceeded the 55% requirement.

Purpose of Bonds

The proceeds of the Bonds may be used:

"To prepare students for jobs/four-year colleges, improve safety, accommodate increasing enrollment at Chabot and Las Positas Colleges by repairing leaky roofs, upgrading fire safety, campus security, plumbing/ventilation systems and electrical wiring for computer technology; removing asbestos, upgrading nursing/paramedics/job training classrooms, repairing, constructing, acquiring, equipping classrooms, labs, sites and facilities.

Shall Chabot-Las Positas Community College District issue \$498,000,000 in bonds, at legal rates, with guaranteed annual audits, citizen oversight, and no money for administrators' salaries?"

As required by the California Constitution, the proceeds from the sale of bonds will be used only for the construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation or replacement of school facilities, including the furnishing and equipping of school facilities and not for any other purpose, including teacher and administrator salaries and other school operating expenses.

NOTE 4 – GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND ISSUANCES

The bonds are general obligations of the District. The Boards of Supervisor of Alameda County and Contra Costa County are obligated to levy *ad valorem* taxes for the payment, without limitation as to amount, upon all property within their respective counties subject to taxation by the District (except certain personal property which is taxable at limited rates) for payment of principal of and interest on the Bonds when due.

On August 19, 2004, the District issued Series A 2004 General Obligation Bonds totaling \$100,000,000. The Bonds bear interest rates from 2% to 5% and are payable on February 1 and August 1 of each year until maturity.

On April 13, 2006, a refunding bond was issued for \$89,275,849 to refund original Series A bonds and to provide an additional \$14,696,664 of cash from the premium associated with the refunding bonds. The Series A Bonds bear interest rates ranging from 3.5% to 5% and are payable on February 1 and August 1 of each year until maturity.

On November 1, 2006, Series 2006B and Series 2006C were issued for the amounts of \$229,159,710 and \$168,838,667, respectively. The Bonds bear interest rates from 3.6% to 4.6% and are payable on February 1 and August 1 of each year until maturity.

NOTE 5 - GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND ISSUANCES (Continued)

On March 19, 2013, a refunding bond was issued for \$289,105,000 to advance refund on a crossover basis a portion of its outstanding Series 2006B and 2006C General Obligation Bonds, and to pay the costs associated with the issuance of the Bonds. The Series A Refunding Bonds bear interest rates from 3% to 5% and are payable on February 1 and August 1 of each year until maturity.

On July 28, 2016, the District issued 2016 General Obligation Refunding Bonds in the amount of \$247,360,000 to currently refund certain of the District's remaining outstanding General Obligation Bonds, Election of 2004, Series 2006B, refund certain of the District's remaining outstanding General Obligation Bonds, Election of 2004, Series 2006C and refund certain of the District's outstanding 2006 General Obligation Refunding Bonds. The 2016 Refunding Bonds bear interest rates ranging from 2% to 5% and are payable on February 1 and August 1 of each year until maturity.





INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

To the Governing Board and Measure B Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee Chabot-Las Positas Community College District Dublin, California

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the Measure B General Obligation Bonds (the "Bonds") activity of Chabot-Las Positas Community College District (the "District") as of and for the year ended June 30, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's Measure B General Obligation Bonds activity financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated December 5, 2022.

Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the District's internal control over Measure B General Obligation Bonds activity financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that have not been identified.

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the District's Measure B General Obligation Bonds activity financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of the District's compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the financial statements. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

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Sacramento, California December 5, 2022