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SLCC FACILITIES CORPORATION FINANCIAL REPORT JUNE 30, 2005

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To the Board of Directors SLCC Facilities Corporation Lafayette, Louisiana

We have audited the accompanying statements of financial position of SLCC Facilities Corporation (a nonprofit organization) as of June 30, 2005 and 2004 and the related statements of activities and cash flows for the years then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Corporation'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 SLCC Facilities Corporation as of June 30, 2005 and 2004, and the changes in its nets 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 <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, we have also issued a report dated August 15, 2005, on our consideration of SLCC Facilities Corporation's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with <u>Government Auditing Standards</u> and should be read in conjunction with this report in considering the results of our audit.

Brown, Poshi, Luis & Brand, LLP

Lafayette, Louisiana August 15, 2005

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STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION June 30, 2005 and 2004

| ASSETS | 2005 | 2004 |
|---|--|---|
| RESTRICTED ASSETS Cash | \$ 2,632,991 | \$ 9,640,934 |
| PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT Capitalized interest costs Construction in progress | \$ 1,947,850 12,879,868 | \$ 1,208,942 7,491,037 |
| Total property and equipment | \$ 14,827,718 | \$ 8,699, <u>9</u> 79 |
| OTHER ASSETS Bond issuance costs, net of accumulated amortization, \$56,256 and \$29,299, respectively Total assets | \$ 366,484 \$ 17,827,193 | |
| LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS CURRENT LIABILITIES PAYABLE FROM RESTRICTED ASSETS Current maturities of bond payable | \$ 465,000 | \$ - |
| Accounts payable Retainage payable Accrued interest payable | 4,289 44,448 190,068 \$ 703,805 | 657,311 312,548 190,068 \$ 1,159,927 |
| LONG-TERM LIABILITIES Bonds payable less current maturities, net of original issue discount, \$247,385 and \$265,573, respectively | _ 17,127,615 | 17,574,427 |
| Total liabilities | \$ 17,831,420 | \$ 18,734,354 |
| NET ASSETS Unrestricted - deficit | (4,227) | |
| Total liabilities and net assets | \$ 17,827,193 | \$ 18,734,354 |

See Notes to Financial Statements.

STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITES Years Ended June 30, 2005 and 2004

| | 2005 | 2 | 004 |
|--|---------------|-----------|------------|
| REVENUES: Rental income | \$ - | \$ | _ |
| EXPENSES: Management and general | 4,227 | | |
| Change in net assets - unrestricted (deficit) | \$ (4,227) | \$ | -0- |
| Net assets at beginning of year | | | |
| Net assets at end of year - unrestricted (deficit) | \$ (4,227) | <u>\$</u> | <u>-0-</u> |

See Notes to Financial Statements.

STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS Years Ended June 30, 2005 and 2004

| CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES Change in net assets | 2005 | 2004 | |
|---|---------------------------------------|----------------|--|
| | \$ (4,227) | \$ -0- | |
| Net cash used in operating activities | \$ (4,227) | \$ -0- | |
| CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Acquisition of property and equipment Investment income received Capitalized interest paid Decrease in accounts receivable | \$ (6,309,952) 66,506 (760,270) | , | |
| Net cash used in investing activities | \$ (7,003,716) | \$ (6,818,388) | |
| Net decrease in cash | \$ (7,007,943) | \$(6,818,388) | |
| Cash, beginning of year | 9,640,934 | 16,459,322 | |
| Cash, end of year | \$ 2,632,991 | \$ 9,640,934 | |

See Notes to Financial Statements.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Note 1. Nature of Organization and Significant Accounting Policies

Nature of organization:

SLCC Facilities Corporation (the "Corporation") is a Louisiana nonprofit corporation chartered in December 2001. Its purpose is to promote, assist and benefit the mission of the South Louisiana Community College.

The accompanying financial statements of the Corporation have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.

Significant accounting policies:

Allowance for doubtful accounts -

The Corporation considers accounts receivable to be fully collectible; accordingly, no allowance for doubtful accounts is required.

Restricted cash -

The Corporation maintains money market balances required for financing the costs of the development, design, construction and equipping of a new campus and related facilities (collectively, the "Facilities") for students, faculty and staff of the South Louisiana Community College, funding a debt service reserve fund, paying capitalized interest on the bonds, and paying costs of issuance of the bonds, including the premium for the Bond Insurance Policy. The funds are held in trust and can only be disbursed in accordance with the trust agreement by the trustee.

These money market funds are not bank deposits or obligations, are not guaranteed by the Bank in trust and are not insured by the FDIC, the Federal Reserve Board, or any other government agency. The funds are in the name of the Bank in trust and not held in the name of the Corporation. Such short-term investments are categorized as Category 3, uninsured and unregistered for which the securities are held by the broker or dealer, or by its trust department or agent but not in the entity's name. These funds are reflected as restricted cash on the statement of financial position.

Cash and cash equivalents -

For the purposes of the statement of cash flows, the Corporation considers all highly liquid investments (including restricted assets) with a maturity of three months or less when purchased to be cash equivalents.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Federal income taxes -

The Corporation qualifies for an exemption from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Therefore, no provision for income taxes is made in the accompanying financial statements.

Property and equipment -

Purchased property and equipment is recorded at cost at the date of acquisition. Upon completion of the construction of the Facilities, depreciation will be computed by the straight-line method at rates based on the following estimated useful lives:

Years

Building and improvements

30

Interest on debt issued to finance the construction of the Facilities has been capitalized as a part of the project. Investment earnings on temporary investments earned during the construction phase are netted against capitalized interest. Accordingly, bond cost and bond discount amortization during the construction phase are netted against capitalized interest. All construction costs as of June 30, 2005 are included in construction in progress. The Corporation has capitalized interest totaling \$1,947,851 at June 30, 2005. Amortization on capitalized interest will be consistent with depreciation methods used for the facility.

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 certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

Note 2. Long-Term Debt

Revenue bonds, with an aggregate principal amount of \$17,840,000, were issued by the Lafayette Public Trust Financing Authority and the proceeds were loaned to the Corporation pursuant to a loan agreement dated October 1, 2002. The purchase price of the bonds was \$17,298,461 which represents the original stated value of the bonds, less an underwriter's discount of \$147,180, an original issue discount of \$285,359 and bond insurance premiums of \$109,000. At June 30, 2005 and 2004, the unamortized bond discount was \$247,385 and \$265,573, respectively. The bonds bear interest at rates that range between 2.1% and 4.75%, depending on maturity. The average interest rate on the debt issuance is 4.26%

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Aggregate maturities required on long-term debt, including interest of \$11,357,753 are as follows at June 30, 2005:

| | Principal | Interest | Total |
|-----------|---------------------|--------------|--------------|
| 2006 | \$ 465,000 | \$ 755,388 | \$ 1,220,388 |
| 2007 | 475,000 | 744,805 | 1,219,805 |
| 2008 | 490,000 | 732,490 | 1,222,490 |
| 2009 | 505,000 | 718,300 | 1,223,300 |
| 2010 | 520,000 | 702,925 | 1,222,925 |
| 2011-2015 | 3,165,000 | 3,216,831 | 6,381,831 |
| 2016-2020 | 3,635,000 | 2,469,051 | 6,104,051 |
| 2021-2025 | 4,130,000 | 1,582,031 | 5,712,031 |
| 2026-2030 | 4,455,000 | 435,931 | 4,890,931 |
| | <u>\$17,840,000</u> | \$11,357,752 | \$29,197,753 |

Cash payments for interest during the years ended June 30, 2005 and 2004 was \$760,270 and \$760,270, respectively.

Note 3. Facilities Lease Agreement

The Corporation entered into an agreement to lease the Facilities to the Board of Supervisors of the Louisiana Community and Technical College System (the "Board"). The rental payments under this lease are to be paid semiannually (March 15 and September 15) and include a base rental equal to the sum of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest due and payable on the bonds on the following April 1 or October 1. The future minimum lease payments to be received as base rental payments are the amounts as reflected in Note 2 above. In addition to the base rental, the Board will pay additional rental of any and all expenses, of every nature, character, and kind whatsoever, incurred by the Corporation, on behalf of the Board, and/or by the Board or SLCC in the management, operation, ownership, and/or maintenance of the Facilities.

Note 4. Ground Lease Agreement

The Corporation entered into an agreement effective October 29, 2002 to lease the land on which the Facilities will be constructed from the Board. The lease term expires on October 1, 2028. The rent shall be due and paid annually in advance in the sum of \$1 per year.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Note 5. Non-Cash Transactions

The original issue discount of \$285,359 and bond issuance costs of \$422,740 were deducted directly from the bond proceeds when issued in the 2003 fiscal year. The bond discount and bond issuance costs are being amortized over the term of the bonds using the interest method. As a result, amortization of the original issue discount and the bond issuance costs for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2005 was \$18,188 and \$26,957, respectively, and \$10,645 and \$15,756, respectively, for the June 30, 2004 fiscal year. The amortization is included in capitalized interest costs.

Accrued interest payable was recorded in the amounts of \$190,068 at June 30, 2005 and 2004 for the portion of the scheduled October 1, interest payments. The interest accrual is also included in capitalized interest costs.



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OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING BASED ON AN AUDIT
OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE
WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

REPORT ON COMPLIANCE AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL

To the Board of Directors SLCC Facilities Corporation New Iberia, Louisiana

We have audited the financial statements of SLCC Facilities Corporation (a nonprofit organization) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2005, and have issued our report thereon dated August 15, 2005. 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.

Compliance

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether SLCC Facilities Corporation's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed test of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants, 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 that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered SLCC Facilities Corporation's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control over financial reporting. Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements in amounts that

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This report is intended solely for the information of management, others within the organization, federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Lafayette, Louisiana August 15, 2005

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS Year Ended June 30, 2005

We have audited the financial statements of SLCC Facilities Corporation as of and for the year ended June 30, 2005, and have issued our report thereon dated August 15, 2005. 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. Our audit of the financial statements as of June 30, 2005 resulted in an unqualified opinion.

Section I - Summary of Auditors' Reports

| A. | Report on Internal Control and Compliance Material to the Financial Statements |
|------|--|
| | Internal Control Material Weaknesses Yes _X No Reportable Conditions Yes _X None reported Compliance |
| Sect | Compliance Material to Financial Statements Yes _X_ No tion II - Financial Statement Findings |
| | re were no findings reported. |

SCHEDULE OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS Year Ended June 30, 2005

- Section I. Internal Control and Compliance Material to the Financial Statements

 Not applicable.
- Section II. Internal Control and Compliance Material to Federal Awards

 Not applicable.
- Section III. Management Letter

 Not applicable.