

Financial Statements

June 30, 2017





Board of Trustees North Central State College Foundation, Inc. 2441 Kenwood Circle Mansfield, Ohio 44906

We have reviewed the *Independent Auditor's Report* of the North Central State College Foundation, Inc., Richland County, prepared by Plattenburg & Associates, Inc., for the audit period July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017. Based upon this review, we have accepted these reports in lieu of the audit required by Section 117.11, Revised Code. The Auditor of State did not audit the accompanying financial statements and, accordingly, we are unable to express, and do not express an opinion on them.

Our review was made in reference to the applicable sections of legislative criteria, as reflected by the Ohio Constitution, and the Revised Code, policies, procedures and guidelines of the Auditor of State, regulations and grant requirements. The North Central State College Foundation, Inc. is responsible for compliance with these laws and regulations.

Dave Yost Auditor of State

December 12, 2017





INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of Trustees North Central State College Foundation, Inc.

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the North Central State College Foundation, Inc. (the Foundation), a component unit of North Central State College, which comprise the statement of financial position as of June 30, 2017, and the related statements of activities and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes 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

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with 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. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements 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 entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Foundation as of June 30, 2017, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 1, 2017, on our consideration of the Foundation's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Foundation's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Plattenburg & Associates, Inc. Plattenburg & Associates, Inc.

Cincinnati, Ohio December 1, 2017

Statement of Financial Position As of June 30, 2017

<u>ASSETS</u>	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$358,076
Investments	3,607,948
Interest in Assets held by Richland County Foundation	350,000
Contributions receivable (net of allowance for uncollectible	
and accumulated amortization discount)	339,938
Capital Assets, Net	2,007
Total Assets	\$4,657,969
<u>LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</u>	
Liabilities:	
Accounts Payable	\$28,175
Total Liabilities	28,175
Net Assets:	
Unrestricted	(208,805)
Temporarily Restricted	863,008
Temporarily Restricted-Assets held by	,
Richland County Foundation	350,000
Total Temporarily Restricted	1,213,008
Permanently Restricted	3,625,591
Total Net Assets	4,629,794
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$4,657,969

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

North Central State College Foundation, Inc. Statement of Activities For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restricted	Permanently Restricted	Total
PUBLIC SUPPORT, REVENUES AND RECLASSIFICATION	S			
Contributions, net of future values and bad debts	<u>\$114,499</u>	\$172,897	\$156,762	\$444,158
Investment income, including realized and unrealized gains				
and losses, net	5,081	270,025	0	275,106
Fundraising Revenue	23,475	0	0	23,475
Other Revenue	57,992	0	0	57,992
Net assets released from restrictions	284,643	(284,643)	0	0
	485,690	158,279	156,762	800,731
EXPENSES				
Program Services:				
Scholarships	284,643	0	0	284,643
Entreprenuer Hall of Fame	33,695	0	0	33,695
Personnel reimbursement	46,361	0	0	46,361
Management and General:				
Investment Expense	446	0	0	446
Fundraising	12,030	0	0	12,030
Materials and Supplies	200	0	0	200
Contractual Services	3,848	0	0	3,848
Outreach Fund	418	0	0	418
Other Expense	14,280	0	0	14,280
Total Expenses	395,921	0	0	395,921
Changes in Net Assets	89,769	158,279	156,762	404,810
Net Assets, Beginning of Year	(298,574)	1,054,729	3,468,829	4,224,984
Net Assets, End of Year	(\$208,805)	\$1,213,008	\$3,625,591	\$4,629,794

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

Statement of Cash Flows For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

Cash Flows from Operating Activities: Change in net assets Adjustments to reconcile net assets to net cash used for operating activities:	\$404,810
Decrease in contributions receivable	3,417
Decrease in accounts receivable	4,722
Increase in accounts payable	13,175
Contributions restricted for investment in endowment	(156,762)
Total adjustments	(135,448)
Net cash provided for operating activities	269,362
Cash flows from investing activities:	
Proceeds from sales of investments	3,333,289
Purchase of investments	(3,607,948)
Net cash used by investing activities	(274,659)
Cash flows from financing activities:	
Proceeds from contributions restricted for	
investment in endowment	156,762
Net cash provided by financing activities	156,762
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	151,465
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	206,611
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$358,076

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

Notes to the Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

1. DESCRIPTION OF THE FOUNDATION

North Central State College Foundation, Inc. (the Foundation) financial statements have been prepared on an accrual basis of accounting, under the provisions of FASB Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) No. 958 "Not-for-Profit Entities". The Foundation is a not-for-profit organization established in accordance with Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Foundation operates under a Board of Trustees who is appointed, not to be less than twelve, but not to exceed forty members. The Foundation is organized primarily to engage in activities and programs to provide support and services to the North Central State College (the College).

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Contributions

The Foundation reports unconditional promises to give, with payments due in future periods, as receivables and support in either unrestricted, temporarily restricted, or permanently restricted net assets as appropriate in the period received at their net present value. The accumulated discount of net present value of the pledge is accounted for as contribution income of the related class of net assets. Conditional promises to give are not recorded as support until the condition upon which they depend has been substantially met by the Foundation.

Financial Statement Presentation

The Foundation reports amounts for each of three classes of net assets: unrestricted, temporarily restricted and permanently restricted, be presented in an aggregated statement of financial position and that the amounts of changes in each of those classes of net assets be presented in a statement of activities. This statement requires that resources be classified into three net asset categories according to donor-imposed restrictions. A description of each of the categories is as follows:

Unrestricted Net Assets

Assets which are free of donor-imposed restrictions; all revenues, expenses, gains and losses that are not changes in temporarily or permanently restricted net assets.

Temporarily Restricted Net Assets

Assets which include gifts and pledges receivable for which donor-imposed restrictions have not been met and for which the ultimate purpose of the proceeds are not permanently restricted.

Permanently Restricted Net Assets

Assets that are subject to restrictions of gift instruments requiring that the principal be invested in perpetuity. The income from these assets is included in the investment income of unrestricted and restricted funds, as appropriate, in the accompanying Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets.

When a donor restriction expires, that is, when a stipulated time restriction expires or purpose restriction is accomplished, restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets as net assets released from restrictions.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Foundation considers all highly liquid investments with a maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Investments

The Foundation reports investments in marketable securities with readily determined fair values and all investments in debt securities are reported at their fair values in the Statement of Financial Position. Unrealized gains and losses are included in the change in net assets. Investments of the unrestricted, temporarily restricted, and permanently restricted funds are pooled for making investment transactions and are carried at market value. Interest and dividend income, as well as realized and unrealized gains and losses, are allocated to unrestricted, temporarily restricted, and permanently restricted funds.

Notes to the Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

Donated Service and Facilities

The Foundation has no employees or property (other than cash and investments). Substantially all clerical and management duties are presently performed by business office personnel who are employees of North Central State College, utilizing equipment and facilities of North Central State College.

For accounting purposes, the value of facilities is considered immaterial and it has not been recognized in the financial statements. However, the value of the services provided by College personnel have been recognized in the Statement of Activities as personnel reimbursement expenses as required by the accrual basis of accounting.

Contributions Receivable

Contributions received, including unconditional promises to give, are recognized as revenue by net asset class when the donor's commitment is received. Unconditional promises are recognized at the estimated present value of the future cash flows, net of allowances (fair value). Promises designated for future periods or restricted by the donor for specific purposes are reported as temporarily restricted or permanently restricted support. However, if a restriction is fulfilled in the same time period in which the contribution is received, the Foundation reports the support as unrestricted. Conditional promises are recorded when donor stipulations are substantially met. The Foundation requires an initial minimum balance of \$10,000 to establish a scholarship fund.

Prepaid Expenses

Certain payments to vendors for fundraising activities reflect costs applicable to future accounting periods and are recorded as prepaid items.

Capital Assets

Capital assets acquired by the Foundation consist of office equipment. All expenditures for capital assets in excess of \$1,000 are capitalized. Depreciation expense is computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets not to exceed ten years.

Deferred Income

Deferred income results from various fundraising activities. It represents amounts received from sponsors, vendors, and sales of admission tickets in advance. Deferred income is recognized as revenue in the period that the fundraising activity actually occurs.

Estimates

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and related notes. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

3. INVESTMENTS

The various investments in fixed income securities, mutual funds and other investment securities are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, market fluctuations, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in values of investment securities could occur in the near term and those changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the financial statements.

Notes to the Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

3. INVESTMENTS (Continued)

At June 30, 2017, investments consisted of the following:

		Maturity											
	Market / Carrying	Le	ss Than								Various		
	Value	О	ne Year	1	-2 years	3	-5 years	6-	7 Years	wi	thin Fund	No	Maturity
Money Market													
Investments - US													
Government													
Obligations	\$ 51,510	\$	51,510	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Corporate Bonds	\$ 49,789	\$	49,789	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Mutual Funds - Fixed													
Income	\$ 1,192,121	\$	4,495	\$	220,615	\$	93,966	\$	89,472	\$	783,573	\$	-
Mutual Funds - Equity													
Securities	\$ 1,706,856	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	1,706,856	\$	-
Common Stock	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
ADR / Foreign Equities	\$ 502,061	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	502,061
Preferred Stock	\$ 83,358	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	83,358
ADR / Foreign Preferred	\$ 6,522	\$	_	\$	-	\$	_	\$	-	\$	-	\$	6,522
REIT	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Rights and	\$ 15,731	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	15,731
Marketable	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Partnership	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Tota	\$ 3,607,948	\$	105,794	\$	220,615	\$	93,966	\$	89,472	\$	2,490,429	\$	607,672

The Foundation determines the fair market values of its financial instruments based on the fair value hierarchy established in ASC No. 820, which requires an entity to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs when measuring fair value. Observable inputs are inputs that reflect the assumptions market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability developed based on market data obtained from sources independent of the reporting entity. Unobservable inputs are inputs that reflect the Foundation's own assumptions based on market data and on assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability developed based on the best information available in the circumstances. The Standard describes three levels within its hierarchy that may be used to measure fair value:

Level 1 Inputs: Quoted prices (unadjusted) for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the entity has the ability to access as of the measurement date.

Level 2 Inputs: Significant other observable inputs other than Level 1 quoted prices such as quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities; quoted prices in markets that are not active; or other inputs that are observable or can be corroborated by observable market data.

Level 3 Inputs: Significant unobservable inputs that reflect a reporting entity's own assumptions about the assumptions that market participants would rise in pricing an asset or liability.

Notes to the Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

3. INVESTMENTS (Continued)

The fair value of investments held by the Foundation at June 30, 2017 is summarized as follows:

Investment Type	Ac F	oted Prices In etive Markets For Identical sets (Level 1)	Ob	gnificant Other servable outs (Level 2)	Significant Unobservable Inputs (Leve	-
Money Market Investments -		, ,	1	,	1 \	
US Government Obligations	\$	-	\$	51,510	\$	-
Corporate Bonds	\$	49,789	\$	-	\$	-
Mutual Funds - Fixed Income	\$	1,192,121	\$	-	\$	-
Mutual Funds - Equity						
Securities	\$	1,706,856	\$	_	\$	-
Common Stock	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
ADR / Foreign Equities	\$	502,061	\$	-	\$	-
Preferred Stock	\$	83,358	\$	-	\$	-
ADR / Foreign Preferred	\$	6,522	\$	-	\$	-
REIT	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Rights and Warrants	\$	15,731	\$	-	\$	-
Marketable LLC	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Partnerships	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Total	\$	3,556,438	\$	51,510	\$	-

4. CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVABLE

Unconditional promises to give are included in the financial statements as contributions receivable and contributions of the appropriate net asset category. Unconditional promises to give that are expected to be collected within one year are recorded at net realizable value. Unconditional promises to give that are expected to be collected in future years are recorded at the present value of their estimated future cash flows. The discount rate on those amounts is computed using a risk free interest rate applicable to the years in which the promises are to be received. The discount rate used for the year ended June 30, 2017 was 3.25%. The amortization of the discount is included in contribution revenue. Conditional promises to give are not included as support until conditions of those promises have been met.

Contributions receivable consisted of the following at June 30, 2017:

Unconditional promises to give before unamortized discount and allowance for uncollectible contributions:

Unrestricted	\$ 5,380
Temporarily restricted	254,340
Permanently restricted	140,628
Gross unconditional promises to give	400,348
Less: Unamortized Discount	(20,375)
Less: Allowance for uncollectible contributions	(40,035)
Amounts due: Less than one year	\$ 339,938

Notes to the Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

5. TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS

Net assets were released from donor restrictions by incurring expenses satisfying the purpose restriction specified by donors.

Scholarships for Students	\$79,247
Grants	0
Other	205,396
Total Released Net Assets	\$284,643

Temporarily and permanently restricted net assets are those whose use by the Foundation has been limited by donors to a specific time period or purpose. Temporarily restricted net assets are available for the use of providing scholarships to the College's students, providing professional development funds to the College staff and for purchasing equipment for the benefit of the College. Permanently restricted net assets are restricted to investment in perpetuity and the income from which is expendable for scholarships to the College's students.

The different types of temporarily restricted net assets are classified as follows:

Scholarships for Students:		
Avita Health	\$	701
ADA Ford Educ Aid		7,031
Alumni Association		2,687
Bennett		1,749
Brown Respiratory Care		2,216
Cardwell Neer		1,207
Carter Memorial		3,177
Cobey		1,719
Coleman		4,638
Cress		2,836
Emerson		9,388
Diab		432
Dewald		1,848
Faculty		1,156
Forty Et Eight		83
Galion FOP		2,831
Garber		3,479
Gimble - Health Chair		89,526
G-R Civic		2,071
G-R Rupp		5,609
Gubkin		909
Haring		4,169
Jenko		79,286
Kroger		3,532
MIMA - Urban Center		2,731
Martin Speech		869
Necessities		31,847
Necessities - Crawford		14,847
Necessities - Shelby	_	15,527
Necessities - Wayne		7,559
Nursing		18,563
Orange and Blue		23,217

Notes to the Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

6. TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS (Continued)

PTA Fund	2,406
Phillips Fund	5,610
Phillips E Troop	2,892
Plotts	26
President Emeritus	1,838
Preston	2,613
RMC	3,778
Scheaffer	818
Searle - PTA	14,441
Searle - RN	16,685
Welsh	6,178
Vetter	893
YES Entrepreneur	5,348
ADA Ford Summer Access	65,600
Ambassador	2,003
CDC Small Steps	884
Gimbel Scholarship	17,469
Gorman Fund	59,036
Scholarships (General)	28,309
Mansfield University	3,850
NCSC Student Need Fund	5,264
Innovation Fund	82
Rable Machine Scholarship	261
Tuition Freedom	9,431
Radiology Merit Scholarship	2,091
Tech Prep	10,900
Double Dollars Campaign	3,433
Equipment	14,568
College Project Fund	14,240
Restricted Projects	673
Urban Center Fund	63,063
Temporarily Restricted Other	150,885
	\$ 863,008

6. PERMANTLY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS

Endowed Scholarships for Students	
Avita Health	\$ 10,000
ADA Ford Educ Aid	20,000
Alumni Association	21,435
Bennett	20,449
Brown Respiratory Care	12,116
Cardwell Neer	10,121
Carter Memorial	31,267
Chambers	4,615
Cobey	19,201
Coleman	23,712

Notes to the Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

6. PERMANTLY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS (Continued)

	26.000
Cress	26,800
Diab	10,878
Dewald	32,979
Emerson	107,402
Faculty	12,252
Forty Et Eight	25,000
Galion FOP	13,376
Garber	29,510
Gimble - Health Chair	710,000
G-R Civic	22,463
G-R Rupp	56,661
Gubkin	10,213
Hahn	4,504
Haring	24,334
Jenko	699,933
Kroger	36,129
MIMA - Urban Center	17,066
Martin Speech	12,539
Necessities	145,496
Necessities - Crawford	54,950
Necessities - Shelby	62,166
Necessities - Wayne	26,275
Nursing	237,473
Title III	50,000
Orange and Blue	345,843
PTA Fund	34,349
Phillips	48,000
Phillips E Troop	27,473
Plotts Endowment	10,000
President Emeritus	20,320
Preston	37,235
RMC	27,672
Sheaffer	11,658
Searle - PTA	100,000
Searle - RN	100,000
Welsh	53,677
Vetter	12,125
YES Entrepreneur	40,835
Restricted Contributions	155,089
	\$ 3,625,591
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Interpretation of UPMIFA: The Foundation has interpreted the Uniform Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act ("UPMIFA") as requiring the preservation of the fair value of the original gift as of the gift date of the donor-restricted endowment funds absent explicit donor stipulations to the contrary.

Notes to the Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

6. PERMANTLY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS (Continued)

As a result of this interpretation, the Foundation classifies as permanently restricted net assets (a) the original value of gifts donated to the permanent endowment, (b) the original value of subsequent gifts to the permanent endowment, and (c) accumulations to the permanent endowment made in accordance with the direction of the applicable donor gift instrument at the time the accumulation is added to the fund. The remaining portion of the donor-restricted endowment fund that is not classified in permanently restricted net assets is classified as temporarily restricted net assets until those amounts are appropriated for expenditure by the Foundation in a manner consistent with the standard of prudence prescribed by UPMIFA.

In accordance with UPMIFA, the Foundation considers the following factors in making a determination to appropriate or accumulate donor-restricted endowment funds:

- (1) The duration and preservation of the fund
- (2) The purposes of the organization and the donor-restricted endowment fund
- (3) General economic conditions
- (4) The possible effect of inflation and deflation
- (5) The expected total return from income and the appreciation of investments
- (6) Other resources of the organization
- (7) The investment policies of the organization

Funds with Deficiencies: From time to time, the fair value of assets associated with individual donor restricted endowment funds may fall below the level that the donor or UPMIFA requires the Foundation to retain as a fund of perpetual duration. Deficiencies of this nature that are in excess of related temporarily restricted amounts are reported in unrestricted net assets. The Foundation had no such amounts totaled as of June 30, 2017.

Endowment Composition:

Endowment Net Assets Composisition by Type of Fund as of June 30, 2017

			Temporarily		Pe	rmanently		
	Unrestricted Endowment		Restricted Endowment		Restricted Endowment		Total Endowment	
Donor -restricted endowment funds	\$	-	\$	-	\$	3,625,591	\$	3,625,591
Board-designated endowment funds		-		-		-		
Total Funds	\$	-	\$	-	\$	3,625,591	\$	3,625,591

Changes in Endowment Net Assets for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

	Unrestricted Endowment		Temporarily Restricted Endowment		Permanently Restricted Endowment		Total Endowment	
Endowment net assets, beginning of year Investment income, including realized and	\$	-	\$	-	\$	3,468,829	\$	3,468,829
unrealized gains and losses		-		(1,582)		-		(1,582)
Contributions		-		-		156,762		156,762
Appropriation of endowment assets for expend		-		1,582		-		1,582
Endowment net assets, end of year	\$	-	\$	-	\$	3,625,591	\$	3,625,591

Notes to the Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

7. RICHLAND COUNTY FOUNDATION

During 1991, the Foundation established a "Direct Fund" in which an irrevocable gift was made to the Richland County Foundation. This fund is identified by the Richland County Foundation as the North Central State College Foundation "Endowment Fund" and is subject to the provisions contained within the fund agreement dated December 31, 1991. This fund is the property of the Richland County Foundation, whereby, those funds will be held in perpetuity, and the investment income will be distributed to the Foundation annually to benefit the North Central State College. One of the provisions in this fund agreement, the variance power, concerns the power to vary some of the terms of the agreement. As defined by United States Treasury Regulations, the Richland County Foundation has the right to modify the terms of the fund agreement if in the judgment of the Richland County Foundation's Board of Trustees, the restrictions and conditions in the agreement become unnecessary, incapable of fulfillment, or inconsistent with the charitable needs of the community.

The portion of this fund contributed by the Foundation is considered a reciprocal transfer because the Foundation is also the beneficiary of this fund. This balance is shown on the Richland County Foundation's Statement of Financial Position as a liability called "Funds Held as Agency Endowments". This amounted to \$350,000 at June 30, 2017.

Also, the portion of this fund contributed by unrelated third party donors is considered a contribution to the Richland County Foundation and is included in the net assets of Richland County Foundation. The amount recognized in the Statement of Financial Position of the Richland County Foundation at June 30, 2017 totaled \$328,867.

8. INCOME TAXES

The Foundation is a not-for-profit corporation as described in Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, and the organization is exempt from federal and state income taxes.

9. RELATED PARTY

The Foundation is affiliated with the College. During the year ended June 30, 2017, the College provided the Foundation with professional services valued at \$46,361. The value of those services is included as personnel reimbursement expenses in the financial statements.

During the year ended June 30, 2017, the Foundation provided scholarships and support to the College of \$284,643.



Yellow Book Report

June 30, 2017





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

Board of Trustees

North Central State College Foundation, Inc.

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 North Central State College Foundation, Inc. (the Foundation), a component unit of North Central State College, which comprise the statement of financial position as of June 30, 2017, and the related statements of activities and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated December 1, 2017.

Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Foundation's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Foundation's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Foundation'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 may exist that have not been identified.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Foundation's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. 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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Cincinnati, Ohio December 1, 2017







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CLERK'S CERTIFICATION

This is a true and correct copy of the report which is required to be filed in the Office of the Auditor of State pursuant to Section 117.26, Revised Code, and which is filed in Columbus, Ohio.

CLERK OF THE BUREAU

Susan Babbitt

CERTIFIED DECEMBER 26, 2017