

ARMSTRONG BACKUS & CO., LLP

Certified Public Accountants

AMERICAN PECAN COUNCIL

Compiled Financial Statements

For the One Month and Five Months Ended February 28, 2022



To the Board of Directors of American Pecan Council

ACCOUNTANTS' COMPILATION REPORT

Management is responsible for the accompanying financial statements of American Pecan Council (a government), which comprise the statement of net position – enterprise fund as of February 28, 2022 and the related statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in net position – enterprise fund, and statement of cash flows – enterprise fund for the one month and five months then ended, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have performed a compilation engagement in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services promulgated by the Accounting and Review Services Committee of the AICPA. We did not audit or review the financial statements nor were we required to perform any procedures to verify the accuracy or completeness of the information provided by management. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion, a conclusion, nor provide any form of assurance on these financial statements.

Management has omitted the Management Discussion and Analysis that accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require to be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such missing 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part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical content.

Management has elected to omit substantially all of the disclosures required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. If the omitted disclosures were included in the financial statements, they might influence the user's conclusions about the government's net position, results of operations, and cash flows. Accordingly, the financial statements are not designed for those who are not informed about such matters.

Supplementary Information

The supplementary information included in the operating budget for the one month and five months ended February 28, 2022 and year ended September 30, 2022 and the five months budgetary comparison schedule and operating budget are presented for the purpose of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. This information is the representation of management. The information was subject to our compilation engagement; however, we have not audited or reviewed the supplementary information and, accordingly, do not express an opinion, a conclusion, nor provide any form of assurance on such supplementary information.

We are not independent with respect to the American Pecan Council.

Armstrong, Backus & Co., L.L.P.

San Angelo, Texas March 17, 2022



Statement of Net Position - Enterprise Fund

As of February 28, 2022

ASSETS

Current Assets:		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	4,251,155
Accounts Receivable		1,205,446
Prepaid Expenses		6,780
Total Current Assets	\$	5,463,381
Noncurrent Assets:		
Depreciable Capital Assets	\$	35,697
Accumulated Depreciation	(19,844)
Total Noncurrent Assets	\$	15,853
Other Assets:		
Security Deposit	\$	5,875
Total Other Assets	\$	5,875
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	5,485,109
LIABILITIES AND NET POSITION		
Current Liabilities:		
Accounts Payable	\$	191,547
Payroll Liability		10,272
Total Current Liabilities	\$	201,819
Total Liabilities	\$	201,819
Net Position:	4.	
Net Investment in Capital Assets	\$	15,853
Unrestricted		5,267,437
Total Net Position	\$	5,283,290
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET POSITION	\$	5,485,109

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Net Position - Enterprise Fund

For the One Month and Five Months Ended February 28, 2022

	0	ne Month	Five Months			
Operating Revenues:		_				
Assessment Income		420,834	\$	1,704,588		
Total Operating Revenue	\$	420,834	\$	1,704,588		
Operating Expenses:						
General Administrative:						
Staff and Administrative	\$	77,549	\$	393,764		
Insurance		164		5,904		
Compliance		18,927		40,591		
Other General Administrative		18,607		92,669		
Industry Relations:						
Industry Relations Activities		5,800		36,318		
International Relations		-0-		130,287		
Marketing		125,562		2,515,132		
Grades and Standards		41		73,835		
Total Operating Expenses	\$	246,650	\$	3,288,500		
Operating Income (Loss)	\$	174,184	(\$	1,583,912)		
Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses):						
Interest Earned	\$	394	\$	1,267		
Total Nonoperating Revenues	\$	394	\$	1,267		
Change in Net Position	\$	174,578	(\$	1,582,645)		
Net Position, Beginning as Previously Stated	\$	5,108,212	\$	7,028,955		
Prior Period Adjustment		500	(163,020)		
Net Position, Beginning as Restated	\$	5,108,712	\$	6,865,935		
Net Position, Ending	\$	5,283,290	\$	5,283,290		

Statement of Cash Flows - Enterprise Fund

For the One Month and Five Months Ended February 28, 2022

	0	ne Month	F	ive Months
Cash Flows From Operating Activities:				
Cash Received from Assessments	\$	227,444	\$	1,513,484
Cash Paid for Salaries and Benefits	(77,549)	(393,764)
Cash Paid for Operating Expenses	(366,337)	(3,074,832)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	(\$	216,442)	(\$	1,955,112)
Cash Flows From Capital and Related Financing Activities:				
Acquistion of Capital Assets	\$	-0-	(\$	1,347)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Capital and Related Financing Activities	\$	-0-	(\$	1,347)
Cash Flows From Investing Activities:				
Cash Received from Interest Earned	\$	394	\$	1,267
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Investing Activities	\$	394	\$	1,267
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash	(\$	216,048)	(\$	1,955,192)
Cash, Beginning of Period		4,467,203		6,206,347
Cash, End of Period	\$	4,251,155	\$	4,251,155
Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash				
Provided (Used) by Operating Activities:				
Income (Loss) from Operations	\$	174,184	(\$	1,583,912)
Adjustments to Reconcile Operation Income (Loss) to				
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities:				
Depreciation Expense		595		2,907
Changes in Assets and Liabilities:				
(Increase) Decrease in Accounts Receivable	(193,390)	(191,103)
(Increase) Decrease in Prepaid Expenses		4,934		396,527
(Increase) Decrease in Other Current Assets		-0-		500
Increase (Decrease) in Accounts Payable	(203,633)	(590,303)
Increase (Decrease) in Payroll Tax Payable		868		10,272
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	(\$	216,442)	(\$	1,955,112)

Budgetary Comparison Schedule

	Ru	dget				/ariance avorable
	 Original		Amended	Actual		avorabic nfavorable)
Operating Revenue:	 			 		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
2021-2022 Improved	\$ 1,312,500	\$	1,312,500	\$ 1,704,588	\$	392,088
Total Operating Revenue	\$ 1,312,500	\$	1,312,500	\$ 1,704,588	\$	392,088
Operating Expenses:						
General Administration:						
Staff and Administration:						
Salaries	\$ 327,710	\$	327,710	\$ 307,111	\$	20,599
Benefits:						
IRA	10,250		10,250	8,412		1,838
Health	60,415		60,415	58,480		1,935
Taxes	 25,835		25,835	 19,761		6,074
Total Staff and Administration	\$ 424,210	\$	424,210	\$ 393,764	\$	30,446
Insurance:						
Travel	\$ 1,125	\$	1,125	\$ 359	\$	766
General	3,210		3,210	5,545	(2,335)
D&O/Members	5,415		5,415	-0-		5,415
Fidelity	 1,835		1,835	-0-		1,835
Total Insurance	\$ 11,585	\$	11,585	\$ 5,904	\$	5,681

Budgetary Comparison Schedule

	Bu	dget			F	avorable
	 Original	P	Amended	Actual	(Ur	ıfavorable)
Compliance:						
Attorney/Crisis Management	\$ 10,415	\$	10,415	\$ -0-	\$	10,415
Audit Financial	8,335		8,335	-0-		8,335
Compliance Travel	18,750		18,750	-0-		18,750
Sheller/Handler Audits	52,085		52,085	37,800		14,285
Printing/Forms/Postage	 4,165		4,165	2,791		1,374
Total Compliance	\$ 93,750	\$	93,750	\$ 40,591	\$	53,159
Accounting/Financials	\$ 32,500	\$	32,500	\$ 26,465	\$	6,035
Telephone/Mobile/Internet	8,335		8,335	8,741	(406)
Travel Office	14,585		14,585	5,032		9,553
Travel Committee	35,905		35,905	-0-		35,905
Supplies	4,165		4,165	2,113		2,052
Maintenance/Buildout	6,250		6,250	-0-		6,250
Printing	8,335		8,335	636		7,699
IT/Furniture/Software	10,415		10,415	5,514		4,901
Subscriptions	8,335		8,335	5,266		3,069
Depreciation	-0-		-0-	2,908	(2,908)
Miscellaneous	2,085		2,085	3,107	(1,022)
Rent	 36,250		36,250	 32,887		3,363
Total General Administration	\$ 696,705	\$	696,705	\$ 532,928	\$	163,777
Contingency Fund	\$ 242,055	\$	242,055	\$ -0-	\$	242,055
Technology Upgrades	\$ 41,665	\$	41,665	\$ -0-	\$	41,665

Budgetary Comparison Schedule

	Bud	dget			Favorable		
	Original		Amended	Actual	(Unfavorable)		
Industry Relations:	 _			 _		_	
Compliance:							
Compliance Materials	\$ 2,085	\$	2,085	\$ -0-	\$	2,085	
Workshops	 2,085		2,085	 -0-		2,085	
Total Compliance	\$ 4,170	\$	4,170	\$ -0-	\$	4,170	
Industry Relations Activities:							
Annual Reports	\$ 3,335	\$	3,335	\$ -0-	\$	3,335	
Communication Materials	20,835		20,835	9,200		11,635	
Travel	20,835		20,835	8,000		12,835	
WS-Field Events	104,165		104,165	-0-		104,165	
Association Sponsorship	29,165		29,165	6,883		22,282	
Handler Portal Maintenance	4,165		4,165	-0-		4,165	
Fishhook:							
Prior Year Carry-over	28,085		28,085	235		27,850	
Meltwater	5,000		5,000	 12,000	(7,000)	
Total Industry Relations Activities	\$ 215,585	\$	215,585	\$ 36,318	\$	179,267	
Industry Research:							
Research Contingency	\$ 90,000	\$	90,000	\$ -0-	\$	90,000	
Total Industry Research	\$ 90,000	\$	90,000	\$ -0-	\$	90,000	
Total Industry Relations	\$ 309,755	\$	309,755	\$ 36,318	\$	273,437	

Budgetary Comparison Schedule

	Bue	dget				Favorable
	Original		Amended	Actual	J)	Infavorable)
International Relations:						
International Nut Congress-Nut Health Research	\$ 41,665	\$	41,665	\$ 100,000	(\$	58,335)
Travel	27,085		27,085	5,037		22,048
International Consulting - Grant Writing	39,585		39,585	-0-		39,585
Weber Shandwick - China	270,835		270,835	-0-		270,835
Weber Shandwick - Germany	187,500		187,500	-0-		187,500
Emerging Market Program Research	208,335		208,335	23,750		184,585
Market Access Program	-0-		-0-	1,500	(1,500)
Contingency Fund	 270,835		270,835	 -0-		270,835
Total International Relations	\$ 1,045,840	\$	1,045,840	\$ 130,287	\$	915,553
Marketing:						
Aspire IQ	\$ 20,835	\$	20,835	\$ 50,066	(\$	29,231)
iHeart Media/Digital Magnet	333,335		333,335	800,000	(466,665)
Eat Well Global	33,335		33,335	141,282	(107,947)
NPSA Chef's Summit	41,665		41,665	80,000	(38,335)
IRI Reporting	62,500		62,500	-0-		62,500
Weber Shandwick	416,665		416,665	1,418,684	(1,002,019)
Research - Nut Health	160,415		160,415	25,100		135,315
Total Marketing	\$ 1,068,750	\$	1,068,750	\$ 2,515,132	(\$	1,446,382)

Budgetary Comparison Schedule

For the Five Months Ended February 28, 2022

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See Accountants' Compilation Report.

Operating Budget

	One Mo Februar			Five Mor Februar		Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2022			
	 Actual	Operating Budget		Actual		Operating Budget		Operating Budget	
Operating Revenue:									
2021-2022 Improved	\$ 420,834	\$	262,500	\$ 1,704,588	\$	1,312,500	\$	3,150,000	
Total Operating Revenue	\$ 420,834	\$	262,500	\$ 1,704,588	\$	1,312,500	\$	3,150,000	
Operating Expenses:									
General Administration:									
Staff and Administration:									
Salaries	\$ 61,422	\$	65,542	\$ 307,111	\$	327,710	\$	786,500	
Benefits:									
IRA	1,691		2,050	8,412		10,250		24,595	
Health	8,975		12,083	58,480		60,415		145,000	
Taxes	 5,461		5,167	 19,761		25,835		62,000	
Total Staff and Administration	\$ 77,549	\$	84,842	\$ 393,764	\$	424,210	\$	1,018,095	
Insurance:									
Travel	\$ -0-	\$	225	\$ 359	\$	1,125	\$	2,700	
General	 164		642	 5,545		3,210		7,700	
Total Insurance	\$ 164	\$	2,317	\$ 5,904	\$	11,585	\$	27,800	

Operating Budget

	One Month Ended February 28, 2022					nths E y 28,		Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2022		
	 Actual	Operating Budget			Actual	Operating Budget		Operating Budget		
Compliance:			_				_		_	
Attorney/Crisis Management	\$ -0-	\$	2,083	\$	-0-	\$	10,415	\$	25,000	
Audit Financial	-0-		1,667		-0-		8,335		20,000	
Compliance Travel	-0-		3,750		-0-		18,750		45,000	
Sheller/Handler Audits	18,900		10,417		37,800		52,085		125,000	
Printing/Forms/Postage	 27		833		2,791		4,165		10,000	
Total Compliance	\$ 18,927	\$	18,750	\$	40,591	\$	93,750	\$	225,000	
Accounting/Financials	\$ 6,550	\$	6,500	\$	26,465	\$	32,500	\$	78,000	
Telephone/Mobile/Internet	1,706		1,667		8,741		8,335		20,000	
Travel Office	1,784		2,917		5,032		14,585		35,000	
Travel Committee	-0-		7,181		-0-		35,905		86,171	
Supplies	31		833		2,113		4,165		10,000	
Maintenance/Buildout	-0-		1,250		-0-		6,250		15,000	
Printing	208		1,667		636		8,335		20,000	
IT/Furniture/Software	989		2,083		5,514		10,415		25,000	
Subscriptions	126		1,667		5,266		8,335		20,000	
Depreciation	595		-0-		2,908		-0-		-0-	
Miscellaneous	41		417		3,107		2,085		5,000	
Rent	 6,577		7,250		32,887		36,250		87,000	
Total General Administration	\$ 115,247	\$	139,341	\$	532,928	\$	696,705	\$	1,672,066	
Contingency Fund	\$ -0-	\$	48,411	\$	-0-	\$	242,055	\$	580,934	
Technology Upgrades	\$ -0-	\$	8,333	\$	-0-	\$	41,665	\$	100,000	

Operating Budget

	One Mo			Five Mor		Fiscal Year Ended		
	 Februar			 Februar				
Industry Deletions	 Actual	Ope:	rating Budget	 Actual	Operating Budget		Operating Budget	
Industry Relations:								
Compliance:								
Compliance Materials	\$ -0-	\$	417	\$ -0-	\$	2,085	\$	5,000
Workshops	 -0-		417	-0-		2,085		5,000
Total Compliance	\$ -0-	\$	834	\$ -0-	\$	4,170	\$	10,000
Industry Relations Activities:								
Annual Reports	\$ -0-	\$	667	\$ -0-	\$	3,335	\$	8,000
Communication Materials	2,800		4,167	9,200		20,835		50,000
Travel	2,000		4,167	8,000		20,835		50,000
WS-Field Events	-0-		20,833	-0-		104,165		250,000
Association Sponsorship	1,000		5,833	6,883		29,165		70,000
Handler Portal Maintenance	-0-		833	-0-		4,165		10,000
Fishhook:								
Prior Year Carry-over	-0-		5,617	235		28,085		67,400
Meltwater	-0-		1,000	 12,000		5,000		12,000
Total Industry Relations Activities	\$ 5,800	\$	43,117	\$ 36,318	\$	215,585	\$	517,400
Industry Research:								
Research Contingency	\$ -0-	\$	18,000	\$ -0-	\$	90,000	\$	216,000
Total Industry Research	\$ -0-	\$	18,000	\$ -0-	\$	90,000	\$	216,000
Total Industry Relations	\$ 5,800	\$	61,951	\$ 36,318	\$	309,755	\$	743,400

Operating Budget

		One Mor Februar			Five Months Ended February 28, 2022					Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2022		
	-	Actual		perating Budget		Actual Operating Budget			Operating Budget			
International Relations:			1 0 0				11 88			<u> </u>		
International Nut Congress-Nut Health Research	\$	-0-	\$	8,333	\$	100,000	\$	41,665	\$	100,000		
Travel		-0-		5,417		5,037		27,085		65,000		
International Consulting - Grant Writing		-0-		7,917		-0-		39,585		95,000		
Weber Shandwick - China		-0-		54,167		-0-		270,835		650,000		
Weber Shandwick - Germany		-0-		37,500		-0-		187,500		450,000		
Emerging Market Program Research		-0-		41,667		23,750		208,335		500,000		
Market Access Program		-0-		-0-		1,500		-0-		-0-		
Contingency Fund		-0-		54,167		-0-		270,835		650,000		
Total International Relations	\$	-0-	\$	209,168	\$	130,287	\$	1,045,840	\$	2,510,000		
Marketing:												
Aspire IQ	\$	17,567	\$	4,167	\$	50,066	\$	20,835	\$	50,000		
iHeart Media/Digital Magnet		-0-		66,667		800,000		333,335		800,000		
Eat Well Global		27,995		6,667		141,282		33,335		80,000		
NPSA Chef's Summit		80,000		8,333		80,000		41,665		100,000		
IRI Reporting		-0-		12,500		-0-		62,500		150,000		
Weber Shandwick		-0-		83,333		1,418,684		416,665		1,000,000		
Research - Nuth Health		-0-		32,083		25,100		160,415		385,000		
Total Marketing	\$	125,562	\$	213,750	\$	2,515,132	\$	1,068,750	\$	2,565,000		

Operating Budget

	One Month Ended February 28, 2022				Five Months Ended February 28, 2022				Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2022	
	Actual		Operating Budget			Actual	Operating Budget		Operating Budget	
Grades and Standards:				_				_		
Research Contingency (FAIR):										
Prior Year Carry-over	\$	-0-	\$	8,333	\$	-0-	\$	41,665	\$	100,000
Travel		41		1,667		41		8,335		20,000
Shelf-Life Study:										
Prior Year Carry-over		-0-		14,176		-0-		70,880		170,108
Carbon Assessment Services		-0-		10,000		-0-		50,000		120,000
Economic Study		-0-		8,333		-0-		41,665		100,000
Pricing Through Marketing Channels		-0-		3,333		-0-		16,665		40,000
Quality Assurance Program		-0-		5,417		73,794		27,085		65,000
Total Grades and Standards	\$	41	\$	51,259	\$	73,835	\$	256,295	\$	615,108
Total Operating Expenses	\$	246,650	\$	732,213	\$	3,288,500	\$	3,661,065	\$	8,786,508
Operating Income (Loss)	\$	174,184	(\$	469,713)	(\$	1,583,912)	(\$	2,348,565)	(\$	5,636,508)
Nonperating Revenues and Expenses:										
Interest Earned	\$	394	\$	-0-	\$	1,267	\$	-0-	\$	-0-
Management Fee		-0-		66,667		-0-		333,335		800,000
Past Outstanding		-0-		33,333		-0-		166,665		400,000
Prior Year Carry-over - 2021 Expense Offset		-0-		60,209		-0-		301,045		722,508
Other Income:										
Reserve		-0-		181,667		-0-		908,335		2,180,000
EMP Funding		-0-		41,667		-0-		208,335		500,000
Marketing Access Program (MAP)		-0-		104,166		-0-		520,830		1,250,000
Total Nonoperating Revenue	\$	394	\$	487,709	\$	1,267	\$	2,438,545	\$	5,852,508
Change in Net Position	\$	174,578	\$	17,996	(\$	1,582,645)	\$	89,980	\$	216,000