Financial Statements Years Ended June 30, 2008 and 2007 And Independent Auditors' Report



# Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

Board of Directors Cuyahoga Community College Foundation 700 Carnegie Avenue Cleveland, Ohio 44115

We have reviewed the *Independent Auditors' Report* of the Cuyahoga Community College Foundation, Cuyahoga County, prepared by Maloney + Novotny, LLC, for the audit period July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008. 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 Cuyahoga Community College Foundation is responsible for compliance with these laws and regulations.

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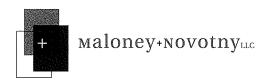
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Board of Directors Cuyahoga Community College Foundation Cleveland, Ohio

#### **Independent Auditors' Report**

We have audited the accompanying statements of financial position of the Cuyahoga Community College Foundation (the "Foundation") as of June 30, 2008 and 2007 and the related statements of activities and of cash flows for the years then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Foundation's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits 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 of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our 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, 2008 and 2007 and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated October 31, 2008 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 the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

Maloney + Novotny LLC

Cleveland, Ohio October 31, 2008



#### STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION

JUNE 30, 2008 and 2007

ASSETS	2008	2007
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 4,777,846	\$ 2,989,285
Investments	16,850,103	18,117,527
Receivables:		
Interest	46,701	46,338
Contributions—net	1,396,467	2,075,008
Due from related party	59,580	69,158
TOTAL	\$ 23,130,697	\$ 23,297,316
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
LIABILITIES:		
Due to related party	\$ 727,161	\$ 777,597
NET ASSETS:		
Unrestricted	5,148	194,869
Temporarily restricted	19,978,057	20,048,899
Permanently restricted	2,420,331	2,275,951
Total net assets	22,403,536	22,519,719
TOTAL	\$ 23,130,697	\$ 23,297,316

## STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restricted	Permanently Restricted	Total
REVENUES:				
Contributions	\$ 333,305	\$ 2,128,143	\$ 144,380	\$ 2,605,828
Special events revenue	302,061	1,145,752		1,447,813
Interest and dividend income	76,900	738,828		815,728
Net (decrease) in fair value of investments	(198,963)	(1,267,994)		(1,466,957)
Net assets released from restriction	2,815,571	(2,815,571)		
Total revenues	3,328,874	(70,842)	144,380	3,402,412
EXPENSES:				
Program services:				
Scholarships	745,634			745,634
Educational development	2,184,212			2,184,212
Total program services	2,929,846			2,929,846
Special events	198,684			198,684
Administration and general	256,176			256,176
Fundraising	133,889			133,889
Total expenses	3,518,595			3,518,595
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	(189,721)	(70,842)	144,380	(116,183)
NET ASSETS—Beginning of year	194,869	20,048,899	2,275,951	22,519,719
NET ASSETS—End of year	\$ 5,148	\$ 19,978,057	\$ 2,420,331	\$ 22,403,536

#### STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restricted	Permanently Restricted	Total
REVENUES:				
Contributions	\$ 275,539	\$ 2,155,202	\$ 17,627	\$ 2,448,368
Special events revenue	235,558	888,771		1,124,329
Interest and dividend income	16,548	611,390		627,938
Net increase in fair value of investments	105	2,404,930	\$ 311,688	2,716,723
Net assets released from restriction	2,783,060	(2,783,060)		
Total revenues	3,310,810	3,277,233	329,315	6,917,358
EXPENSES:				
Program services:				
Scholarships	534,363			534,363
Educational development	2,156,783			2,156,783
Total program services	2,691,146			2,691,146
Special events	118,328			118,328
Administration and general	368,583			368,583
Fundraising	140,352	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	***************************************	140,352
Total expenses	3,318,409			3,318,409
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	(7,599)	3,277,233	329,315	3,598,949
NET ASSETS—Beginning of year	202,468	16,771,666	1,946,636	18,920,770
NET ASSETS—End of year	<u>\$ 194,869</u>	\$ 20,048,899	\$ 2,275,951	\$ 22,519,719

#### STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2008 AND 2007

	2008		2007
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:			
Change in net assets	\$ (116,183)	\$	3,598,949
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets			
to net cash provided by operating activities:			
(Increase) Decrease in fair value of investments - net	1,466,957		(2,716,722)
Permanently restricted contributions	(144,380)		(17,627)
(Increase) Decrease in contributions receivable - net	678,541		887,674
Increase (Decrease) in due to related party - net	(40,858)		(237,551)
(Increase) Decrease in interest receivable	 (363)		(9,232)
Cash provided by operating activities	 1,843,714	***************************************	1,505,491
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:			
Purchase of investments	(24,512,168)		(28,937,840)
Proceeds from sale of investments	 24,312,635		27,825,949
Cash used in investing activities	 (199,533)		(1,111,891)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:			
Permanently restricted contributions	 144,380		17,627
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CASH EQUIVALENTS	1,788,561		411,227
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS—Beginning of year	 2,989,285		2,578,058
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS—End of year	\$ 4,777,846	\$	2,989,285

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2008 AND 2007

#### 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Organization—The Cuyahoga Community College Foundation (the "Foundation") was incorporated in August 1973 as a tax-exempt, not-for-profit corporation under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code for the purpose of collecting donations from individuals, corporations and foundations to be distributed as scholarships to persons attending Cuyahoga Community College (the "College"), and to be used for other purposes benefiting the College. The Foundation is classified as other than a private foundation by the Internal Revenue Service and is exempt from income taxes.

Basis of Accounting and Financial Statement Presentation—The financial statements of the Foundation are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with the provisions of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants' Audit Guide for Not-for-Profit Organizations. The accompanying financial statements of the Foundation present information regarding its net assets and activities in the following three categories:

*Unrestricted*—Net assets are under the discretionary control of the Board of Directors (the "Board") and include amounts designated by the Board for specified purposes.

Temporarily Restricted—Net assets are restricted by the donor for a specific purpose (generally scholarships or educational development programs) or use in a future time period. The income on these net assets is either temporarily restricted or unrestricted based on the intentions of the donor.

Permanently Restricted—Net assets are subject to the donor's restriction that the principal remain invested in perpetuity. The income on these net assets generally is used for scholarships or educational development programs.

When a donor restriction expires, that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished, temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the statement of activities as net assets released from restrictions.

Use of Estimates—The preparation 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 expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Cash and Cash Equivalents—Cash and cash equivalents include cash in checking accounts and short-term investments with an original maturity of three months or less. Substantially all of the Foundation's cash and cash equivalents are composed of investments in money market funds. At times, cash on hand may exceed federally insured limits.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2008 AND 2007

#### 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

*Investments*— Investments of the unrestricted, temporarily restricted and permanently restricted funds are pooled for making investment transactions and are carried at market value. Market values are based on quoted market prices. Interest and dividend income, as well as realized and unrealized gains and losses, are proportionally allocated to the funds monthly.

Contributions Receivable—Contributions received, including unconditional promises to give, are recognized as revenue by net asset class when the donor's commitment is received. Donated items are recorded at fair value when received. Unconditional promises are recognized at the estimated present value of the future cash flows, net of allowances (fair value). Promises made that are 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. It is the Foundation's policy that an initial minimum balance of \$25,000 be required to establish an endowment fund. The policy allows for an annual review to determine if the accumulation of contributions and interest meet the minimum principal balance requirements.

Contributions—Contributions, including bequests, special gifts and other donations, are recorded as revenue when received or, if by pledge, when an unconditional pledge is made. All contributions and gifts are considered to be available for unrestricted use unless specifically restricted by the donor. Noncash bequests, gifts, and donations, if any, would be recorded at the fair market value of the asset at the date of donation.

**Program Services Expenses**—All scholarships and other program services distributions are approved by the Board. Unconditional gifts to the College are recognized as educational development expense when approved. Gifts approved by the Board that are payable upon performance of specified conditions by the grantee (if any) are recognized in the statements of activities when the specified conditions are satisfied.

**Reclassification**- Certain amounts in the prior year financial statements have been reclassified to conform to the current year presentation. The reclassification did not impact net assets in total.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2008 AND 2007

#### 2. INVESTMENTS

For investment purposes, assets of the various unrestricted, temporarily restricted and permanently restricted classifications are pooled. Realized and unrealized gains and losses and investment income are allocated to unrestricted assets except when the donor specifies that income is to be temporarily or permanently restricted.

Investments at June 30, 2008 and 2007 consist of the following:

Description	2008	2007
Common Stock	\$ 7,403,291	\$ 7,986,839
U.S. Government Bonds	1,412,975	1,242,607
Foreign Bonds	44,886	
Corporate Bonds	590,484	739,664
Mutual Funds	7,398,467	8,148,417
Totals	\$ 16,850,103	\$ 18,117,527

The various investments are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, market and credit risks.

#### 3. CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVABLE

Contributions receivable (pledges) are accounted for in accordance with SFAS 116. The recorded fair value of contributions receivable is the present value of estimated future cash receipts using a discount rate of 2.1%. Management has determined that any allowance for uncollectible promises to give would be immaterial. Amounts due are as follows:

	2008	2007
Less than one year	\$ 1,136,072	\$ 1,589,174
One to five years	268,920	508,837
Totals	1,404,992	2,098,011
Unamortized discount	(8,525)	(23,003)
Total	\$ 1,396,467	\$ 2,075,008

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2008 AND 2007

#### 4. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The College made contributions to the Foundation during the years ended June 30, 2008 and 2007 of \$302,061 and \$235,558 primarily for parking receipts. The amounts owed to the Foundation as of June 30, 2008 and 2007 are \$59,580 and \$69,158 which are reported as due from related party on the statements of financial position.

The Foundation recognizes contributed services received from the College when those services (a) create or enhance non-financial assets, or (b) require specialized skills, are provided by College employees possessing those skills, and would typically need to be purchased if not provided by the donation. The Foundation recognized \$333,305 and \$275,539 of contributed services as contribution revenue and as administrative and general, and fundraising expenses in 2008 and 2007.

The Foundation received, on behalf of the College, gifts for educational development programs from various donors of \$1,762,259 and \$1,332,268 in 2008 and 2007, respectively. The undistributed balances as of June 30, 2008 and 2007 are \$727,161 and \$777,597 which are reported as due to related party on the statements of financial position.

#### 5. NET ASSETS

Net assets are restricted primarily for scholarships and educational purposes. Net assets were released from restriction for the following purposes during the years ended June 30:

	2008	2007
Scholarships	\$ 745,634	\$ 534,363
Educational Development	1,864,673	1,912,843
Special Events	198,684	118,328
Other	6,580	217,526
Total	\$2,815,571	\$2,783,060

Temporarily 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 following purposes at June 30:

	2008	2007
Scholarships	\$ 17,673,578	\$ 17,606,648
Educational Development	2,235,688	2,338,102
Special Events	68,791	104,149
Total	<u>\$19,978,057</u>	\$20,048,899

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2008 AND 2007

#### 5. NET ASSETS - continued

Permanently restricted net assets are held in perpetuity and whose use by the Foundation has been limited by donor agreements that stipulate that realized gains relating to those permanently restricted investments shall become part of the principal of those permanently restricted funds. Income from those permanently restricted investments shall be used for the following purposes at June 30:

	2008	2007
Scholarships	\$ 2,420,331	\$ 2,275,951

#### 6. SUBSEQUENT EVENT - INVESTMENTS

The Foundation holds investment securities which are exposed to various risks including interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect the Foundation's investment account balances and the amounts reported in the Statements of Financial Position.

Subsequent to year end, the investment and credit markets in the United States and around the world have experienced significant challenges related to liquidity, extension of credit and valuation. The results of these challenges have significantly increased volatility in the trading prices of marketable securities. As of October 31, 2008, the major securities indices have declined more than 24% from their values at June 30, 2008.

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## 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

We have audited the financial statements of Cuyahoga Community College Foundation (the "Foundation") as of and for the year ended June 30, 2008 and have issued our report thereon dated October 31, 2008. 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.

#### Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Foundation's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures 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 Foundation's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Foundation's internal control over financial reporting.

A control deficiency 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 misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the Foundation's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the Foundation's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the Foundation's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the Foundation's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.



## 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 (Continued)

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Foundation's financial statements are free of 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*.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Directors, Foundation management, and the Auditor of the State of Ohio, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Maloney + Nopotny LLC

Cleveland, Ohio October 31, 2008

## STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR COMMENTS ON INTERNAL CONTROL AND LEGAL COMPLIANCE

Year Ended June 30, 2008

There were no comments on internal control and legal compliance included in the prior year reports.



# Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

#### **CUYAHOGA COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOUNDATION**

#### **CUYAHOGA COUNTY**

#### **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 FEBRUARY 3, 2009**