

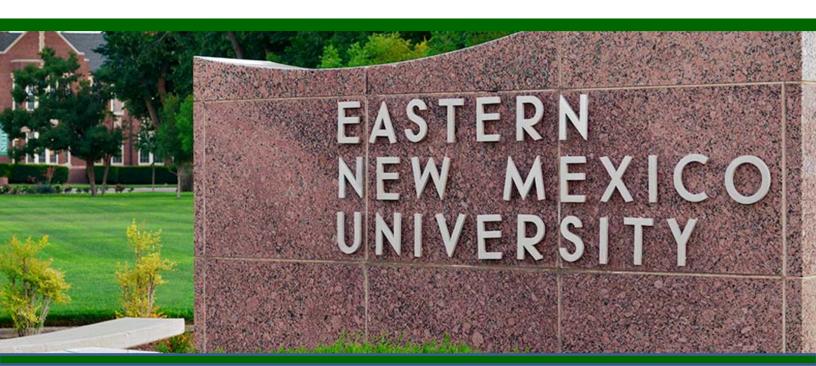




A Department of Eastern New Mexico University

Financial Statements
With Independent Auditors' Report

June 30, 2016 and 2015





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# A Department of Eastern New Mexico University Board of Regents and University Officials June 30, 2016

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FINANCIAL SECTION



# **Independent Auditors' Report**

Timothy Keller New Mexico State Auditor To the Board of Regents Eastern New Mexico University Portales, New Mexico

# **Report on the Financial Statements**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of KENW-FM (a department of and a public broadcasting entity operated by Eastern New Mexico University), and the budgetary comparisons, as of and for the years ended June 30, 2016 and 2015, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

#### 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.

# **Auditors' 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 KENM-FM'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 KENW-FM'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.

#### **Emphasis of Matter**

As described in Note 1, the financial statements of KENW-FM are intended to present the financial position and the changes in financial position and cash flows of only that portion of the business-type activities of Eastern New Mexico University that is attributable to the transactions of KENW-FM. They do not purport to, and do not, present fairly the financial position of Eastern New Mexico University as of June 30, 2016 and 2015, and the changes in its financial position or its cash flows for the years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

# **Opinion**

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of KENW-FM (a department of and a public broadcasting entity operated by Eastern New Mexico University) as of June 30, 2016 and 2015, and the changes in financial position and cash flows thereof and the budgetary comparisons for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### Other Matters

#### Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis on pages 10-13 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

# Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on KENW-FM's financial statements and budgetary comparison.

The introductory section has not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on it.

# Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated October 25, 2016 on our consideration of KENW-FM'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. 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 in considering KENW-FM's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

RPC CPAs + Consultants, LLP Albuquerque, New Mexico

RPC CPAS + Consultants LLP

October 25, 2016

# A Department of Eastern New Mexico University Management's Discussion and Analysis For the Year Ended June 30, 2016

This section of the financial report presents our discussion and analysis of KENW FM's (the "Station"), a public telecommunications entity operated by Eastern New Mexico University (the "University") financial performance during the year ended June 30, 2016. Please read it in conjunction with the Station's financial statements, which follow this section.

The Station is located on the campus of Eastern New Mexico University. KENW-FM broadcasts programs from National Public Radio, American Public Media, as well as local presentations and programs from other public radio stations in New Mexico and around the nation. KENW-FM is thus able to serve listeners with a wide variety of programming, including news and information, as well as beautiful music, opera, jazz, and classical music from the finest orchestras from around the world.

# **Financial Highlights**

- At June 30, 2016 and 2015, the Station's total assets were \$291,923 and \$372,939, respectively. During the year, net position decreased by \$54,294 from \$318,261 to \$263,967.
- Total current liabilities for 2016 were \$27,956. These liabilities are comprised of unearned revenues of \$27,144 and accrued leave of \$812. This is a \$26,722 decrease from last years' current liabilities of \$54,678.
- Operating revenues totaled \$509,924 for 2016 while operating expenses totaled \$564,218. Community Service Grants of \$141,823 from the Corporation of Public Broadcasting and Membership of \$47,644 are the main components of operating revenues. For 2015, operating revenues totaled \$470,435 while operating expenses totaled \$592,726. The main components of operating revenues were Community Service Grants of \$131,629 from the Corporation of Public Broadcasting and Membership of \$51,762.

#### **Overview of Financial Statements**

This annual report consists of the following:

- Management's discussion and analysis (this section)
- The basic financial statements
- Supplementary information—budgetary comparison

#### The Station's Basic Financial Statements

The basic financial statements include:

- The statement of net position provides information about the Station's financial condition at fiscal year-end. It presents both a current year synopsis and longer-term view of the Station's assets, liabilities and net assets.
- The statement of revenues, expenses and changes in net position should be used to review the results of the current year's operations.
- The statement of cash flows provides a summary of the sources and uses of cash within the Station during the year.
- Footnote information provides additional detail on the Station's overall accounting practices and individual statement line items, including a "natural classification" report of operating expenses.

Additional information may be obtained by contacting the Vice President of Business Affairs, Scott W. Smart, at (575) 562-2611.

# A Department of Eastern New Mexico University Management's Discussion and Analysis For the Year Ended June 30, 2016

# Financial Analysis of the Station as a Whole

*Net Positions*. The Station's total net position decreased from \$318,261 in 2015 to \$263,967 in 2016. Table 1 summarizes the Station's net position:

# Table 1 Eastern New Mexico KENW's Net Position As of June 30, 2016 and 2015 (in thousands of dollars)

	2016			2015		
Current assets	\$	220	\$	268		
Capital assets, net		72		105		
Total assets		292		373		
Current liabilities		28		55		
Total liabilities	\$	28	\$	55		
Net positions						
Net investment in capital assets		72		105		
Unrestricted		192		213		
Total net position	\$ 264			318		

# A Department of Eastern New Mexico University Management's Discussion and Analysis For the Year Ended June 30, 2016

# Financial Analysis of the Station as a Whole (continued)

Changes in Net Position. Total operating revenues for the years ended June 30, 2016 and 2015, were \$509,924 and \$470,435 compared with operating expenses of \$564,218 and \$592,726, respectively. Table 2 summarizes the Station's changes in net assets for the years:

# Table 2 Changes in Eastern New Mexico KENW's Net Position For the Years Ended June 30, 2016 and 2015

# (in thousands of dollars)

# **Budgetary Highlights**

	2	2016		
Revenues			'	
Operating				
Subscriptions and memberships	\$	48	\$	52
Grants and contracts		142		132
Other		320		286
Total operating revenues	\$	510	\$	470
Expenses				
Operating				
Program services	\$	492	\$	526
Supporting services		72		66
<b>Total operating expenses</b>		564		592
Increase (decrease) in net position	\$	(54)	\$	(122)

The Board of Regents approves the operating budget of the Station. The budget is reviewed and amended as needed due to changing circumstances. The budget is prepared using the basis of accounting prior to implementation on GASB Statement No.'s 34 and 35. Accordingly, budgets are adopted for program services and supporting services.

# Capital Assets

Capital Assets—As of June 30, 2016 and 2015, the Station had \$71,893 and \$104,638, respectively, invested in broadcasting and production equipment.

# A Department of Eastern New Mexico University Management's Discussion and Analysis For the Year Ended June 30, 2016

#### Economic Factors and Next Year's Budget

The Corporation for Public Broadcasting receives much of its funding from the federal government, which, in turn, distributes to member stations. Funding for the 2016-2017 fiscal year is expected to be approximately the same as for 2015-2016. The amount of the Rural Support Grant, which was \$24,384 for 2015-2016, can change from year to year depending on station eligibility. The loss of Minority Incentive Eligibility in FY 15, based on a determination by the Corporation for Public Broadcasting, has resulted in a loss of approximately one third of the Community Service Grant funding. Management continues efforts to re-establish the Minority Incentive Eligibility funding.

# Contacting the Station's Financial Management

The financial report is designed to provide the public, customers, and creditors with a general overview of the Station's finances and demonstrate the Station's accountability for the money it receives. If you have any questions about this report contact the University's Controller at the University Offices:

Board of Regents
Eastern New Mexico University
Business Affairs Station #4
Portales, NM 88130

# A Department of Eastern New Mexico University Statements of Net Position June 30, 2016 and 2015

		2016		
Assets				
Current assets				
Due from Eastern New Mexico University	\$	219,190	\$	265,424
Receivables		840		2,877
Total current assets		220,030		268,301
Noncurrent assets				
Capital assets, net		71,893		104,638
Total assets	\$	291,923	\$	372,939
Liabilities and Net Position Current liabilities				
Accounts payable	\$	_	\$	2,872
Unearned revenue	*	27,144	-	49,891
Accrued compensated absences		812		1,915
Total current liabilities		27,956		54,678
Net position				
Net investment in capital assets		71,893		104,638
Unrestricted net position		192,074		213,623
Total net position		263,967		318,261
Total liabilities and net position	\$	291,923	\$	372,939

# A Department of Eastern New Mexico University Statements of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position For the Years Ended June 30, 2016 and 2015

	20	16	2015	
Revenues				
Operating revenues				
Subscriptions and memberships	\$	47,644 \$	51,762	
Administrative support from the University		66,055	64,618	
Community service grant		141,823	131,629	
Other sources		254,402	222,426	
Total operating revenues		509,924	470,435	
Expenses				
Operating expenses				
Program services				
Local programming and production		307,074	320,511	
Broadcasting		184,594	205,803	
Supporting services				
Fundraising and membership development		6,495	1,794	
Management and general		66,055	64,618	
Total operating expenses		564,218	592,726	
Decrease in net position		(54,294)	(122,291)	
Net position, beginning of year		318,261	440,552	
Net position, end of year	\$	263,967 \$	318,261	

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# A Department of Eastern New Mexico University Statements of Cash Flows For the Years Ended June 30, 2016 and 2015

	 2016		
Cash flows from operating activities	•••		
Cash from subscriptions, members, and grants	\$ 339,287	\$	318,150
Cash paid to suppliers	 (310,111)		(318,150)
Net cash provided by operating activities	 29,176		<u>-</u> .
Cash flows from capital and related financing activities			
Purchases of capital assets	 (29,176)		-
Net cash used capital and related financing activities	(29,176)		-
Net change in cash	-		-
Cash, beginning of year	 		
Cash, end of year	\$ 	\$	
Reconciliation of decrease in net position to net cash			
provided (used) by operating activities			
Decrease in net position	\$ (54,294)	\$	(122,291)
Adjustments to reconcile increase (decrease) in net position to			
net cash provided (used) by operating activities			
Depreciation	61,921		59,468
Changes in assets and liabilities			
Receivables, net	48,271		71,608
Unearned revenue	(22,747)		(10,605)
Accounts payable	(2,872)		(95)
Accrued compensated absences	 (1,103)		1,915
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 29,176	\$	<u> </u>

A Department of Eastern New Mexico University Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2016

#### NOTE 1: NATURE OF ACTIVITIES AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

KENW-FM (a department of and a public broadcasting entity operated by Eastern New Mexico University) in Portales, New Mexico, operates to disseminate educational and cultural radio programs to the public. The Station is part of the University; however these financial statements include only the financial information related to the Station and do not include other financial information of the University.

This summary of significant accounting policies of KENW-FM is presented to assist in the understanding of the department's financial statements. The financial statements and notes are the representation of KENW-FM's management who is responsible for the integrity and objectivity.

# A. Financial Reporting Entity

KENW-FM (a department of and a public broadcasting entity operated by Eastern New Mexico University) in Portales, New Mexico, operates to disseminate educational and cultural radio programs to the public. KENW-FM is part of the University; however these financial statements include only the financial information related to the Station and do not include other financial information of the University.

In evaluating how to define KENW-FM for financial reporting purposes, management has considered all potential component units. The decision to include any potential component units in the financial reporting entity was made by applying the criteria set forth in GASB Statements No. 14 amended by GASB Statements No. 39 and No. 61. Blended component units, although legally separate entities, are in substance part of the government's operations. Each discretely presented component unit is reported in a separate column in the government-wide financial statements to emphasize that it is legally separate from the government.

Component units can also be other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with a primary government are such that exclusion would cause the reporting entities financial statements to be misleading or incomplete. In addition, component units can be organizations that raise and hold economic resources for the direct benefit of a primary unit. Because of the closeness of their relationships with the primary organization, some component units are blended as though they are part of the primary organization. KENW-FM was incorporated by Eastern New Mexico University. KENW-FM is a blended component unit of the University and is presented and reported upon as a part of the basic financial statements of the University.

The basic-but not the only-criterion for including a potential component unit within the reporting entity is the governing body's ability to exercise oversight responsibility. The most significant manifestation of this ability is financial interdependency. Other manifestations of the ability to exercise oversight responsibility include, but are not limited to, the selection of governing authority, the designation of management, the ability to significantly influence operations, and accountability for fiscal matters.

A second criterion used in evaluating potential component units is the scope of public service. Application of this criterion involves considering whether the activity benefits the government and/or its citizens. A third criterion used to evaluate potential component units for inclusion or exclusion from the reporting entity is the existence of special financing relationships, regardless of whether the government is able to exercise oversight responsibilities. Finally, the nature and significance of a potential component unit to the primary government could warrant its inclusion within the reporting entity.

Based upon the application of these criteria, KENW-FM does not have any component units required to be reported under GASB Statements No. 14, No. 39, or No. 61.

# A Department of Eastern New Mexico University Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2016

# NOTE 1: NATURE OF ACTIVITIES AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### B. Basis of Presentation

The Station's accounting policies conform with generally accepted accounting principles as prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) including all applicable GASB pronouncements. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with GASB No. Statement 34, Basic Financial Statement and Management's Discussion and Analysis – for State and Local Governments, and GASB Statement No. 35, Basic Financial Statements and Management's Discussion and Analysis of Public Colleges and Universities.

# C. Basis of Accounting

The Station's financial statements have been prepared using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Under the accrual basis, revenues are recognized when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows.

Operating revenues and expenses are those incurred which relate directly to the primary operations of the Station, including programming, production, and broadcasting services. All other revenues and expenses are considered nonoperating.

# D. Deposits and Investments

KENW-FM does not maintain any accounts that are considered cash, cash equivalents or investments.

# E. Prepaid Items

Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future accounting periods and are recorded as prepaid items in the financial statements.

# F. Capital Assets

Capital assets are recorded at cost or, in the case of donated assets, at their fair market value at the date of receipt and are depreciated over the estimated useful lives of the related assets. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over five to twelve years estimated useful lives. The Station's capitalization policy for moveable equipment includes all items with a unit cost of \$5,000 or more, and an estimated useful life of greater than one year. Information technology equipment including software is being capitalized in accordance with 2.20.1.9(C)(5) NMAC [9-30-99, recompiled 10/01/01].

#### G. In-kind Contributions

Donated facilities from the University consist of office and studio space together with related occupancy costs and are recorded in revenue and expense based on the allocable portion of original cost of the building and an estimated useful life, in accordance with instructions of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting.

Administrative support from the University consists of allocated finance department costs and certain other expenses incurred by the University on behalf of the Station.

# H. Due from Eastern New Mexico University

This account classification includes certain cash accounts that the station has a claim on but are maintained in University accounts. Also included in this account classification are amounts due from the University to the Station.

A Department of Eastern New Mexico University Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2016

# NOTE 1: NATURE OF ACTIVITIES AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### I. Unearned Revenue

Unearned revenue represents cash advances received from third parties, which have eligibility requirements. The unearned revenue will be recognized as revenue once all eligibility requirements have been met.

#### J. Net Position

Net position is classified into three components: net investment in capital assets; restricted; and unrestricted. These classifications are defined as follows:

- Net Investment in Capital Assets This component of net position consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation.
- Restricted This component of net position consists of funds on which external restrictions have been imposed that limit the purpose for which such funds can be used. The Station has no restricted net position at June 30, 2016 and 2015.
- *Unrestricted* This component of net position consists of net positions that do not meet the definition of "restricted" or "net investment in capital assets."

#### K. Budgetary Policy

The budget is established within the University's public service function of its current funds. The University may allocate funds between different departments or line items within the public service function without approval from the Budget Division of the State of New Mexico Department of Finance and Administration provided the total approved budget for the public service function is not exceeded. Budgets, as presented, are used as a management tool and represent the approved budgets for functional expenditures only, excluding capital outlay.

# L. *Use of Estimates*

In preparing financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, management is required to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reported period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### M. Income Taxes

As an instrumentality of the State of New Mexico, the income generated by Eastern New Mexico University in the exercise of its essential governmental functions is excluded from federal income tax under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 115. However, income generated from activities unrelated to the exempt purpose of Eastern New Mexico University would be subject to tax under IRS Section 511(a)(2)(B).

A Department of Eastern New Mexico University Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2016

#### NOTE 2: CAPITAL ASSETS

A summary of changes in capital assets are as follows:

	Balance at June 30, 2015		Additions		Deletions		Balance at June 30, 2016	
Equipment Accumulated depreciation	\$	1,165,248 (1,060,610)	\$	29,176 (61,921)	\$	- -	\$	1,194,424 (1,122,531)
Net capital assets	\$	104,638	\$	(32,745)	\$	<u>-</u>	\$	71,893
	_	Balance at ne 30, 2014	A	dditions	Dele	etions		Balance at one 30, 2015
Equipment Accumulated depreciation	\$	1,165,248 (1,001,142)	\$	(59,468)	\$	- -	\$	1,165,248 (1,060,610)
Net capital assets	\$	164,106	\$	(59,468)	\$	-	\$	104,638

Depreciation expense of \$61,921 and \$59,468 was charged to local programming and production for the years ended June 30, 2016 and 2015, respectively.

#### NOTE 3: INTERFUND TRANSACTIONS

KENW-FM administrative support is based on an allocation of actual indirect costs from the University, and the related expense of \$66,055 and \$64,618 for 2016 and 2015 respectively, is included in management and general expense. This method of reporting indirect costs conforms to CPB guidelines.

# NOTE 4: CONTINGENCIES

Insurance Coverage. The Station is exposed to various risks of loss from torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; business interruption; and errors and omissions and natural disasters. The Station is insured under the Eastern New Mexico University's Risk Management for liability and casualty insurance. There have been no significant reductions in coverage from the prior year and settlements have not exceeded coverage in the past three years.

# NOTE 5: STATE AND PRIVATE GRANTS

KENW-FM participates in state assisted grant programs. The disbursements of funds received under these programs require compliance with terms and conditions specified in the grant agreements and are subject to audit by grantor agencies. Any disallowed claims resulting from such audits could become a liability of KENW-FM. In the opinion of management, however, any such disallowed claims will not have a material effect on the financial statements of KENW-FM as of and for the year ended June 30, 2016.

# NOTE 6: SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

KENW-FM has evaluated events subsequent to June 30, 2016 that would possibly require adjustment or disclosure in these financial statements, through October 25, 2016, the date that these statements were available to be issued. There were no events identified that requires adjustment or disclosure as of June 30, 2016.

# A Department of Eastern New Mexico University Schedule of Budgeted and Actual Expenses For the Year Ended June 30, 2016

	Final Budget		Actual		Variance Positive/ (Negative)	
Program services						
Local programming and production	\$	358,372	\$	307,074	\$	51,298
Broadcasting		165,161		184,594		(19,433)
Total program services		523,533		491,668		31,865
Supporting services						
Fundraising and membership development		1,000		6,495		(5,495)
Management and general		66,055		66,055		<u>-</u>
Total supporting services		67,055		72,550		(5,495)
Total expenses	\$	590,588	\$	564,218	\$	26,370

# A Department of Eastern New Mexico University Schedule of Budgeted and Actual Expenses For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

	Final Budget		Actual		Variance Positive/ (Negative)	
Program services						
Local programming and production	\$	323,482	\$ 320,511	\$	2,971	
Broadcasting		200,415	 205,803		(5,388)	
Total program services		523,897	526,314		(2,417)	
Supporting services						
Fundraising and membership development		1,000	1,794		(794)	
Management and general		64,618	 64,618		<u> </u>	
Total supporting services		65,618	 66,412		(794)	
Total expenses	\$	589,515	\$ 592,726	\$	(3,211)	

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**COMPLIANCE SECTION** 



# 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

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Timothy Keller New Mexico State Auditor The Board of Regents of Eastern New Mexico University Portales, New Mexico

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 and budgetary comparisons of KENW-FM (a department of and a public broadcasting entity operated by Eastern New Mexico University) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2016, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise KENW-FM's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated October 25, 2016.

#### **Internal Control over Financial Reporting**

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the KENW-FM'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 KENW-FM's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the KENW-FM'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 KENW-FM'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 KENW-FM's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering KENW-FM's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

 $RPC\ CPAs + Consultants,\ LLP$ 

RPC CPAS + Consultants LLP

Albuquerque, New Mexico

October 25, 2016